

11 September 2023

Dear Parent/Carer

I am writing to invite you to a **GCSE information evening at 5.30pm on Thursday, 28 September 2023** in the main hall of the school. Now that your child's GCSE studies are well under way this will be an opportunity to find out about the rhythms of Year 10 and Year 11 and what is expected of the pupils. You will be aware, no doubt, that the Government has changed the way that Key Stage 4 is structured so that, for instance, there has been a greater emphasis on final assessment rather than modular exams and re-sits. The introduction of the Grade 1 – 9 scale, rather than A* - G, will also be explained. As such, this evening should prove useful even for those parents who may have had older children through the school.

The evening will take the form of a presentation about the nature of GCSE and how to help your child to succeed.

Please can you confirm if you are able to attend by completing the GoogleDoc linked below:

<https://forms.gle/pWppqwLizbF8edQm8>

I look forward to seeing you on the evening.

Yours faithfully



Mr W Wharton
Deputy Head (Curriculum)