



25 February 2026

Dear Parent/Carer

## Y9 Parents' & Options Evening - Wednesday 4 March 2026 - 4.00pm - 6.30pm

I would like to invite you to attend our Parents' and Options Evening on Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> March 2026. This evening is an important opportunity for you to discuss your child's performance in the recent Progress Assessments, progress in their lessons and also to find out more about the subjects that your child may be interested in taking at GCSE.

Teachers who currently teach Year 9 will be available for appointments to discuss progress and GCSE options. Additional staff who teach option subjects for Year 10 are available for you to speak with should you require a little more information about the subject your child might be interested in taking at GCSE. As many of these staff do not teach students in Year 9, appointments with them will be on a drop in basis only.

Mrs Collin will be available to discuss any SEND issues. In addition, key staff from the Options Team will be available throughout the evening to support you and to answer any questions you may have.

All appointments for the parents evening will be face to face and **must be booked in advance using the online School Cloud system**. School Cloud will allow you to choose your own appointment time with your child's teachers. You will receive an email confirming your appointments once booked. Once you have followed the guides below and logged in, the appointment booking times will appear. All appointments will be on a first come, first served basis and will last approx 5 minutes. Appointments are scheduled to open from 4.00pm on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> February and will close at 12.00pm on Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> March.

Follow this link to take you to a step by step guide for booking appointments online: [Parents' Guide for Booking Appointments](#)

Once you have read through the how to guide above, you will need to use this link to begin your login and start booking your appointments: <https://dukes.schoolcloud.co.uk>

We have the Be You team attending the evening. They will be available to chat to parents and carers about what support is available regarding young people's mental health. Light refreshments will be available for anyone attending along with a pre loved uniform stall.

If you do not have access to the internet or you are unable to access the booking system and resources, please contact the school admin office.

Yours sincerely

Ben Line  
Deputy Principal

