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Dear Parents and Carers,

On the 1st July we will be hosting our year 8 parents' evening. Due to the COVID restrictions, this will be a virtual parents' evening. Traditionally, parents' evenings are held after school hours from 4pm – 6pm with pupils making appointments with their teachers for face to face meetings.

This usually provides staff and parents flexibility to squeeze in extra appointments if required. With the online booking system, this will not be possible and a two-hour online appointment system would not provide enough time for some staff to see all of the parents of students they teach.

As a consequence, on Thursday 1st July, school will be finishing at an earlier time of 2pm for all pupils to enable our virtual parents' evening to begin at an earlier time of 3pm. The scholars buses will be at school for 2pm for students. Any pupil unable to go home at 2pm will be able to stay in school doing supervised study in their bubble area until 3pm. There will be a second scholars bus at 3pm for these students if required.

If your child is needing to stay in school until 3pm, can you please email your child's Head of House.

Yours sincerely

Mr P Mitchell
Headteacher

Parents/Carers: Stay Alert. Keep your child at home if they have Covid-19 symptoms. Stay Safe.