

25 September 2019

Dear Parent/Guardian

### Year 10 Parents' Information Evening – Tuesday 8 October

We would like to invite you to the Year 10 Parent Information Evening taking place on Tuesday 8 October 2019. The evening will commence at 6:30pm in the Main School Hall for all parents and students on the M side of the year. Then we will repeat for all parents and students on the E side of the year at 7:30pm. Each session will be split into two parts:

- **Part 1: 10 - 15 minute presentation covering the following key areas:**
  - **Pastoral Team:** We will reiterate the expectations of Key Stage 4, ensure you have the latest information to enable clear channels of communication with the school and cover key safeguarding issues for this age group that we can work together on.
  - **Tracking and Progress:** Information will be provided on how we continue to track pupil progress in Key Stage 4, including revisiting the new style report, information on current vs predicted grades (and the additional you will now receive at the Data Collection Points) and the new GCSE (9-1) grading system.
  - **Careers:** Mr R Buck will discuss how we are considering career opportunities in Year 10.
  
- **Part 2: 15 - 20 minute presentation. Subject Specific and Revision**
  - **Supporting your child in Maths:** A session to explain how best to support your child in the new GCSE and some hints and tips of where else to get support.
  - **Supporting your child in English:** A session to explain how best to support your child in the new GCSE and some hints and tips of where else to get support.
  - **Supporting your child in Science:** A session to explain how best to support your child in the new GCSE and some hints and tips of where else to get support.
  - **Supporting our children:** A guide for parents from Mrs Nimmo on how best to support at home.
  - **Religion and Philosophy:** Miss S Jones will explain (with it being the first exam for most) how this works and the support available.

We are running this year differently due to parental feedback and what you have requested you would like to know about previously, if you are unable to join us then the presentations will be uploaded to the website after the event. If you have any further questions then please contact me at [no@maidenerleghschool.co.uk](mailto:no@maidenerleghschool.co.uk) or via the main school switchboard.

We look forward to sharing this important information with you.

Yours sincerely



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