

King Edwin Primary School



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YOU ARE RECEIVING THIS LETTER BECAUSE YOU HAVE ALREADY RECEIVED LETTERS 1 & 2 AND THERE HAS BEEN NO IMPROVEMENT IN YOUR CHILD'S ATTENDANCE AT SCHOOL

LETTER 3(A)

(Date)
Dear
Child's Name: DOB: Form Group: Attendance:
At King Edwin Primary School we have an attendance target of at least 97% for each pupil. As low attendance at school may help identify if a child or family is in need of support, or could be an indicator of a possible safeguarding issue, we closely monitor this on a regular basis.
Further to my recent letters regarding (child's name) attendance at school sent on (date), there has been no significant improvement in their attendance at school. Their current attendance figure now stands at (attendance %).
I am writing to inform you of the next steps we need to take.
Due to the continued absences I am inviting you to make an appointment with the school nurse and/or an Early Help Worker to discuss how we can support you to improve your child's attendance at school. Please contact school within 7 days to arrange this appointment.
Should you not wish to take up this offer of support or we do not hear from you within 7 days we will make a referral to the Local Authority's Education Welfare Officer; this may lead to legal action.
If you wish to discuss this matter further please do not hesitate to contact me
Yours sincerely
Headteacher