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Dear Parents / Carers

Year 11 Parents and Carers Evening: Thursday 26 February 2026

On **Thursday 26 February**, we will be holding the final Parents and Carers Evening for our Year 11 students ahead of their GCSE examinations, which begin in just over 12 school weeks. This important evening provides a valuable opportunity to reflect on students' progress at this crucial stage of their education.

During the evening, you will have the chance to meet briefly with your child's subject teachers to discuss their current performance, identify areas for improvement, and gain guidance on how best to support their preparation and revision for the upcoming exams. As with all our Parents and Carers Evenings, appointments will take place via video call and must be booked online in advance.

The online booking system will open at **6.00pm on Thursday 19 February** and close at **4.00pm on Wednesday 25 February**. Once the booking system opens you can log in here <https://backwell.schoolcloud.co.uk/> and choose your appointment times with teachers. Once finished, you will receive an email confirmation.

Teachers will be available between 4.00 pm and 6.45 pm and each appointment will last 5 minutes.

Full details on how to attend your appointment are given on the attached instructions. They can also be found on our website here: [Guide To Online Booking](#) and [Video Appointments Information](#).

One key thing to be aware of is that it is **essential to be on time** for your appointment as the appointment will start at the time booked. If you are late, or leave and re-join the call, **it does not reset the timer**. The appointment will always end at the scheduled time and the teacher is not able to override the system.

To attend our virtual parents' evening, you will need to have as a minimum:

- A device with a microphone and speaker/headphones
- A compatible up-to-date web browser:
 - ✓ iPhone/iPad: Safari, Chrome
 - ✓ Android: Chrome, Firefox or the Samsung browser.
 - ✓ Windows: Chrome, Firefox or Microsoft Edge (Chromium)
 - ✓ Mac: Safari, Chrome or Firefox
 - ✓ Linux: Chrome or Firefox

We look forward to seeing you on **Thursday 26 February**.

Mr W Penny
Headteacher