



Attendance Matters ^{A+}



At Nunthorpe, we are going to celebrate and reward good attendance.

Here are a few reasons why...



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This is Callum.

He is in Y11 and has 90%
attendance

- Is that good?
- What does this mean?



Callum thinks this is pretty good, so do his parents
Are they right?

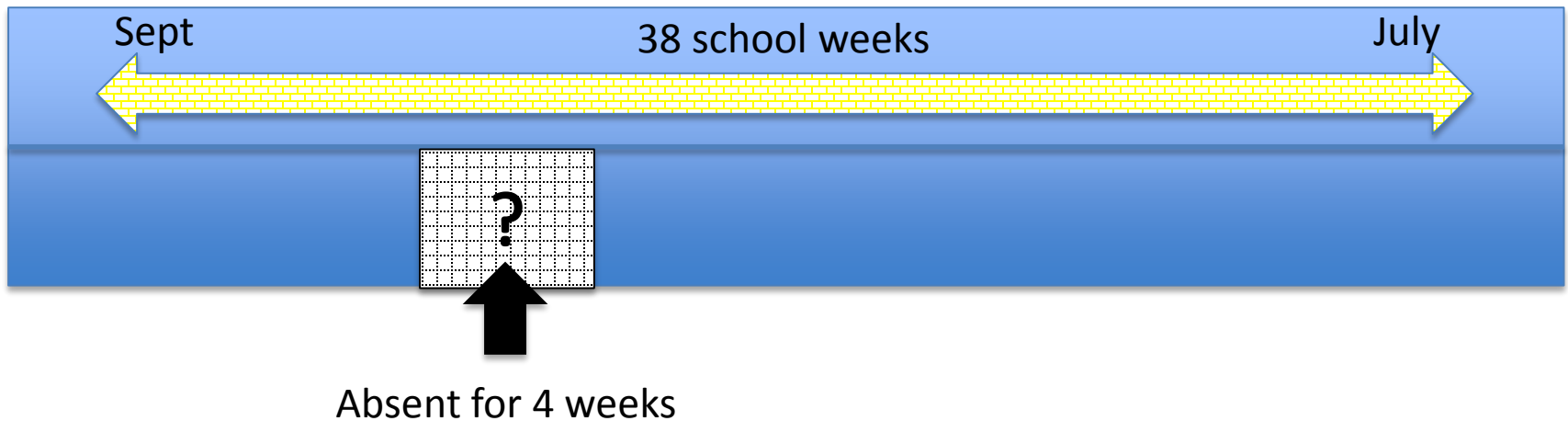


90% attendance = $\frac{1}{2}$ day missed every week!!

Would your boss like you to be off work this much? That's practically part time!

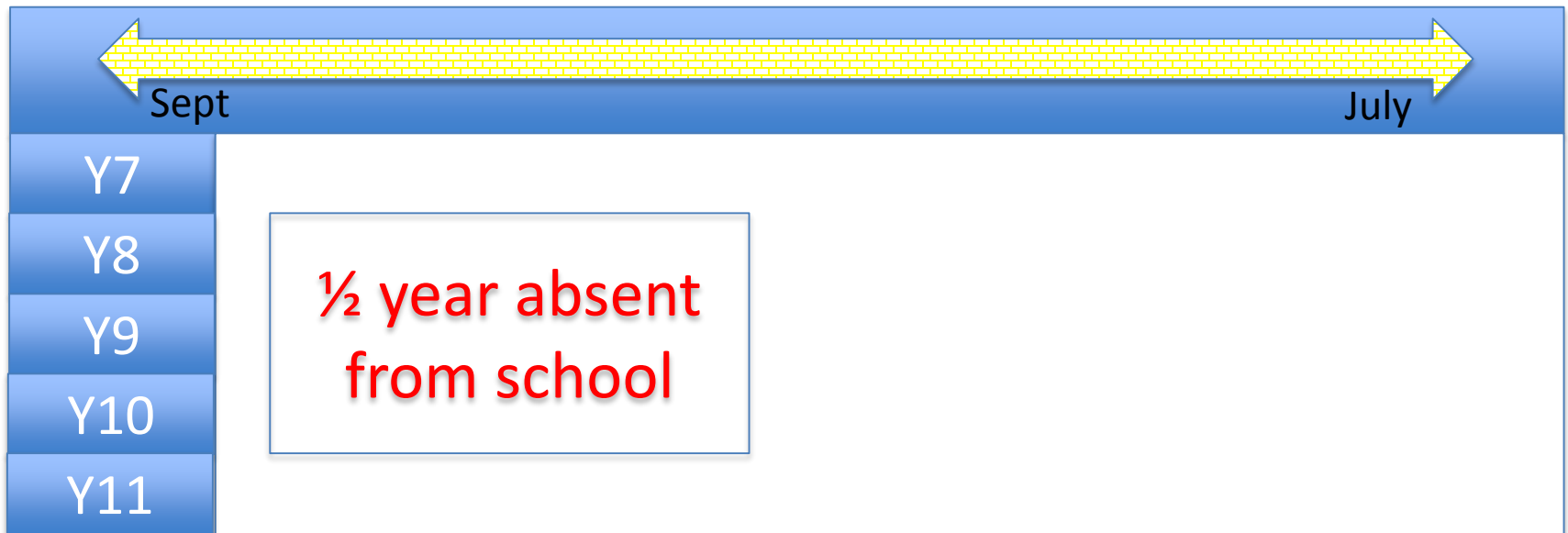
Lets look a little closer.....

1 school year at 90% attendance = 4
whole **WEEKS** of lessons **MISSED!!!!**




90% attendance over 5 years of secondary school.....

= ½ school year missed!



What impact might this have on
Callum's life?



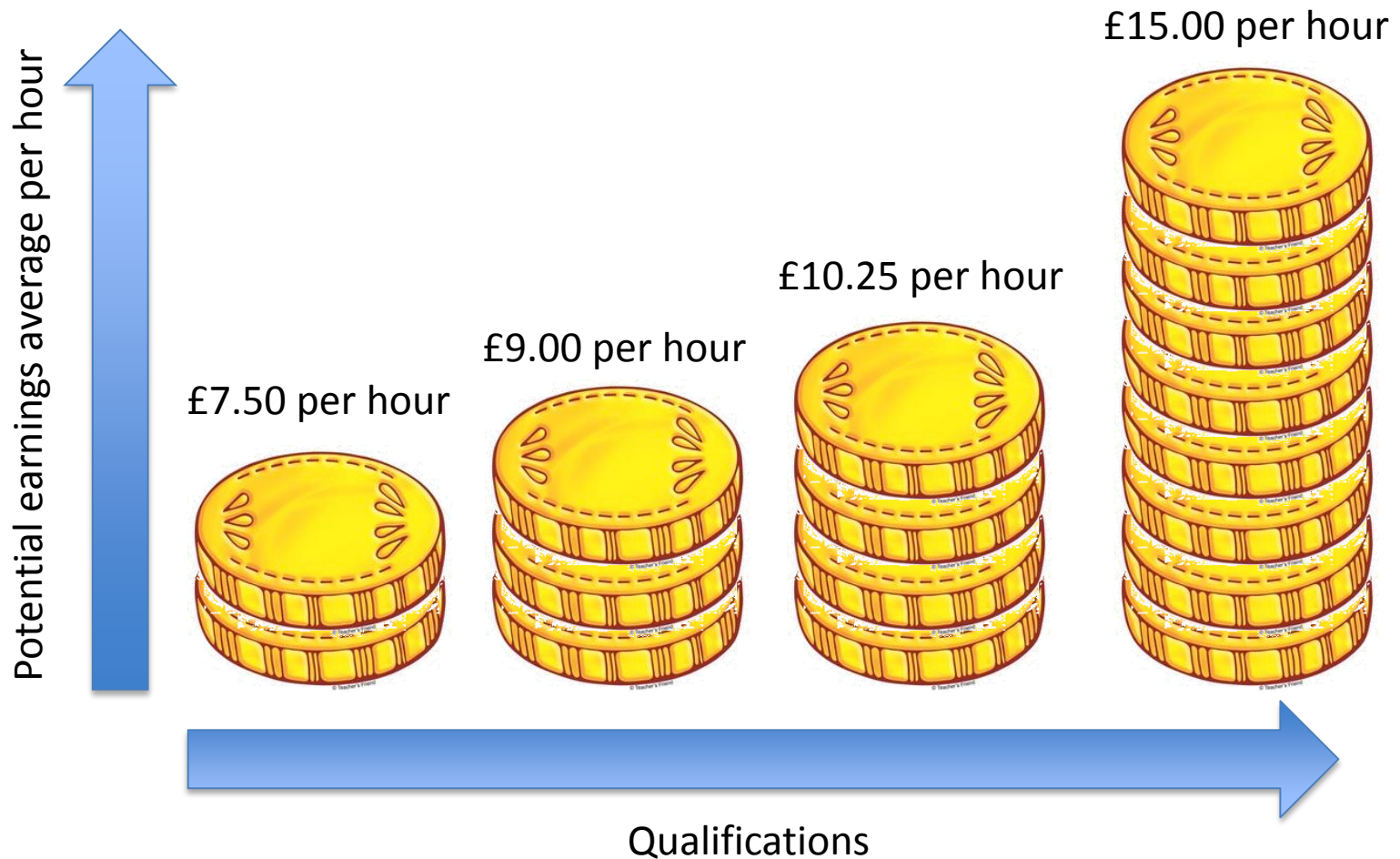
Research suggests that 17 missed
school days a year = GCSE grades drop
in achievement



The greater the attendance the
greater the achievement



What could Callums potential earnings look like?



What about your school
reference?

What do colleges or
employers want to read
about your attendance and
reliability?



Something to think about!

Days off school add up to lost learning

175 NON SCHOOL DAYS A YEAR					
175 days to spend on family time, visits, holidays, shopping, household jobs and other appointments					
190 SCHOOL DAYS IN EACH YEAR 190 days for your child's education	10 days absence 180 DAYS OF EDUCATION	19 days absence 171 DAYS OF EDUCATION	29 days absence A term missed 161 DAYS OF EDUCATION	38 days absence 152 DAYS OF EDUCATION	47 days absence 143 DAYS OF EDUCATION
100%	95%	90%	85%	80%	75%
Good Best chance of success. Gets your child off to a flying start		Worrying Less chance of success. Makes it harder to make progress		Serious Concern Not fair on your child. Court action!	

5 or more GCSE A* - C grades can increase wages by 41%

5 GCSEs at A* grade to C are worth (on average) an extra £200 a week to you when you start working = £800 a month = £9600 a year.
Something to think about.

Almost ALL pupils with good attendance go on to leave school with qualifications that support their future training and employment.

At Nunthorpe, if we can improve attendance by 1% we should see a 5% increase in achievement.



To sum up.....

Whether you've just started Year 7 or are merely a few months from leaving school the most important thing.....

is to turn up!



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