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Dear Parent

We hope you and your family have enjoyed a pleasant half term break and that your child is prepared to step back into the routine of this school term.

Once again, I want to thank you for your hard work and commitment in ensuring that our young people attend school daily and arrive on time and are ready to learn. Particularly, for those students whose attendance sits above 96% as this is an impressive achievement.

Our focus for this half term has been on achieving excellent attendance for all students and as an academy we are beginning to reach national average. Currently, our average attendance sits just below 90% which a huge improvement across the board.

Last half term we enjoyed numerous rewards, from our Mystery Three tutor prizes, overall tutor group winners and Valentine's sweet treats for our 100% attenders.

At the start of this new half term, I would like to reiterate the expectations of our attendance policy and remind you of the importance of good attendance moving forward.

Please see enclosed our Policy on a Page document for easy access. This is also translated into numerous languages on our school website.

Finally, as mentioned, we have a new rewards scheme for this academic year to continually celebrate our young people with brilliant attendance. Please continue to keep an eye on our website and social media for the latest events and prizes to celebrate these successes.

We are very much looking forward to our Easter Spectacular Attendance Event where we think students will be jumping for joy!

I look forward to another successful half term working with you to ensure the very best outcomes for your child.

Yours faithfully

Rachel Ford

Assistant Principal for Attendance & Interventions

Attached:

Policy on a Page

