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Dear Parent/Carer

Year 7 and 8 Key to Success Evening – Thursday 5 October 2023

We would like to invite you to our annual 'Key to Success Evening' on Thursday 5 October at 5pm and 6pm.

This event is designed to empower you with additional tools to help your child to reach their potential and 'Be the Best they can Be'. The evening will include a talk in the main hall about research that supports the best ways to support your child through their teenage years, along with key information about engaging with homework, how to use Need to Knows (knowledge organisers) and guidance on assessment and reports.

The talk in the main hall will be followed by three short workshops led by the Head of Maths, Head of English and Head of Science. We will also be giving out access to free online resources that will support you in helping your child on their five-year journey with us.

Your attendance at this event will be key to supporting our vision for your child's education. Evidence suggests that parent/carer engagement in a child's education can add three to four months extra progress to a child's grades. There is no doubt that by attending this evening you will be able to enhance your child's educational experience and their future achievements.

There will be two sittings for the talk and workshops, so please go onto ParentPay to select your preferred time. There is limited capacity so please get in early to avoid disappointment. The deadline for booking is Wednesday 4 October.

5:00pm – 6:00pm

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Our aim is to improve your child's life chances through education and hope that together we can raise their ambitions and outcomes. We look forward to seeing you at the event.

Yours faithfully

Mrs Kate Jackman
Deputy Headteacher & SENDCO