

Good attendance in Danson means....



96% National Average

90%-95.9%

Below Average

Well Below Average

85-90% (Below 90% is classed as a persistent absentee)

Below 85%

Poor Attendance

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If your child's attendance for the year is:

95% = 10	days of	learning	have	been	missed
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90% = 20 days of learning have been missed

85% = 40 days of learning have been missed

75% = 50 days of learning have been missed

70% = 60 days of learning have been missed

- Meet & make new friends
- Learn new information
- Increased opportunities
- Gain new knowledge
- Socialise & have fun!

5 Good reasons to attend school Top tips for attending school

- Go to bed at a reasonable time
- Make sure your uniform is ready
- Pack your bag the night before
- Set the alarm to wake you
- Allow enough time for breakfast
- Set off in good time
- Remember any extra kit e.g. PE, Swimming, Homework

Your responsibilities as a parent

By law, all children of compulsory school age (5 to 16) must receive suitable full-time education. As a parent, YOU have a legal responsibility for making sure they attend school on a regular basis.

If they do not attend, the school will make a referral to the Local Authority for consideration in relation to prosecuting you for an offence under the Education Act 1996. This may result in the Local Authority taking legal action against you in the Magistrates Court.

Prosecution for failing to ensure regular attendance at school can be taken where a child is a registered pupil at a school. Prosecutions are in accordance with Section 444 Education Act 1996.

Support on school attendance

If you are having trouble getting your child to come to school, the school and the Local Authority are here to help.