NEW INFORMATION ON PENALTY NOTICE FINES FOR ATTENDANCE IN SCHOOL



Penalty Notice Fines will be issued for Term Time Leave of 5 or more consecutive days



SESSIONS OF UNAUTHORISED ABSENCE IN A 10-WEEK PERIOD

Penalty Notice Fines will be considered when there has been 10 sessions of unauthorised absence in a 10 week period

PER PARENT, PER CHILD

Penalty Notice Fines will now be issued to each parent, for each child that was absent.

FOR EXAMPLE

3 siblings absent for term leave, would result in each parent receiving 3 separate fines



FIRST OFFENCE

For Term Time Leave or Irregular attendance £160 per parent, per child paid within 28 days Reduced to £80 per parent, per child if paid within 21 days



SECOND OFFENCE

£160 per parent, per child paid within 28 days



THIRD OFFENCE

Fines can be up to £2500 per parent, per child