

10 February 2021

Dear Parent/Carer,

**Re: Year 8 Parents' Evening**

I would like to remind you that the **Year 8 Parents' Evening** will take place on **Wednesday 24 February 2021** from **3:30pm until 6:30pm**.

Please ensure that you have booked your virtual appointments by 8:00pm on **Tuesday 23 February 2021** by visiting <https://thecumberland.schoolcloud.co.uk/>. A short guide on how to add appointments is included with this letter [here](#); however, this short video <https://vimeo.com/473882995> also shows you how to log in to book, and later attend, video appointments for the parents' evening event. It is possible for you, as parents, who might not be in the same location for both of you to attend the event. Here is a video to show you how to do this <https://youtu.be/-nKiP4sPJR0>.

Should you wish to make any changes after this date or do not have access to the internet please contact the school office Jusnara Motin, at the school on 020 7474 0231.

As a school, we want your child to attain the very highest grades in their exams in summer 2024. It is vital that the evening is used as an opportunity to discuss, with your child's individual subject teachers, how they can close their learning gaps and improve on their current grades.

**Before your meeting with your child's teachers, I would like to request that you are logged into DPR as teachers will be referring to this when discussing your child's progress.**

All the information you require about the options process, including the options booklet, is on The Cumberland School website (see link below). Please also find a pdf copy of the options booklet attached to this parentmail and a hard copy will be sent to you, along with the personalised options form, via post. ([https://www.cumberlandcst.org/sites/default/files/documents/Students/learning-resources/Options\\_booklet\\_2021\\_22.pdf](https://www.cumberlandcst.org/sites/default/files/documents/Students/learning-resources/Options_booklet_2021_22.pdf)).

If you have any queries or concerns, prior to the evening, please do not hesitate to contact Mr Penn, Head of Learning by email [nicholas.penn@cumberlandcst.org](mailto:nicholas.penn@cumberlandcst.org) or via the school office 020 7474 0231.

I look forward to seeing you at the event.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'N Penn', written in a cursive style.

Mr Nicholas Penn  
Head of Learning, Year 8