

## UNITY SCHOOLS PARTNERSHIP ATTENDANCE SUPPORT GRADUATED RESPONSE



At Burton End Primary Academy, part of Unity Schools Partnership, our ambition is to engender a sense of true belonging where every child can attend and thereby unlock the potential of all children, remove the barriers to aspiration and ensure all of our children succeed. In order to achieve this, we are committed to the following evidence-based approach to build positive relationships and address the potential and real barriers to belonging.

## Tier 1 Universal Offer

School-wide efforts to support all children Proactive measures in place to develop connectedness with our school

## Tier 2 Targeted Offer

Individual or groupbased support for children identified as emotionally vulnerable

## Tier 3 Enhanced Offer

Bespoke provision for pupils with more complex needs who are struggling Transition activities for all children

Provision of easy to use means to contact our school if a child is unavoidably absent

A warm smile and welcome from every member of staff every day when they arrive and at the beginning of every learning activity

First day calling to check that the school is aware of the causes of absence

A clear and well explained reward system for children who have excellent attendance

Trauma Perceptive Practice training (TPP) for all staff and induction for new staff and TPP whole school approach used by all adults in school with a culture of warmth and social engagement in staff-pupil relationships

A school improvement plan that seeks to promote belonging

A designated named governor who monitors attendance and holds the school to account

Annual Student survey to identify student attitudes to the school

Reward structure that celebrates the attendance of all

Collaboration between USP schools to enhance best practice and support from a USP Director to monitor and quality assure our policy on "Belonging"

Use of trigger points to write to USP support letters (see letters 1, 2 and 3)

Meetings with family and key staff to identify support

**Education Supervision Orders** 

Case referred to external organisations (charities, LA etc.)

Notice to improve served on family

Final warning letter prior to issuing a Fixed Penalty Notice