

Attending school 4.5 days a week $=90 \%$ attendance $=4$ weeks of school missed per year

Attending school 4 days a week $=80 \%=$ more than half a term missed per year or 2 full years missed over a child's full school career

Attending school 3.5 days a week $=70 \%$ = more than a quarter of the school year missed

An average attendance of $80 \%$ or less during a child's school career adds up to missing 2 full years from school

Being late for school reduces learning time
5 minutes late every day = missing 3 days of learning each year

15 minutes late every day $=$ missing 2 weeks of learning each year

