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# Year 10 Parent Engage Evening

Dear Parent / Carer

The Year 10 Parents' Engage Evening will be taking place on <u>Thursday 29<sup>TH</sup> June 2023</u> from **3.40 p.m. to 7.00 p.m**. On arrival to the sports hall, you will receive your child's teacher list and your evening will be spent discussing their progress in each subject.

Our parent engage evenings are very well attended and we have 240 pupils in the year group, we therefore we ask that parents arrive at staggered times. Parents should go straight to the sports hall and not to the main building.

#### Engage Evening Schedule – Minimising busy periods and ensuring health and safety

To ensure numbers are evenly spread, we have staggered parent arrival times and we ask that (where possible) you adhere to the session time below:

Form Groups	Parent Teacher Meetings (Sports Hall)
10C, 10F, 10J and 10K	Arrive from 3.40pm
10M, 10P, 10T and 10W	Arrive from 5.10pm

# The last time for signing in on the evening will be 6pm and parents should not join a subject queue after 6.40pm.

<u>I have informed staff that all parent meetings should be concluded by 7.00pm</u> so that we can vacate the sportshall so that it can be set up for the next day.

It is not guaranteed that parents will be able to see every subject teacher on the evening, as sometimes it can be difficult to get around all subject teachers. However, you **will** always be able to contact the school with any queries about subject teachers you were unable to visit during the engage evening in the weeks after and therefore you can be assured of all of the information you require about your child.

Please have particular patience with our core subject areas of English, Maths, Science and R.E as every pupil in KS4 takes these subjects and parents can sometimes prioritise these subject staff creating large queues. Good practice is to join the shorter queues where possible and go to the option subject queues until core subject queues reduce in length.

We appreciate your support in adhering to the guided times in the schedule above but we also understand the need to be flexible where parents face unavoidable constraints. Timings will be rotated for future engage evenings to ensure fairness. We have recently hosted the Year 7, 8 and 9 parent engage evenings using the same format, and we have been delighted to welcome over 90% of our parents on both evenings.

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We all very much look forward to seeing you at our Year 10 Engage Evening.

Should you have any queries regarding the Engage Evening, please contact Mrs Hoey via e-mail.

Yours sincerely,

Mr McGlinchey & Mrs Hoey

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