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Dear Parents and Carers

RE: Virtual Year 11 Parents' Evening – Thursday 21st January

Firstly, I hope this finds you and your families well in what continue to be challenging circumstances. We are incredibly proud of the way Year 11 pupils have engaged with their online learning. Most are keen to make sure that they do not fall behind.

Due to the ongoing Covid-19 pandemic, our Year 11 Parents' Evening is going to happen virtually. We will meet with parents and pupils via a video call appointment system on **Thursday 21st January** between 4pm and 6pm. A report with predicted grades will be sent to you via School Comms and to pupils via their school email account prior to the evening. Please note that the predicted grades were made by teachers before schools were closed again and are based on performance in the December trial exams and throughout the Autumn term. This means that the prediction is subject to change and is not necessarily the grade which will be predicted by staff at the end of Year 11.

It is now only a few short months before our Year 11 pupils come to the end of their time at De Warenne. As such, this is an invaluable opportunity to discuss your child's progress with their subject teachers. Your attendance plays a vital role in supporting the success of your child in the most important year of their school career. Please make the most of this opportunity to meet staff and discuss how we can work together to ensure they achieve the best possible results this summer.

Each appointment lasts for up to 5 minutes, please be aware that **the software automatically starts and then ends the call after this time has elapsed**. For more information on how to attend video appointments, [please click here](#).

Please book your appointments online via the link below or by clicking the below icon which can also be found on the homepage of the school website.

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Finally, this will be a learning curve for all of us: teachers, admin staff, parents and pupils. I would like to thank you in advance for your patience and understanding of any issues that may arise. I'm sure that you will agree, against the odds, it is fantastic to be able to facilitate a high-quality conversation with teaching staff about your child's progress in such an important year.

Yours sincerely,
Mr J Mehat
Assistant Principal