

My Child is unwell, how long should they be at home?

The table below uses the latest guidance to help to clarify when children should attend school.

Coughs/colds/temperature/sore throat	Children can attend school. Please give them appropriate medication, if required, at home before school.
Sickness & Diarrhoea	Children can return 48 hours after the last episode.
Chicken Pox	Children can return to school once all the vesicles/scabs have crusted over.
Hand Foot & Mouth	Children can attend school if feeling well. The school should be informed.
Impetigo	Children can return to school 48 hours after commencing antibiotics or when all lesions are crusted over.
Scarlet Fever	Children can return 24 hours after commencing antibiotics.
Headlice	Children can attend school as soon as treatment has been given. The school should be informed.
Conjunctivitis	Children can attend school. The school should be informed.
Slapped Cheek	Children can attend school. The school should be informed.
Glandular Fever	Children can attend school. The school should be informed.
Measles/German Measles	Children can return to school 4 days from the onset of the rash.
Mumps	Children can return to school 5 days from the onset of swelling.
Scabies	Children can return to school after the first treatment.
Whooping Cough	Children can return to school 48 hours after commencing antibiotics.
Flu	Children can return to school once they have fully recovered and feel well enough to attend
Tonsillitis	Children can attend school. The school should be informed.

Please report all absences to the School Office by phone (01842 753279). Please do not use Class Dojo.

We are only able to administer prescribed medication on completion of a permission form from the office.

We are able to support children administer any eye or ear drops but unable to do this for them.