January 2021



Dear Parent/Carer

Year 7 Meet The Tutor (Settling in Evening) - Thursday 14 January 2021

We are writing to inform you that the postponed Year 7 Settling in Evening will now be held as a Meet the Tutor Evening on Thursday 14 January from 15:45 to 18:30. This event will provide you with the opportunity to discuss how your child has settled in at Holderness Academy, with their Form Tutor. In particular, you will be able to discuss what your child needs to do to continue to improve and what strategies might be put in place, both at school and at home, in order to ensure your child achieves their maximum potential as they move through the Academy.

Due to the current restrictions the event this year will be held on-line via the School Cloud Parents' Evening system. Prior to the event, a guide detailing how to access this system will be sent out. Once connected to the appointment a 5 minute timer will advise you of how long you have left on the call and will disconnect you automatically to allow the teacher to move onto their next call.

We operate an online system for making appointments for parents/carers. The length of an individual appointment is 5 minutes and appointments will be reserved on a first come first served basis. The online booking system will allow appointment bookings from 15:00 on Wednesday 6 January. To book appointments please access our Holderness Academy & Sixth Form College online Parents' Evening System via the following link https://holdernessacademy.parentseveningsystem.co.uk

Please ensure that you attempt to log into the system before the go live date for bookings, ensuring that you are able to do so successfully. Should you experience difficulties accessing the online system, please contact ITSupport@holderness.academy for assistance. Please remember to include your full name, child's name and their Tutor's name.

Year 7 Reports will be issued on Wednesday 6 January 2021 and you will have the opportunity to talk to your child's subject teachers at the Year 7 Parents' Evening on Thursday 29 April 2021.

We hope that you will find this online meeting both useful and informative. We would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your valued support during the initial term. In the meantime, please do not hesitate to contact Mrs Day, Year 7 Pastoral Manager at daya@holderness.academy if you would like to discuss any of these arrangements.

Yours sincerely

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Year 7 Pastoral Manager

Mr D Beecroft **Year 7 Progress Leader**

Mr T Harris

Director of Lower School

