4 February 2021



Dear Parent/Carer,

Virtual Year 12/13 Parents' Evening - Thursday 11 February 2021

The Year 12/13 Parents' Evening will be held on Thursday 11 February from 3.45pm to 6.45pm. This event will provide you with the opportunity to review your child's current progress with individual subject teachers and to discuss with them strategies to maximise future achievement and success.

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 with each member of staff and will disconnect you automatically to allow the teacher to move onto their next appointment.

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 9:30am on Friday 5 February until 3pm on Wednesday 10 February. To book appointments please access our Holderness Academy & Sixth Form College online Parents' Evening System via the following link <a href="https://holdernessacademy.parentseveningsystem.co.uk">https://holdernessacademy.parentseveningsystem.co.uk</a>

We do ask that you attempt to log into the online system before it opens for bookings, ensuring that you are able to do so successfully. Should you experience difficulties accessing the online system, please contact <a href="mailto:ITSupport@holderness.academy">ITSupport@holderness.academy</a> for assistance. Please remember to include your full name, child's name and their tutor's name.

In addition, the evening sees the opportunity to gain advice and support from the University of Hull regarding applications to university. The University have kindly agreed to provide advice and guidance for parents/carers; this includes general questions about university and all matters around finance and funding. Please select Dawn Walker as the 'teacher', Year 13. This will provide a 10-minute appointment slot to discuss any questions you might have.

We hope that you will find this online event both useful and informative. We would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your valued support during a very challenging term. In the meantime, please do not hesitate to contact Mrs Owst, KS5 Academic and Pastoral Support Manager via email at <a href="mailto:sixthform@holderness.academy">sixthform@holderness.academy</a> if you would like to discuss any of these arrangements.

Yours faithfully,

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Director of KS5

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