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Dear Parents and Carers

Absence from school

I am writing to express my concern about the recent drop in attendance rates from school.

I acknowledge that each family's circumstances are different, and we aim to work with parents and carers to provide the best education for every child.

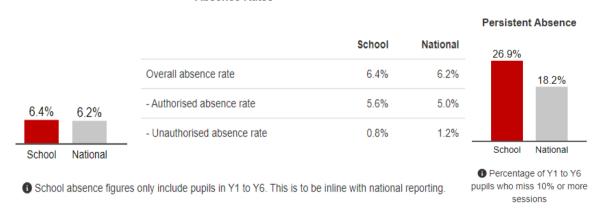
Our pupils' welfare is of paramount importance to us, and we believe that regular attendance throughout the year is essential for their success and fulfilment.

Please note that unauthorised absences can result in a penalty notice being issued. Please see our Attendance Policy are on the school website: <u>Bonneygrove Primary School - Statutory and Other School Policies</u>, or available from the school office.

I would therefore ask you all to ensure your child/ren are in school as much as possible, to ensure they make progress and fulfill their full potential.

Currently the school attendance has dropped – please see below persistent absentee percentages against National.

Absence Rates



Yours sincerely

Craig Hamilton Headteacher