



16th January 2019

Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s)

Firstly, I wish you a very Happy New Year. Last term was very busy for the Lower Four. They all coped really well with having to sit their November exams in the Hall, which many of them commented on the fact it was not as bad as they thought it would be! All Lower Fours have had two tracking interviews with their form tutor and created targets. Apart from the normal academic rigour of College life a few other highlights included: the De Putron quiz, being winners of the Island Schools Netball tournament, Little Shop of Horrors, the Christmas Fair and House Drama.

Parents' Evening

This term please note that parents evening is on **Wednesday 30th January 5-7pm**. If you are unable to attend for any reason, please do let know as soon as possible. Please could you complete the form attached and ask your daughter to return it to her tutor.

Discussions with individual teachers should be kept to no more than 5 minutes. Should you need a longer conversation, please note that a follow-up appointment can be made. A bell will be rung to draw the evening to a close.

A number of staff teach the whole of Lower Four so may be very busy. If you have any specific concerns and you are unable to meet with any particular teacher, please do not hesitate to contact the office so that arrangements can be made for you to speak with the subject teacher, after the evening.

Parking for Parents' Evening

Please park on the netball court on the left hand side of the driveway as you enter the site. There is also parking at the rear of the College and ensure that you sign in on arrival at the College and sign out as you leave. Tea and coffee is provided courtesy of The Ladies' College PTA.

Mobile Phone use

Having a device can be really useful and beneficial to learning but we are aware about the amount of screen time your daughter gets exposed to. Therefore, please do help encourage her to join in with us as Remove, Lower Four and Upper Four students are asked not to use their mobile phone on a Monday break or lunchtime. Please also check that your daughter does not have any inappropriate aged apps on her phone. For further details visit: <https://www.net-aware.org.uk/>

Form Captains

Congratulations to the following who have been nominated as Form Captains for the Lent Term:

- Lower Four X – Emma Bertrand & India Hilgeland-Wilkins
- Lower Four Y – Holly Mitchell & Katie Oliver
- Lower Four Z - Hannah Street & Eva Whitman

Form captains play an important role in aiding the communication between staff and the rest of the class, and vice versa. New form captains will be voted in during April.

HPV Vaccinations

Please note these will be taking place at The Ladies' College on **Thursday 7th February**, you should have received a letter to your home address from the school nurse team.

Assemblies

Assemblies are a great way for each tutor group to work together to produce a 15-20minute assembly on a different theme. This term we are looking forward to the following:

Lower Four X Fri 8th March THEME Self-control (specifically focussing on: Is there any point in giving up something for Lent?)

Lower Four Y Fri 15th March THEME International Women's Day – (specifically focussing on: Role Models)

Lower Four Z Fri 29th March THEME Remembering the Victims of Slavery – (specifically focussing on: Treating others with respect and understanding)

I look forward to seeing you at the forthcoming Parents' Evening and please do not hesitate to get in touch, in the meantime.

Yours sincerely



Miss E. Dudin
Lower Four Year Co-ordinator



LOWER FOUR PARENTS' EVENING
WEDNESDAY 30TH JANUARY 2019

Daughter's Name:.....

Form Tutor:.....

I / we confirm attendance

I / we are unable to attend

Signed:.....

Parent/Guardian