Randal Cremer's Attendance Traffic Light System

The attendance traffic light system allows you to see quickly if your child's attendance level is good or needs improving.

Why is it important?					
Attendance	Days absent	Weeks absent	Lessons missed	89% or below	
95%	9 days	2 weeks	50 lessons	Drastic effect on academic achievement	
90%	19 days	4 weeks	100 lessons	96% - 90%	
85%	29 days	6 weeks	150 lessons	Cause for Concern	
80%	38 days	8 weeks	200 lessons		
75%	48 days	10 weeks	250 lessons	100% - 97%	
70%	57 days	11.5 weeks	290 lessons	Excellent!	

What does the traffic light mean?

Red light is where attendance is below 90%. Regular absences means that a child is less likely to achieve their academic potential.

Amber light is where attendance is between 90% and 96.9%. Pupils with this level are area cause for concern and are at risk of under achieving.

Green light is where attendance level is at least 97%. Children with this level of attendance are more likely to do well at school and achieve a good result.

At Randal Cremer, students are expected to maintain a minimum attendance level of 97%.

Good attendance is very important so that children are given as much opportunity as possible to develop academically and socially. When children are absent from school they often find it difficult to catch up on the work they have missed and can feel unsettled by this.