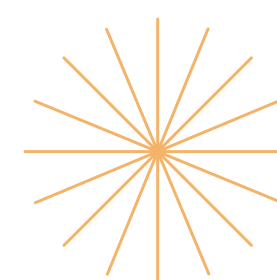


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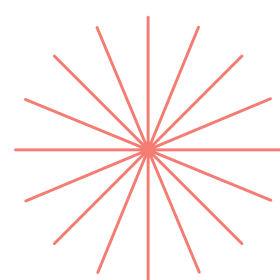
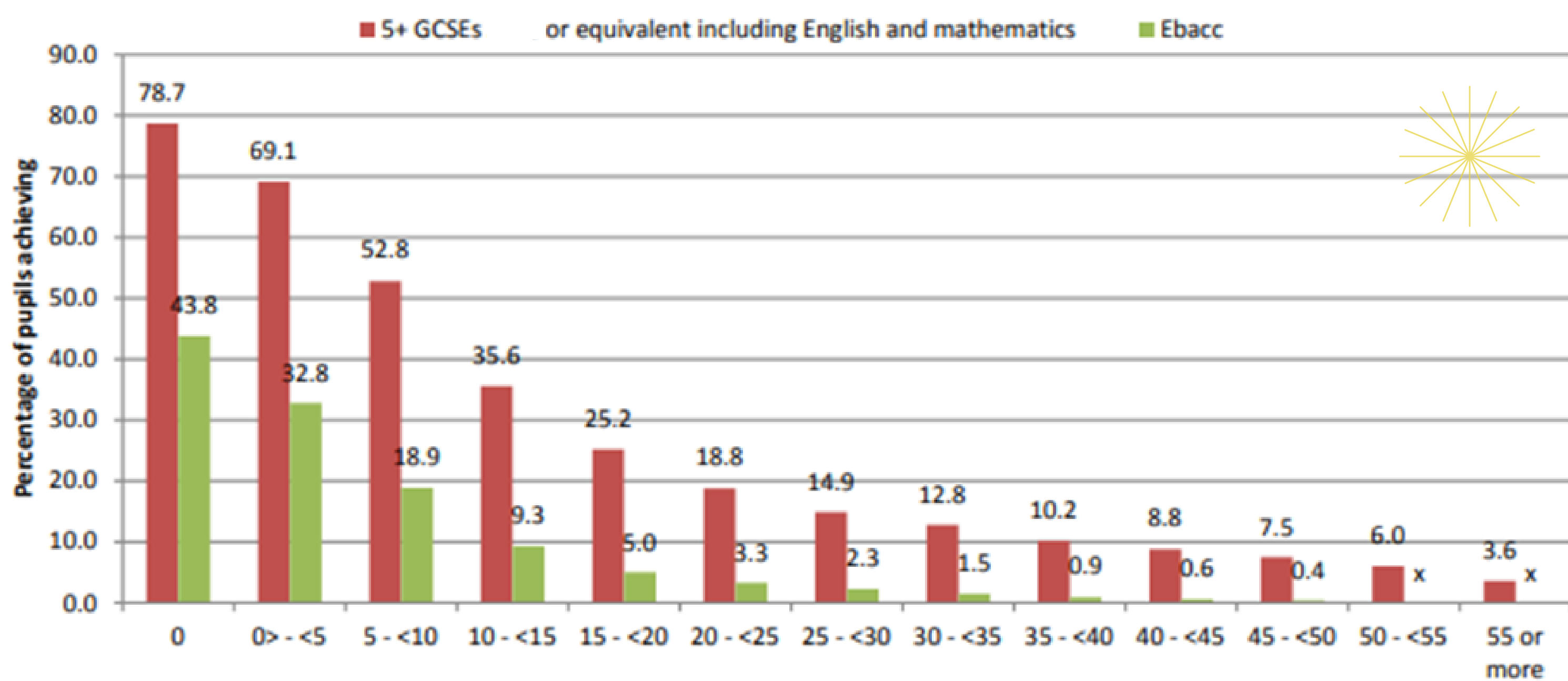
# Why Attendance Matters

We think you are brilliant and deserve to have a brilliant life. We believe you have the potential to achieve great things and we want you to do this. Our job is to ensure that you have every chance to achieve your potential. We know that you will maximise this possibility by attending school as much as possible.

You matter to us so your attendance matters to us.



The graph below shows the impact that great attendance can have on your GCSE performance. Achieving the best GCSEs that you can will open doors for you. We think this is too important to ignore.

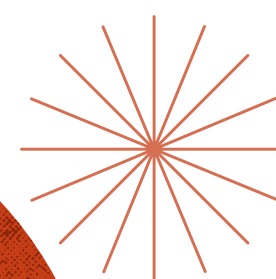
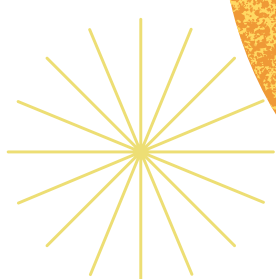


Overall absence rate across Key Stage 4

Pupils with no absence are 2.2 times more likely to achieve 5 GCSEs.

90% attendance for 1 school year = 4 weeks of lessons missed.

17 missed school days a year = 1 GCSE grade drop in achievement.



If you come to school you will learn more and be better able to achieve your full potential – which is brilliant!