## **PA26 Individual**

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Children, Young People and Education

Committee

**Pupil absence** 

Evidence from Individual

Record your views against the inquiry's terms of reference, which have been grouped into 5 themes.

#### 1. Reasons

The children are finding it stressful and the teacher also putting a strain on pupil/teacher relationships which then results in the pupil refusing to go.

## 2. Risks and consequences

The risk is a child's education being ruined. Teachers need more training in managing behaviours and children with mental health issues.

# 3. Impact

The impact is detrimental to their education meaning something that is supposed to have been the best time of their lives is actually the most stressful

# 4. Effectiveness of policies

Parents are not educated enough on how important school attendance is. They also don't receive enough support when it comes to their child refusing to attend school their just left to it.

## 5. Other

N/A