



To the Parents/Carers of all Blacon families,

As Headteachers of all the Blacon schools we would like to inform and remind you of the procedures we have in all of our schools to ensure the best possible outcomes for our children in education. Being in school every day is the best way to help all of our pupils fulfil their potential and it is with this in mind that we ask you as parents not to book holidays during school term time.

As a cluster of schools we all operate the same protocol that any holidays taken during term time will be recorded as unauthorised and a Fixed Penalty Notice may be issued for these absences. Each Fixed Penalty Notice issued currently incurs a cost of £60 per parent per child.

We all support and would like to celebrate sporting events that our pupils are involved in at weekends, but ask all parents and carers to ensure that children do not leave school early on a Friday and are back for the start of the school day on Monday mornings.

It is a legal requirement that every child is in school every day and we want all of our pupils and young people to benefit from a consistent approach to learning which will prepare them for life.

We thank you for your continued support and partnership in raising the standards of education across Blacon.

Mrs S Yates

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