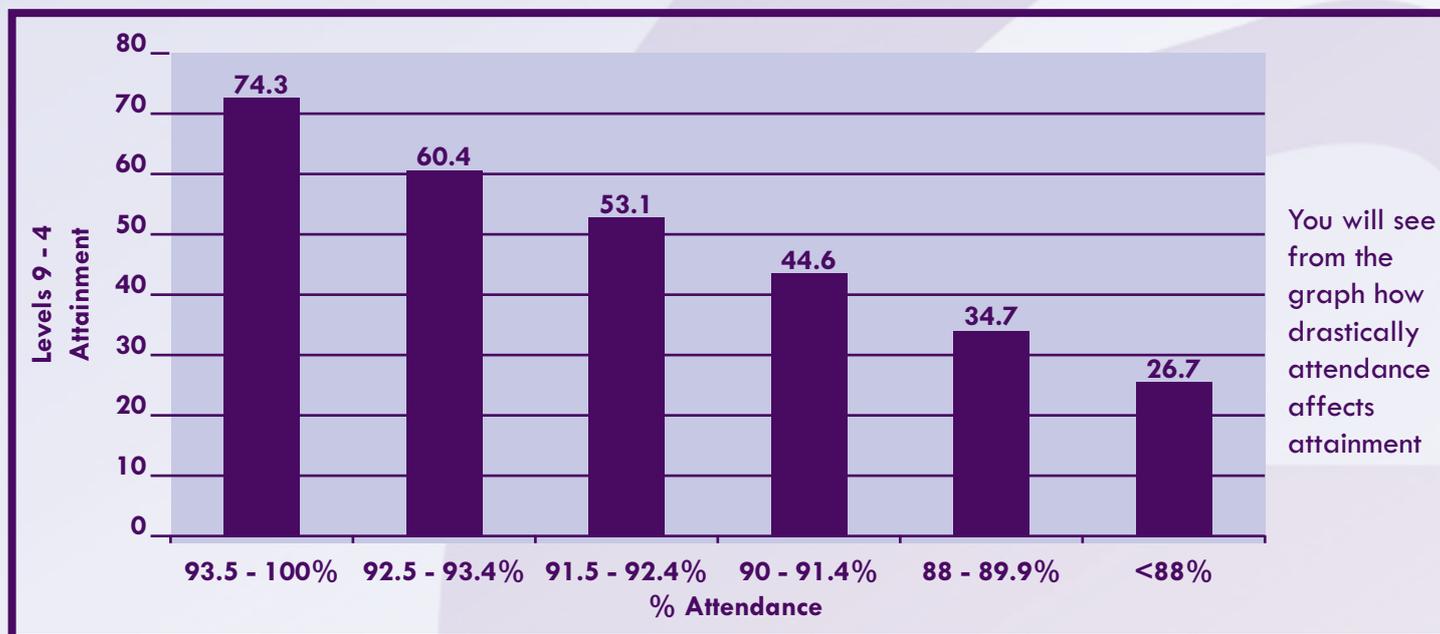


Attendance & Attainment

Regular school attendance is important in order that your child reaches their full potential

The information below is taken from the DCSF National Strategy and demonstrates the possible impact of attendance upon attainment.



Attendance levels can sometimes be regarded in the same way as examination results. In an examination 80% would be a very positive result. In attendance terms that would mean that your child has missed 40 days of education, just over 1 day per week. Therefore if your child's attendance remains at 80% for the whole of their secondary education they will miss more than a full year of education.

Attendance Rates

- 93.5%+ = Very good chance of 5 (9 - 4) Grades
- 92.5% = Good chance of 5 (9 - 4) Grades
- 91.5% = Fair chance of 5 (9 - 4) Grades
- 90% = Less than 50% chance of 5 (9 - 4) Grades
- 88% = Less than 35% chance of 5 (9 - 4) Grades
- Less than 88% = Less than 30% chance of 5 (9 - 4) Grades

In order for your child to achieve the highest possible grades they must be in school

Approximate days absence in a School Year

Attendance Rate %	By end of School Year
100	0
95	10
90	20
85	30
80	40

Please REMEMBER! ... every school day COUNTS!

Winterhill offers support and advice about your child's attendance

To get in contact with our Attendance Team

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Every school day counts!

