

## GLADE HILL PRIMARY AND NURSERY SCHOOL

School attendance is a priority for our school and we are constantly monitoring pupil attendance. We want to work together with parents/carers to help ensure excellent attendance and punctuality for all pupils from an early age. The following information shows how school attendance can affect your child's future progress.

<b>0 – 3 DAYS OFF</b>	<b>100% to 99%.</b> Excellent attendance! Pupils with this attendance should achieve the best grades they can, leading to the best possible start in their secondary education. Individual and class incentives celebrated.
<b>4 – 7 DAYS OFF</b>	<b>98% to 96%.</b> Pupils with this attendance are likely to achieve their target grades and will be well prepared for starting secondary education.
<b>8 - 17 DAYS OFF</b>	<b>95% to 91%.</b> Pupils with this attendance are missing a month of school per year and may fall behind in Maths and English; it will be difficult for them to achieve their best.
<b>18 – 27 DAYS OFF</b>	<b>90% to 86%.</b> These pupils are missing 6 weeks of school a year. It will be very difficult for them to keep up and achieve their best. Education Welfare Service involvement.
<b>28+ DAYS OFF</b>	<b>85 – 80% AND UNDER</b> Pupils with this attendance are missing a day for every week of school. It will be almost impossible to keep up with work. Parents of pupils with this level of attendance could be issued with a Penalty Notice. Education Welfare Service involvement

We have enclosed your child's current registration certificate for your attention.

We hope you find this information helpful. If you have any queries, or would like to talk to anyone about your child's attendance, do not hesitate to contact us at school.