

28<sup>th</sup> April 2025

Dear Parent/Carer

**Year 10 Parent/Carer Evening Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> May 2025**

Rockwood Academy would like to invite you to the **Year 10 Parent/Carers Evening on Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> May 2025 from 4.00pm to 6.30pm.**

This is a **critical time** for your child as they are now approaching their final year in Secondary school. Therefore, **your attendance on this evening is crucial.** You will have the opportunity to meet with your child's teachers and discuss your **child's progress and mock timetable**, their preparation for GCSE exams, as well as their attitude to learning. Subject teachers will be on hand to provide advice and guidance as well as how to best support your child to get their target grades. Refreshments will be provided.

We expect **all parents/carers to attend this evening with their child.**

In addition, to ensure your child is in the best possible position to achieve excellence in their studies, your child should aim for attendance as close to 100% as possible. Research has shown that poor attendance can significantly impact on a student's academic outcomes and 'Persistent Absentees' with attendance less than 90%, are at serious risk of failing to achieve their full potential. However, it is not too late to turn this around by attending school regularly between now and the end of the academic year. The target attendance for a Year 10 student is 96%.

We look forward to seeing you on **Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> May 2025.**

Yours faithfully

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Ms Ghafoor  
**Head of Year 10**