

Does Attendance Really Matter?



10 Minutes late a day? Surely that won't affect my child!

He/She is only missing just...	That equals...	Which is....	And over 13 years of schooling that's
10 mins per day	50 mins per week	Nearly 1.5 weeks per year	Nearly ½ year
20 mins per day	1 hr 40 mins per week	Over 2.5 wks per year	Nearly 1 year
Half hour per day	Half a day per week	4 weeks per year	Nearly 1 ½ years
1 Hour per day	1 day per week	8 weeks per year	Over 2 ½ years

NOW IF YOU THINK THAT IS A LOT OF MISSED SCHOOL TIME, LOOK AT WHAT A DAY CAN MAKE!

1 or 2 days a week doesn't seem much but.....

If your child misses...	That equals.....	Which is...	And over 13 years of schooling that's....
1 day per fortnight	20 days per year	4 weeks per year	Nearly 1.5 years
1 day per week	40 days per year	8 weeks per year	Over 2.5 years
2 days per week	80 days per year	16 weeks per year	Over 5 years
3 days per week	120 days per year	24 weeks per year	Nearly 8 years

If you want your child to be successful at school then YES attendance does matter!

'Every Day Counts!'