

Attendance

Every school day **counts!**



What parents can do to help - 10 Top Tips

- ✓ Ensure your child attends school everyday
- ✓ Ensure your child is on time, everyday
- ✓ Follow the proper guidelines for reporting excused absences
- ✓ If your child is not well enough to attend contact the school on the first day of absence
- ✓ Monitor your child's attendance
- ✓ Try to make dental and medical appointments outside of school time or at weekends
- ✓ Take family holidays during the school holiday - if this is not possible you must ask permission from the school
- ✓ Try to attend parents evenings and school events
- ✓ Talk to your child about school and take an interest in the work that they are doing
- ✓ Contact your child's school immediately if you have any concerns about their progress or welfare

Winterhill offers support and advice about your child's attendance

To get in contact with our Attendance Team

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