

30th January 2020

Dear Parent/Carer,

Year 7 Parents Evening Tuesday 25th February 2020
haggerston.parentseveningsystem.co.uk

I am writing to inform you about the forthcoming Year 7 Parents' Evening. The details surrounding this are as follows:

- **Tuesday 25th February 2020**
- **From 5pm to 7.00pm**
- **Entrance through Reception**
- **Students should be in full school uniform**

This will be students' first Parents' Evening following their start to Haggerston so attendance is critical to ensure that you are informed about how they are progressing in their learning and what work needs to be done to help them through to their next set of exams. It is also an opportunity for parents to ask questions, get to know key staff involved with your child and understand further how to support learning at home. Parents will also receive their child's assessment report (DPR) on the evening so you will be able to discuss the following with their subject teachers:

- your child's current progress in each subject;
- the quality of your child's work in lessons and for homework;
- the calendar for the academic year, including assessment information;
- the curriculum being taught;
- how they can be supported in their studies

We are using an online booking system to enable you to book specific times for the key core subjects such as English, Maths and Science. It is important to book early to ensure you secure an appointment. Other subject areas will be on a first come basis and no appointments will need to be set online. Whilst this system won't completely prevent queuing and waiting time, it should help to structure some appointments so that you can plan your evening and meet as many of your child's teachers as possible. Learning conversations with staff last approximately 5 minutes. It is a very busy evening with many teachers having multiple groups, as a result you may not be able to meet every teacher so you might want to prioritise areas which are most important to you and your child or where you have concerns about progress. Please see DPR guidance to support this.

To register to attend, please go to: **<https://haggerston.parentseveningsystem.co.uk>** and complete the details requested to generate your login information and book your appointments. Once completed, you will be directed to a page where you can book your appointment times. If you have any problems with the booking system, please contact the school Data Team via email on student.dataservices@haggerston.hackney.sch.uk. We would be grateful if all bookings could be finalised by Wednesday 12th February.

Thank you for your on-going support and we look forward to seeing you on Tuesday 25th February 2020.

Yours sincerely,

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Accessing DPR Reporting System

In previous communications you should have received your child's DPR code for access to their Autumn data. DPR stands for Dynamic Progress Report and is the new way progress and attainment is evidenced at Haggerston School. Please go to the website www.dpr.education and enter the code you have previously received. On entering the details you will have access to a report for each of your child's subjects. If you do not have your DPR login code please email student.dataservices@haggerston.hackney.sch.uk and we shall endeavour to get a replacement to you as soon as possible.

There is a national expectation that your child makes good progress between Year 7 and Year 11. Based on their KS2 results, students will be placed on Pathway A, B, C or D. These pathways provide clear learning routes from Year 7 to Year 11 - the table below demonstrates what this means:

Students' starting points at KS2, upon entry to Haggerston	Allocated pathway(s) for the students	Expected Year 11 GCSE grades linked to the pathway(s)	Old grade comparator (guidance only)
Progress significantly above the expected level of attainment at KS2	A	7,8,9	A to A*
Progress the same as the expected level of attainment at KS2	B	6	B
Progress slightly below the expected level of attainment at KS2	C	5	C+
Progress below the expected level of attainment at KS2	D	3/4	D-C-

Our Judgment Coding: Each pathway identifies clear learning objectives by each year and for each subject. Students must demonstrate secured understanding in these key-learning objectives in order to be on track to achieve their target grade. We judge against each learning objective like this:

E	EMERGING: Student has no or little understanding of the objective covered.
D	DEVELOPING: Student has some understanding of the objective and requires support.
C	CONSOLIDATING: Student has a good understanding of the objective and can produce work independently, but may need more practice to show secure understanding.
S	SECURED: Student has a secure understanding of the objectives and they are able to demonstrate this independently in an assessment.
N	Not Covered