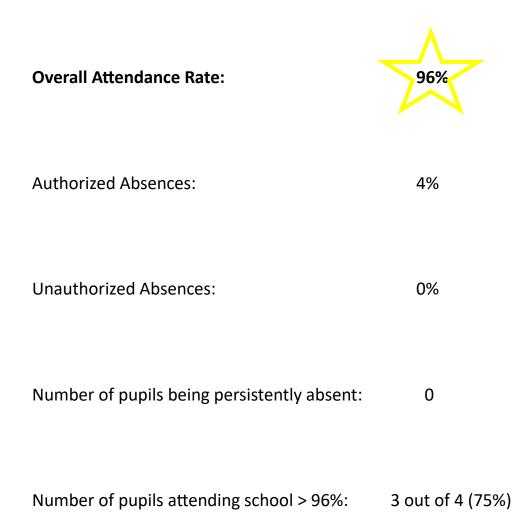


# Working Together to Improve School Attendance

## Half Term Report: Autumn 2

'Improving attendance is everyone's business' – DFE (2024)



We work collaboratively in partnership with families to:

## Expect

Aspire to high standards of attendance from all pupils and parents and build a culture where all can, and want to, be in school and ready to learn.

## Listen and Understand

## Discuss with pupils (when possible) and parents to listen to and understand barriers to attendance and agree how all partners can work together to resolve them.

Facilitate Support Remove barriers in school and help pupils and parents to access the support they need to overcome the barriers outside of school.

## Formalise Support

Where absence persists and support is not working, we will work together to explain the consequences clearly and ensure support is also in place to enable families to respond.

#### Enforce

Where all other avenues have been exhausted and support is not working or not being engaged with, enforce attendance through statutory intervention.