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Dear Parents,

At Lancaster High School we firmly believe that regular school attendance is vital for your child's growth, not just academically, but also socially and emotionally. It's in the classroom where friendships are forged, ideas are exchanged, and lifelong skills are honed. Every day missed represents a missed opportunity for your child to engage with their peers, teachers, and the diverse learning experiences we offer.

We're committed to fostering a culture of consistent attendance, ensuring that your child has every opportunity to thrive. Through our school system 'Attend', we will be monitoring attendance closely and communicate attendance news regularly about your child's place within our 6 coloured groups; the aspirational aim is for all pupils to have attendance within the gold group. Sitting in bronze, silver or gold groups is good attendance, blue, amber and red groups means your child is in a persistent absence category.

Messages from Attend will appear separately from our main school communication system so please do look out for these text and emails and acknowledge their receipt. We understand that life can sometimes throw unexpected challenges, and there may be barriers to regular attendance. If you haven't already, please get in touch with us to see how we can provide support.

Your role as parents and carers is paramount in ensuring that your child arrives at school each day, ready to learn and grow. Should your child be unable to attend for any reason, we request that you notify us promptly by contacting our dedicated attendance team via attendance@lancasterhigh.lancs.sch.uk.

Thank you for your continued support.

Lancaster High School

