## SANDBROOK PRIMARY SCHOOL

## NEWSLETTER 6 <br> SUMMARY



## 2016-2017 Embarrassing!

Whole School Attendance 93.4\%
Number of persistently absent children 23
March 2018 Shocking!
Whole School Attendance 92.3\%
July 2018 Improving!
Whole School Attendance 94.1\%
Number of persistently absent children 14
The hard work is paying off but we still did not meet the government's expectations of above $95 \%$.

This is because 43 children took at least one holiday during term.


#### Abstract

As a result, the new school attendance policy makes it very clear that any family that allows their child(s) to accumulate 5 days of unauthorised holiday will receive a fixed penalty notice, per child, per parent 


 as explained in my previous newsletters.
## A THANK YOU



I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of the families and children that have worked incredibly hard to help our school improve its overall attendance percentage. Without you, we would not have made the improvements that we have. There have also been a few children that have been able to achieve an attendance percentage of $100 \%$. These children will be recognised for their achievements by being awarded with an attendance badge when they return to school in September. Have a great summer and let's make 2018-2019 the year of full attendance! Mr Mervyn

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