



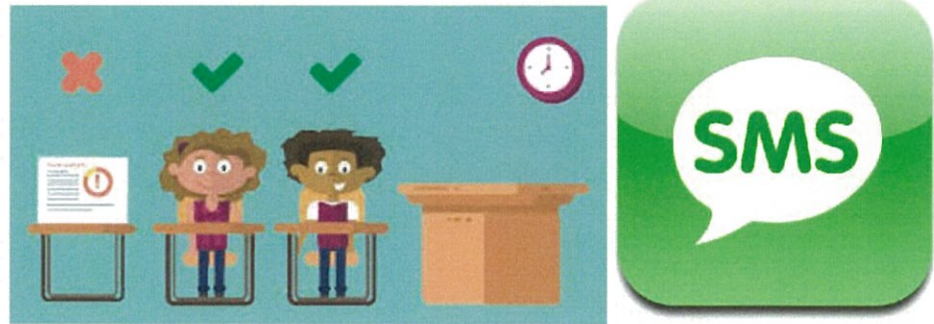
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Roll Marking and Attendance Changes



Dear Families

From Tuesday (18/08/20) our school will be using a new system to mark attendance at school. The majority of these changes will not affect parents but will make roll marking and attendance monitoring much simpler for our staff.

The key change for parents will be that you will now receive an SMS message from the school to your mobile phone advising you of your child's absence. SMS messages will be sent out at 10:00am every day to any parent whose child is absent from school. To explain an absence you will be able to reply with an SMS or explain the absence using previous methods. Given this new system, it is essential that parents keep their contact details up to date. If you think that any of your details need updating, please contact the office ASAP.

Whilst this system will be much simpler and effective for everybody, I am expecting some early glitches and issues and I ask that you remain patient with us as we transition to these processes.

Kind regards

Mr Forbes

