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Dear Parent/Carer

Year 10 Parent/Carer Evening – Thursday 22nd April 4-7pm Online Appointment Booking

I would like to invite you to attend our Parent/Carer evening on Thursday 22nd April. Due to the current restrictions in place, we have decided to move to an online Parent/Carer evening platform, School Cloud, to ensure these important evenings can continue to take place virtually this year.

The Academy has introduced a new initiative with an easy-to-use online appointment booking and live video meeting system. This system allows you to choose your own appointment times with teachers and you will receive an email confirming your appointments schedule, and the details of how to join your meetings on the evening.

To access School Cloud, you will need to visit chathamgrammar.schoolcloud.co.uk to complete the 'your details' and 'student details' sections. The School Cloud system is accessible on any internet enabled electronic device, including mobile phones. Once completed, this will authenticate your account via the academy system for access.

Please be aware that when logging in to School Cloud, your details must match the Academy's details, including your name. Please do not use shortened versions of names as the system will not allow you access with details that do not match our system records. Also, if you have more than one child at the academy, you will need to create a separate account for each child.

Appointments can be made from Monday 5th April and will close on Monday 19th April at 17:00. A short guide on how to add appointments is included with this letter or alternatively please use the link below to access a short guide to support you:
<https://vimeo.com/473882995>.

All appointments are on a first come, first served basis and each appointment slot will be 5 minutes. This is in line with our usual Parent/Carer evening set up. We also ask that cameras and microphones are checked prior to appointments and switched on, during appointments.

We have introduced School Cloud to ensure we can continue to communicate and support our students and their families. However, please note that this is a new platform for the Academy and as we endeavour to make the Parents/Carer evening on the platform a success, we kindly ask that you bear with us should we encounter any difficulties on the day of the Parent/Carer evening. We will be working to ensure that any issues are rectified in the best possible way.

During half term, if you would like any support accessing and booking appointments or wish to provide us with feedback of your experience using School Cloud, please contact the Admissions Team via email on admissionscg@universityofkentacademiestrust.org.uk

Yours sincerely

Mark Cawthorne
Assistant Principal

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