

13th September 2023

Dear Parents and Carers

Year 8 Learning Pathways Evening on Thursday 21st September

We are writing to inform you of our upcoming Learning Pathways evening for parents and carers of Year 8 students on Thursday 21st September 2023. The purpose of this event is to give parents and carers and students important information regarding the next academic year at Watling Academy.

There will be three presentations during the evening to allow all parents and carers the opportunity to attend this event. To ensure this is possible we need to request that no more than a total of three family members (including your child) attend the presentation. The presentation timings are outlined below:

- Presentation 1 - 5:15pm - 5:45pm
- Presentation 2 - 6:00pm - 6:30pm
- Presentation 3 - 6:45pm - 7:15pm

To book your place please go to ParentMail, Payments, Shop and select the presentation you want to attend and the number of attendees. There is no charge for this event.

This presentation will be delivered by Mrs Dixon (Head of Year - 8K), Miss Bell (Head of Year – 8M), Mrs Bennett (Assistant Headteacher) and Mr Brown (Assistant Headteacher) It will be focussed on the following aspects of life at Watling Academy:

- Information regarding the organisation of the school day
- The curriculum for the next academic year
- Student groupings
- Homework

Continued overleaf.

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- Reading
- Student progress and reporting
- School communication
- Our expectations
- Form Time
- Opportunities for students – Extracurricular and student leadership
- Key dates for the year and contact information

Should you have any questions regarding this event, please contact admin@watling.academy and we will endeavour to answer these at our earliest opportunity.

We look forward to seeing you all at this event.

Kind regards

Mrs Bennett

Mrs Bennett
Assistant Headteacher – [SLT link for 8K](#)

Mr Brown

Mr Brown
Assistant Headteacher – [SLT link for 8M](#)