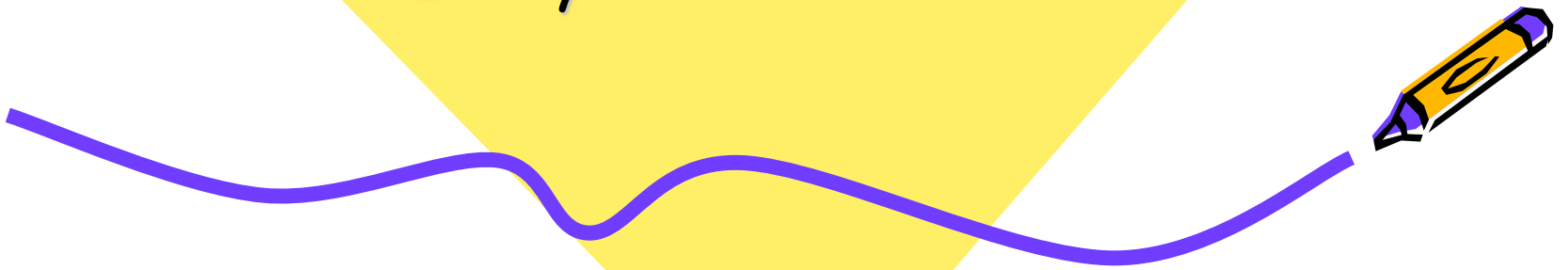


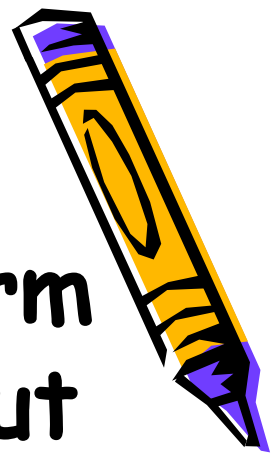


Every School Day  
Counts!

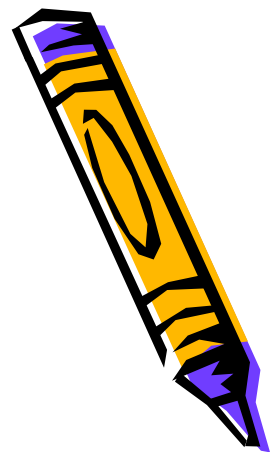
Every lesson counts!



Taking a child on holiday in term time may save some money but there is a cost. The cost is lost learning which impacts on reduced life chances.



Recent evidence shows that there is a clear relationship between doing well at school and having good attendance.

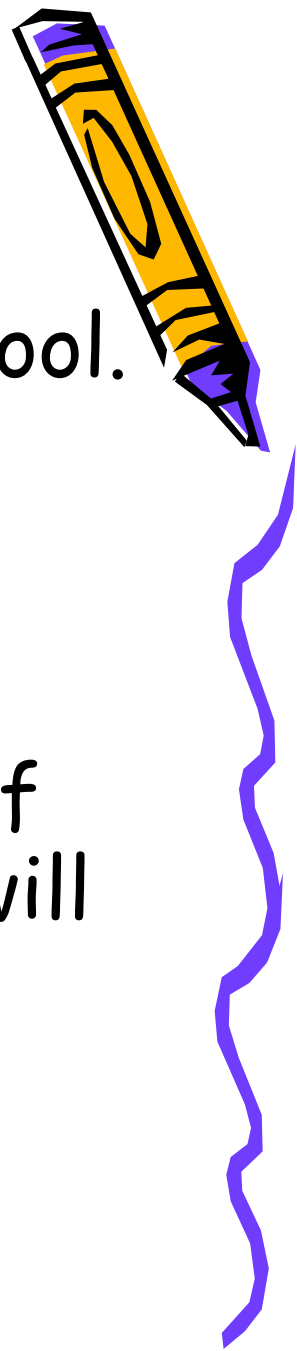


# What colour are you?



- **Green** - 100% -97%
- This is approximately 7 days missing from school.





- Amber - 96%-93%
- 96% - Missing about 8 days of school.
- 95% - Missing 2 weeks of school
- 93% - Missing 3 weeks of school
- In this case a significant amount of education has been missed and it will be difficult to catch up on the learning time lost.



- Red - 92% and below

- This is the same as missing 3 weeks or more of school. This results in a serious loss of learning which is likely to have a detrimental effect on long term achievement and future life chances.



Pupils with a consistent attendance of above 97% were more likely to obtain higher levels of achievement and reach core subject indicators at the end of Foundation Phase and Key stage 2.

