

Every day counts

MOST STUDENTS ATTEND SCHOOL EVERY DAY

It's important that children are at school all day, every day



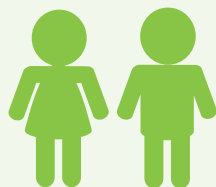
OK reasons to stay home from school



sick



natural disasters



It's **NOT OK** to skip school to

shop, sleep in, finish an assignment, go on holidays

EVERY DAY AT SCHOOL COUNTS

Missing even 1 day can make a difference

1 day off school *each fortnight*

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Missing more than a year of learning over 12 years



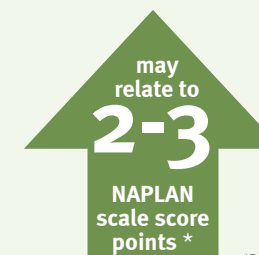
Each day's learning builds on what has been learnt before

Good attendance begins in Prep



It's where good habits begin

ATTEND ALL DAY, EVERY DAY



*Based on historical data.

What parents can do

Promote the importance of school

Get to know the teacher

Go to school events

Read the school newsletter

Be organised at home

Supervise homework

Ask about your child's day

Volunteer to help at school

Get involved in your child's school

For more information

Go to the **Every day counts** website: <http://education.qld.gov.au/everydaycounts/>