



## Attendance

Schools are required by law to inform parents of their child's and Schools' attendance record in terms of authorised and unauthorised absences. Unless we are informed of the reason for absence, the absence is unauthorised. A pattern of unauthorised absence is then monitored and the Education Welfare Officer as it is regarded as truancy.

### Absence Statistics for September 2013 to July 2014

Number on Roll for at least one session during the reporting period	<b>318</b>
% authorised absence	<b>3%</b>
% unauthorised	<b>1%</b>

*Attendance data is provided by our school Education Welfare Officer, Local Authority Education Access Team. The data is collected from school on a weekly basis and aggregated overnight. Percentages are calculated using the number of children at school with attendance data for the relevant periods. (EWO Report 26/06/15)*