

Oakbank School



Dear Parents/Guardians,

It was wonderful to welcome your children back to school last week and we are delighted that the term has started really positively.

I would also like to thank you for your support ensuring our students are excellent ambassadors for the school in regard to their school uniform and high standards of behaviour. We value the help you give in ensuring your child attends school on time every day, arriving with all the necessary books and equipment for the day ahead. These small things along with your unrelenting encouragement and guidance are key to every student reaching their potential.

I would like to invite you to our Year 8 Information Evening which will be held on Thursday 1st October at 6pm-7.30pm. This event will take place online with presentations from the Head Teacher, Senior Leadership and Head of Year.

The event will take place on Zoom. Meeting ID: 857 9971 3008
The password is: **Oakbnk2020 (Please note the missing a!)**

IMPORTANT: In order to ensure we are able to remotely direct all parents to the correct Breakout session all parents must log in with their name and their child's tutor group in brackets afterwards e.g. Barry Smith (10THY)

This online event will provide key Teaching and Learning information for how you can continue to support us with your son/daughter's education as well as provide key dates for the year ahead and help make you aware of any important curriculum and assessment changes. Presentations will be made by Oakbank's Senior Leadership Team and your son/daughters Head of Year.

Your attendance at these meetings signals to your child that we, the school and parents, are working as a team with the same end goal. The evening will also be a chance for you to meet your son/daughter's form tutors in dedicated Breakout sessions where tutors will be able to answer any questions you may have and you will be able to hear about the opportunities available to them during the academic year.

Please do not hesitate to contact your child's form tutor, or myself, should you have any questions regarding the start of the term and I look forward to working with you to support your son/daughter's progress this academic year.

Yours sincerely

Mr J Burrows

Head of Year 8