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Academic Review Day, Thursday 15th February

Dear Parent/ Carer,

I hope this letter finds you well. I am writing to inform you about our plans for parental feedback this year. The aim of our Academic Review is to discuss academic potential and engagement across all subject areas, and across the wider school. During the meeting, your child will reflect on their own progress this year. The development of self-evaluation skills impacts greatly on a young person's ability to manage their learning effectively and is a skill that we believe is essential to develop in our students.

The feedback session will take the form of a 15-minute meeting between the Form Tutor, yourself and your child, during which your child will complete a 5-minute presentation focused on their academic progress. This will be followed by 5-minutes of staff feedback delivered by Form Tutors, the person best placed to provide an overview of the school life of an individual student. Finally, there will be a discussion within which developmental targets for each subject will be relayed.

In the weeks prior to the day, your child will spend time in tutorials producing a self-reflection, which will be presented to you on the day. At the appointment, you will also be provided with a snapshot report and subject specific targets, which will allow you to support your child's progress. If you wish to speak to a subject teacher regarding a specific issue, a request for contact can be made at the Review Appointment. Appointments will take place between 8am and 6pm and will be organised by students and their Form Tutor.

The Academic Review Day will take place on Thursday 15th February 2024. In a change to previous years, all Academic Review appointments will happen on the same day, in tutor rooms. **Students will not be required to attend school on that day, other than for the appointment.** Independent work will be supplied by the subjects your child attends during that day to support continued learning.

We are excited about the upcoming Academic Review Day and look forward to welcoming you on that day. We hope you have a restful holiday.

Yours sincerely

William Wood
Assistant headteacher