

There are 190 statutory days in one school year; this leaves 175 days every year out of school time available for holidays, visiting family, shopping and attending routine appointments, such as the doctors and dentist.

*Every minute of every lesson
of every day counts!*

Your child's education
is too important
to take leave
in term time.

Let us know

We hope your child never has to miss a day of school. We do understand however that due to illness or emergency, this is sometimes unavoidable.

If your child is absent, you should report the absence using the Studybugs application, telephone or email the school every day that they are absent. This must be done **before 9am** and a reason for absence must be given.

Website:

www.brunswick-house.kent.sch.uk

Tel:

01622 752102

Email:

absence@brunswick-house.kent.sch.uk



Brunswick House
Primary School

Attendance
Matters

100%

Taking your child out of school means:

- Loss of learning opportunities.
- Missing out on valuable lessons.
- Settling in problems during the first term or start of a new term.
- Disruption of friendship groups.
- Difficulties faced by your child in trying to catch up and fill in missing gaps as a result of missing valuable learning opportunities.

Research proves that:

Attainment and progress are negatively impacted upon by missed time in school. GCSE and A - Level exam grades are reduced in proportion to the number of days missed.

In primary school, we are developing the habits of life-long learning.

Please make sure your child doesn't miss out.

Respect

Empathy

Here at Brunswick House Primary School our target is that every pupil in the school attains at least 97% Attendance by the end of Term 6.

The school year is made up of 190 days. Missing days means missing education.

19 days = almost 4 weeks out of school

Attendance	Missed days of learning
100%	0
97%	5½
90%	19
85%	27½
80%	40
75%	46

Teamwork

Don't be late!

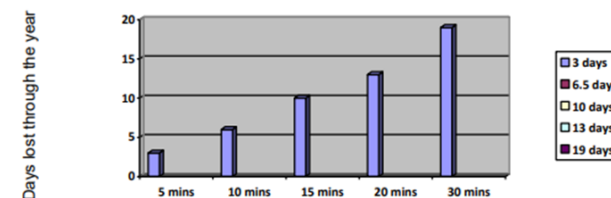
Registration is from 8.45am – 9.00am.

Any child who arrives between 9.01am and 9.15am will be marked as *late*.

Any child who arrives from 9.16am onwards when registration closes, will be given an *unauthorised* mark for the morning session.

All children that arrive late *must* report, *with* their parent to the school office where the reason for lateness and number of minutes late is recorded.

5 minutes late per day over a school year = 3 ½ days of learning lost



Self-Belief

Honesty