



LIONEL WALDEN PRIMARY SCHOOL



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Dear Parents

Mid-Year Report

With this letter you should receive your child's Mid-Year Report. We hope that by providing this information at a mid-point in the school year, it will allow time for teachers and parents to work together to enable all children to make at least the 'expected' progress from their starting point. You will receive a detailed End of Year Report in July. This report reflects the areas of learning and the stage of development.

Please note that attendance thresholds have been agreed by the Governing Body following consultation with local headteachers and the Education Welfare Officer:-

Very Good	-	98%+
Satisfactory	-	95% - 97.9%
Cause for Concern	-	Below 95%

Our target (provided by the Local Authority) is for attendance to be above 95%, hence the reason for below this being a cause for concern. Whilst we understand children may be ill from time to time, it is vital that they attend school whenever possible. It is extremely important that the highest level of attendance is viewed as a priority from the very start of a child's time at school. May I remind you that there is no entitlement to take holidays during term time.

Your child's report is being sent to you prior to Parents' Evenings, so that if you wish you can use it as a discussion point. I hope you find the report useful.

Please do not hesitate to contact me, should you require any further information.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs S. A. Barnard-Taylor
Headteacher

