



PENSBY PRIMARY SCHOOL

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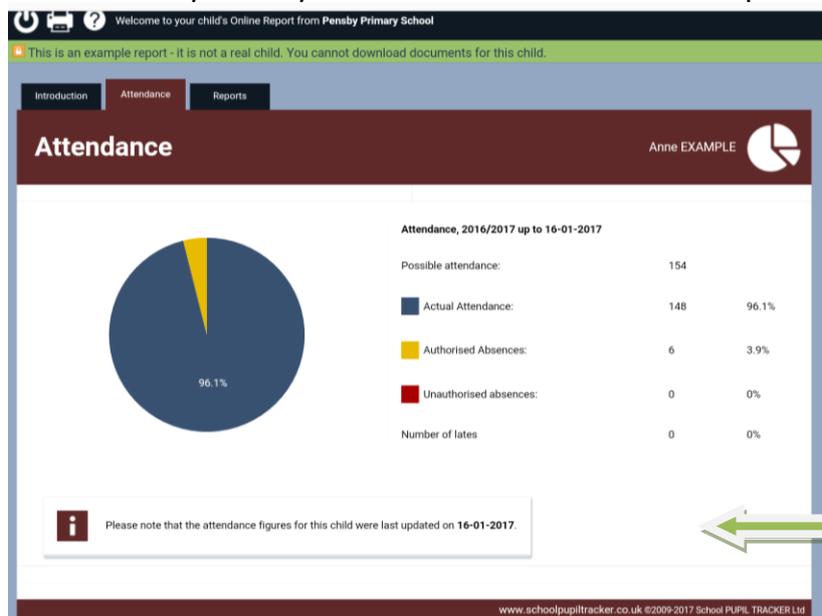
Dear families and children,

Online reports

The online reports have been very well received by families and I am delighted that we have been able to keep this facility open for you. You can now login at any time to see updated assessment information for your child. When you login you will see this first page. There is a new short message to explain how the page works and the three tabs along the top direct you to each section of the ongoing report.



The attendance tab enables you to look at your child's attendance. It is updated every 2 to 3 weeks from our SIMS data system. It always tells you the date that this was last uploaded.



Indicates date attendance was last updated.



The reports tab page allows you to download a copy of your child's latest achievements. These are taken directly from the day to day, week to week assessments that the classroom staff make about every child in the school. You generate this ongoing report by clicking on section 1 indicated below, and then downloading the report. You can also use this page to download a copy of any end of year reports for your child. You do this by clicking on the report in section 2 indicated below, where it is highlighted there is an annual report available.

Section 1 - click to download ongoing report.

Section 2 - find old annual reports to download.

Year group	Annual Reports
Nursery 1	Nursery 1 report not available
Nursery 2	Nursery 2 report not available
Reception	EYFS report is not available
Year 1	Year 1 report not available
Year 2	Year 2 report not available
Year 3	Year 3 report not available
Year 4	Year 4 report not available
Year 5	Year 5 report not available
Year 6	Year 6 report not available

We have many logins awaiting collection in the school office - please come and collect yours if you requested one. From this point, any new login requests will incur a small charge to cover costs. The office will be texting out those families who have not yet accessed their child's online report to remind them to do so. If you have any trouble logging in, please contact the school office for help.

Spring term parents evenings

If you were unable to make an appointment for parents evening, please let us know so that we can arrange one for you.

PTA Sponsored Pancake flip

The PTA pancake flip event was such good fun and the children were very determined! The event raised just over £700 - an incredible effort by all. Thank you so much!

Events this half term

A reminder that the next PTA meeting is on Tuesday 21st March at 6.00pm. Following that we have The PTA Mother's Day sale on Thursday 23rd March - details of what to do for this event will be sent via text. Friday 24th March is Red Nose Day. This will be a non uniform day and we ask for a £1 donation to

go to the charity. There are other events happening around the school that day and we will text you to let you know about them.

Hayfever

We are approaching the season of hayfever and summer allergies. In school we can administer piriton and eye drops if your child suffers from these allergies. You need complete a 'permission for medicines administration form' and this can be found on the School Office page of the school website. Please send this into school with any associated medication clearly labelled with your child's name and class.

Paediatric First aid training

We have been very fortunate to have been offered free Paediatric First aid training for our families. The course is aimed at any parents wanting to gain a basic understanding of paediatric first aid. The eligibility for our course is a Wirral resident aged 19 or over and currently unemployed. The course is on Thursday 18th May from 9.00am in the school and lasts about 3 hours. There are only 12 places so they will be offered on a first come first served basis. Please contact the school office to request a place.

Website maintenance

Tomorrow morning the school website is undergoing an upgrade and maintenance work. This should be completed in the early hours and we hope it will be up and running as usual from 10am. Please bear with us during this work.

and finally,

The evenings are drawing out and it is good to see the children enjoying this. Please be aware that the local park areas are often areas where children meet strangers and we hear of many incidents of 'trouble' associated with that. We strongly recommend that primary aged children are always supervised by an adult when they are in the park areas.

Thank you,



Mrs. K Brown - Headteacher