



Southmoor Academy
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THEIR FUTURE IS IN YOUR HANDS

YOU DECIDE

ABOVE

95%
ATTENDANCE

Means...



No gaps in their learning



The best chance for higher exam grades



The best chance for a rewarding career



Higher grades equals higher earning careers



More opportunity to socialise and make friends



More time to develop skills, try new things and open up opportunities

BELOW

95%
ATTENDANCE

Means...



Gaps in knowledge & learning



Reduced chance at good exam grades



Greater likelihood of ending up in a less satisfying career



Lower grades can lead to lower paid career outcomes



Lessened chance to learn to socialise, interact & communicate



Less time for important life skills to develop

It is **YOUR RESPONSABILITY** to get your child into school regularly. They **RELY ON YOU** to be consistent so that they do not miss their chance to be educated. See the reverse of this leaflet for more information on **WHY ATTENDANCE MATTERS** and the support we can offer.

WHY Attendance MATTERS

Research shows that more than 18 missed days in a year can mean you could drop up to 2 grades across all of your subjects



Data shows that pupils with over 95% attendance achieve at least **one grade higher** in their GCSES



HOW WE CAN HELP

We are here to support you in making sure your child's attendance gives them the best chance for a bright future.

If you need support with attendance please contact our dedicated attendance team led by **Mr J. Young**.

Call 0191 594 9991

You can also reach out to your child's Year Leader via the number above or through ClassCharts.

BELOW 90%

36% of students achieve 5 or more good grades at GCSE

91% TO 95%

53% of students achieve 5 or more good grades at GCSE

ABOVE 95%

79% of students achieve 5 or more good grades at GCSE



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