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Dear Parents/Carers

I hope you are well. I cannot believe we have reached half term already. Our students and staff have been amazing and deserve a well-earned rest.

Teaching and Learning

Year 8 Parents' Evening is on **Tuesday 1st November 2022**. This parents' evening was originally on the school calendar to take place on Monday 31st October but has been moved to Tuesday 1st November to allow those families wishing to celebrate Halloween to be able to do so.

This Parents' Evening will be **face to face in school** and all teachers are looking forward to having conversations in person. We will be using **School Cloud** as a booking system which allows you to book the appointment times that are convenient for you and is more efficient than your child having to book appointments with subject teachers on your behalf. Appointments will be available from **3:30pm-7pm**.

Appointments can be made from **Monday 17th October 2022** and will close on **Tuesday 1st November 2022 at 2pm**. If you wish to make any changes after this date, please contact the school office.

Personal Development

Council meetings including School, Eco, Ethos, House, LGBTQ+ and Wellbeing will take place during the first week back.

Year 9 will take part in a STEM workshop on the 1st November 2022 which is being led by 'Learn By Design' and it is 'EPIC Engineers Workshop'

TCAT Parliament will be held on Wednesday 2nd November 2022. We have councillor Hans Mundry giving the group a workshop on student voice.

The Schools Careers Fair will take place for Students from Years 8 – 11 on Tuesday 8th November 2022. Students will have access to 25 employers and colleges to ask questions about their future. Year 7 will have their own after Christmas.

Year 11 A message from Warrington Vale Royal College:

3rd and Final Open Evening

Open Evening will take place on **Wednesday 9th November 2022 from 5pm – 8pm at our Warrington campus**, our college will be open for your Year 11 pupils, along with their family and friends, to explore their course options here at Warrington & Vale Royal College after leaving school. If you are considering vocational courses, T Levels and apprenticeships do come along and find out more. You can also speak to our tutors and current students, as well as tour our fantastic facilities and specialist training centres in:

- Advanced Manufacturing & Engineering Training (AMET) Centre
– www.wvr.ac.uk/amet
- Health & Social Care Academy – www.wvr.ac.uk/hasca (NEW for 2022!)
- Advanced Creative & Digital Skills (ACDS) Centre
– www.wvr.ac.uk/acds (NEW for 2022!)

To attend, students **MUST** register in advance at: <https://wvr.ac.uk/events-news/openevenings>

A message from the School and Residential travel advisor, Transport Warrington:

Please find a link <https://bit.ly/3TcZHBx> to the letter giving details of the changes in the Westy Area which will be implemented from 3rd November.

Please find our extra-curricular programme here: <https://www.boteler.org.uk/bwc/>

With very best wishes



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