



Burnt Tree Primary School

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'Where everyone matters'



Head Teacher Mrs. J. Bayliss

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Dear Parents/Carers

Here at Burnt Tree Primary School, we take attendance very seriously.

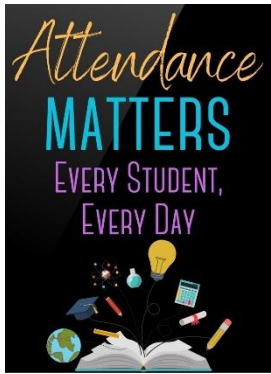
We are having an **'ATTENDANCE AND LATENESS FOCUS WEEK'** during **week beginning Monday 2nd February 2026**. We want to actively encourage each child to achieve excellent attendance and to arrive at school on time. During this focus week, children who arrive at school **before 8:55am**, enter through their **classroom or playground doors** and achieve **100% attendance** will earn a **reward afternoon**.



Children who achieve **both** of these expectations will enjoy a **movie afternoon** during the week beginning **9th February 2026** (KS2 – Thursday 12th February; KS1 – Friday 13th February).

Regular school attendance is an important part of giving your child the best possible start in life. Children who miss school frequently, or arrive late on a regular basis, can fall behind with their work and do less well in their statutory assessments. Excellent attendance at school is important to allow a child to fulfil their potential.

Please see the school website to view our Attendance Policy.



Below are just some of the key reasons why it is so important children attend school:

- To learn
- To have fun
- To make new friends
- To experience new things in life
- To develop awareness of other cultures, religion, ethnicity and gender differences
- To achieve
- To gain qualifications
- To develop new skills
- To build confidence and self-esteem.

To give your child the best start in life and a chance to enjoy the movie afternoon please ensure they attend every day and arrive on time.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Jayne Bayliss
Head Teacher

