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Dear Parents / Carers

Year 8 Parents Evening – Thursday 4th November 2021

We would like to invite you to attend a parents' evening for Year 8 on Thursday 4th November 2021 at 3:30pm - 7:30pm. This is an extremely important opportunity for you to discuss your child's academic progress with each subject teacher.

Due to COVID restrictions, the school introduced an online booking system that is similar to Zoom and Google Meet (that the students have used for their lessons). It allows you to choose your own appointment times with teachers. Each appointment will last for 5 minutes and there will be a clock counting down the time that the parent and teacher will see. The appointment will end automatically when the time is up and prepare you for the next appointment. Obviously, if you are unable to make an appointment or you have any questions following your appointment you are welcome to contact the teachers directly.

The Parents Evening will be done via Edulink, our communication portal that most parents are familiar with. The [Parents Evening Guide](#) gives detailed instructions on how to use Edulink for Parents Evenings The bookings will be open from Thursday 21st October 2021 at 17:00 to Wednesday 3rd November at 13:00.

You need to have a log-in for Edulink to access the parents evening. If you have any problems, please contact lstewart@rodingvalley.net.

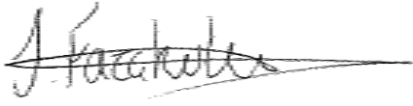
The parent's evening will focus on providing parents and students with a clear indication of what they need to do in the coming weeks, in order to support the best possible grade in each of their subjects.

To accommodate this, there will not be a Period 6 for year 8 on Thursday 4th November and hence school will end at 13:20pm for year 8 (the end of lesson 5). Students entitled to a meal will be able to get some food at this time and then leave the site. This will allow the teachers involved to prepare for the parent's evenings.

Please make every effort to attend this evening as it is a great opportunity to spend time with your child's teachers and have specific discussions on how to support your child. We expect the students to join you on the call as well, as it would be good for them to hear the advice given directly.



Yours faithfully



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Year 8 Progress Leader



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