



To: Parents/Carers of Year 12 students

22nd March 2017

Dear Parents/Carers

I am writing to you all to express my concern over the lack of parental involvement in some of the key evenings that I have run during this Academic Year. Back in September we held a Parent Partnership Evening and last week we held a Future Options Parents' Evening. Both events have had extremely poor attendance. The Parent Partnership evening provided an opportunity to meet me, to learn more about the life of our Sixth Form students, to see how we are moving the Sixth Form forward, to be advised of expectations of our students and information about opportunities that were in place for them. The Future Options Evening was a chance for parents and carers to learn about the vast amount of choices available to your son/daughter when they leave school and how you can support this process. This decision is of immense importance and parents/carers play such a key role in this.

A close working relationship between me as Head of Sixth Form, your sons and daughters as the young people concerned and you as parents/carers is vital for academic success and setting students in the best position possible for a bright future.

I do hope that we can build upon our relationship and that from now on parent/carer attendance at our key events begins to improve.

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any queries or concerns. You can reach me on the usual school number of HW 815211 or by email on elecount@swr.bucks.sch.uk.

I very much look forward to working with you more closely.

Yours sincerely

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