

4 April 2025

Dear families,

Parents' Consultations - Wednesday 7 May 2025

We would like to invite you to our Parents' Consultation event on **Wednesday 7 May** between 3:15 – 6:30pm. Appointments to see your child's class teacher will be available face to face at the main school site.

The purpose of this consultation is to:

- discuss how your child is progressing towards their accreditations/holistic targets
- discuss any additional support or curriculum adaptations your child receives to ensure they are making the expected progress.
- discuss how you could support your child's progress and achievement.
- discuss any attendance issues
- discuss your child's engagement in learning
- showcase your child's work and some of the activities they have been involved in.

This year, for your convenience we will be combining the event with 'Brighter Futures'. This has been designed to provide pupils and families with an opportunity to talk to key colleges, day services and other professional organisations who may play a significant part in the next steps of our young people in their lives after Ravenshall. This opportunity is particularly relevant to families of pupils in years 9 - 14. You are invited to attend if your child is approaching a transition phase and hope it will provide you with some insightful information prior to your child leaving school.

Please follow the link to indicate your time slot preference to meet with your child's class teacher https://forms.office.com/e/bcGNwRqvRX. Following this, a 15-minute appointment time will be allocated to you closer to the day. This will be done on a first come first served basis so please do not delay in making your request.

We can accommodate early appointments by keeping pupils in school until the 3:30pm appointment slot but pupils are expected to return home by their usual transport arrangement at 3:00pm for any confirmed appointment times later than 3.30pm. Please indicate on the form your request for your child to remain in school.

Additionally, during the event we will be hosting a number of workshops and presentations. The tables below show the available workshops/presentations, the venues and timings.

Department for Work and Pensions			
Lead Staff	Venue	Time	
Sara Waite	Dining Room	16:00 - 16:30	
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The Annual Review Process			
Lead Staff	Venue	Time	
Charlotte Maclean	The Zone	15:30 - 16:00	
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Transition and Curriculum Pathway Information			
Lead Staff	Venue	Time	
Phase Leaders	The Tate Room	15:30 - 16:00	
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'Ravens Boutique' our fantastic charity shop and 'Treats to Eat' our pop-up café, will both be open during the event so please take a look at the bargains on offer, and enjoy some refreshment. The proceeds of both ventures will go to school funds.

We value and appreciate your continued support in ensuring that your child enjoys coming to school and continues to make good progress. This opportunity is different to the annual review so please make every effort to attend, even if your review has recently happened or is happening soon. We hope that you can support both your child and the school by taking the opportunity to speak to the staff who know your child best here.

We look forward to seeing you.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

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