

## GOOD ATTENDANCE MATTERS!

Regular attendance and punctuality are essential for every student's success. At Ivanhoe School, we work together with families to ensure students feel supported, confident, and ready to learn every day.



### Why Attendance Matters

Students who attend regularly are more likely to achieve strong academic outcomes. Students with 95% attendance or higher achieved on average a grade higher than those with lower attendance. Those with less than 90% achieved 2 grades lower.

Good attendance helps to develop positive friendships, better mental and physical health, and build confidence for the future.



### Punctuality Counts

Being late to school disrupts learning. Arriving just 15 minutes late every day can result in nearly two weeks of lost learning over the year.



### Working Together

If your child is experiencing attendance difficulties, please contact the school as early as possible so we can work together to provide support.



### How Parents & Carers Can Help

- Maintain a regular bedtime and morning routine
- Ensure your child arrives at school on time and prepared
- Avoid holidays during term time wherever possible
- Book appointments outside school hours when you can
- Encourage positive conversations about school and learning
- Provide a quiet space for homework and revision
- Contact school early if you have concerns about attendance or wellbeing



### Term Time Leave

Leave during term time will only be authorised in exceptional circumstances. Please contact the school in advance to discuss any absence requests

**Where everyone cares, everyone aspires, and everyone thrives**

## **The Attendance Team**

**Emma Boussida – Deputy Head**



**Rachel Watson – Attendance Senior Leader**



**Phoebe Mugglestone - Yr.7 AIO link**



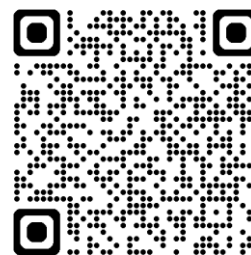
### **Contact Information**

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| <b>Website</b>                        | <b><a href="http://www.ivanhoe.co.uk">www.ivanhoe.co.uk</a></b>                       |
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| <b>Reporting an absence</b>           | <b><a href="mailto:studentabsence@ivanhoe.co.uk">studentabsence@ivanhoe.co.uk</a></b> |
| <b>General attendance queries</b>     | <b><a href="mailto:attendance@ivanhoe.co.uk">attendance@ivanhoe.co.uk</a></b>         |

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**Attendance at Ivanhoe**



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