

## EVERY DAY COUNTS

**This year we have set a target of 96% attendance for the whole school**

### Weekly

- We are setting up a 'League Table' to be displayed in our Celebration assemblies
- Any class which achieves **96%** attendance or more will be awarded **5 'Princeville Pounds'** (monopoly style money), to be given out in celebration assembly
- Any class which has 100% attendance will receive **10 'Princeville Pounds'**

Classes can decide how to redeem their 'Princeville Pounds' eg on DVD's, wet play games, class treats etc...

### Termly

In celebration assembly, children with attendance;

- 96 -97% - bronze winners = 2 'Princeville Pounds' per child
- 97.1 - 99% - silver winners = 5 'Princeville Pounds' per child
- 99.1% -100% - gold winners = 10 'Princeville Pounds' per child

The class that has won the weekly attendance the most times will receive a bonus of **20 'Princeville Pounds'** added to their class bank.

Every term children who are Gold, Silver or Bronze winners will go into a draw to receive;

- Bronze Raffle = book and chocolates
- Silver Raffle = box of games/books
- Gold Raffle = bicycle/X-Box



### Let Children Know that Good Attendance Is Important:

Good attendance habits start at an early age. Make sure your child goes to school regularly and on time. This helps them develop a positive view of school and the importance of attendance.

- Make education a family priority. Show them you are interested in their school activities and school work and tell them that you want them to do well in school. You could also become involved in school by offering to volunteer in school.
- Do not let them take time off from school for minor ailments and do not provide excuses for your child to miss school.
- Set alarm clock 30 minutes earlier for students who need more time to get ready for school.
- Plan ahead the night before: such as identifying and pre-prepping breakfast, have children set out their uniform the night before, and pack their school bags with completed homework and water.
- Set a regular bedtime schedule - age should be a factor.
- Keep Open Lines of Communication with your Child's Teacher, Head Teacher and School Report all absences every day your child misses school by calling the school office – 01274 573298. If your child does not want to go to school, find out why and work with your school and child to address concerns. Let your child know he/she must attend school.
- Keep a school year calendar- or look on our school website [www.princeville.co.uk](http://www.princeville.co.uk) this is an excellent way to track all of the important dates, holidays and events at your child's school.
- Make sure your child knows you do not approve of him/her being late or absent. Talk to your child about issues that may be making them late for school.
- Contact Princeville Primary School for help if it is needed to support your child or family. Don't be afraid to ask teachers and staff at Princeville and other family members for advice on how to keep your child going to school – **on time, every day!**

Thank you for your continued support.

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