



Virtual Year 9 Parents' Evening - Thursday 20th March 2025

Dear Parents/Carers,

We would like to invite you to attend our Virtual Year 9 Parents' Evening on Thursday 20th March 2025, from 15:00 - 18:30, where you will be able to discuss your child's progress, with a range of subject teachers. Please note that some appointments will be available to book outside of these times, due to the need for flexibility for some teachers.

Appointments will be held online and last five minutes each. Once booked, you will receive an email confirming your appointments. We aim to ensure that all parents/carers have an opportunity to book an appointment for core subjects: English, Maths and Science. Please note there will be a limit of **8 appointments per student** between both parents/carers not each, which includes the core subjects. Should your appointments exceed this quota they will be adjusted to 8.

We give teachers the option of requesting a meeting with certain students' parents/carers, if they think this will be particularly beneficial, these appointments will be automatically generated, and you will receive confirmation of the appointment. If you then wish to change the reserved appointment time, you will be able to do this when the system goes live.

We would like to reassure you that if teachers had any concerns, they would be proactive about contacting you, rather than waiting until Parents' Evening. There is lots of information on our new website about [our curriculum](#), so you can better understand what your child has been learning this year, and how knowledge is built throughout the key stage.

Please note the following if relevant for your child. To create more capacity:

- For **Science**, staff will be taking specific classes to discuss either one, two or all three subjects, when you go online to book you will be able to see the teacher allocation for your child. This will enable us to ensure every parent/carer can book an appointment with a minimum of one teacher.
- **English and Maths appointments: Unfortunately, Mr Rehman (Maths) and Miss Reeves (English) will be unavailable for the evening.** We will be able to offer virtual appointments after Easter for you to discuss your child's progress. We will email you details and the booking information nearer the time.
- If you are considering **Textiles** as one of your Options, please select **Art** on the subjects' page and make an appointment with your Art Teacher, not your Technology Teacher as Textiles is offered under the Art & Design specification.
- **Technology:** If you are considering **Graphics or Food** as one of your Options, you will be able to select Graphics or Food on the subjects' page, even if you do not have that technology class at present.
- **Geography:** If you are interested in taking Geography as an option but are unable to book an appointment, please add yourself to the waiting list and we will contact you with further information.
- For other subjects, please be aware several teachers teach more than one class, we ask you therefore to only book an appointment if you have a concern. **Please prioritise your option subjects where possible.**

How to book your appointments:

The booking system will **open on Thursday 6th March 2025 from 19:00 and will close on Tuesday 11th March 2025 at 23:55**. To book your appointments, go to: <https://beaconsfieldhigh.schoolcloud.co.uk/>. You will need to log in with your details and your child's details. A short guide on how to add appointments is attached if you have any problems booking your appointments after the system has opened, please email Mrs Neale at parentsevening@beaconsfieldhigh.school.

Please keep your login details safe for future use, as you will require them each time you use the booking system.

Yours faithfully,

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