



16 September 2021

Dear Parent/Carer,

RE: Parent Teacher Consultation Evenings

I am writing to provide you with details of our Parent Teacher Consultation Evenings this academic year. We are aware just how important it is to ensure high quality communication between school and home. We are confident that the time invested in these evenings ensures the best possible outcomes for your child during their time with us at the Academy.

Over the past 18 months we have begun using the School Cloud software to run our parents' evenings virtually. We know from the feedback that we have received that for some parents this works well, and for others you are looking forward to visiting us again at the Academy and meeting your child's teachers face to face. As we move forward and being to be able to offer in person meetings, we have taken a blended approach as detailed below.

Students in all year groups will have two parents' evenings a year, at times most relevant to their academic challenges and in line with their assessment programmes. The first parent/carers evening of the year will be held face to face and we will invite you into the Academy between 3:00pm-6:00pm. We believe that this is important in building our school community and an important way to have clear communication with your child's teacher. The second evening in the academic year will take place online.

We will utilise the School Cloud booking system for you to book appointments for both in person and virtual parents' evenings.

Please find below the dates allocated to your Parent Teacher Consultations this year.

Date	Year	Arrangements
20 October	Y7 Settling In	In school
10 November	Y11 PTC and Preparing for Exams	In school
17 November	Y10	In school
1 December	Y12 and Y13	In school
8 December	Y9 PTC	In school
26 January	Y8 PTC/Options	In school
16 February	Y7 PTC	Online – School Cloud
16 March	Y11 PTC	Online – School Cloud
30 March	Y12 and Y13	Online – School Cloud
25 May	Y10 PTC	Online – School Cloud
15 June	Y9 PTC	Online – School Cloud
6 July	Y8 PTC	Online – School Cloud

Yours sincerely

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