



HAVEN HIGH

ATTENDANCE MATTERS

GOOD ATTENDANCE = BETTER GRADES = BIGGER POTENTIAL

At Haven High we know that attending school every day is important. Attendance is directly linked to achievement. Students who attend more get better grades.

Research shows that

- Pupils with the lowest 5% of absence rates were more than four times more likely to achieve 5 good GCSE passes, including English and maths, and 22 times less likely to achieve the English Baccalaureate, than pupils with the highest 5% of absence rates.
- Pupils with no absence from school were nearly three times more likely to achieve 5 good GCSE passes, including English and Maths, and around 10 times more likely to achieve the English Baccalaureate, than pupils missing 15 to 20% of school across key stage four

If your child's grades suffer because of poor attendance, the qualifications they miss out on could affect their future. It could affect their ability to progress on to further education. Poor attendance could impact their ability to get the job they want and their potential earnings.



If you want some support with your child's attendance, please telephone school on 01205 311979 and ask to speak to your Education Welfare Officer.