

# PENAIR SCHOOL

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Dear Parent

**Re: Year 7 Information Evening for Parents**

We hope that your child has enjoyed their first few days at Penair School. We would like to take this opportunity to invite you to attend the Year 7 Information Evening for parents on

**Wednesday 12 September 2018, 6.00pm – 7.30pm.**

This evening is for parents/carers only, your child should not attend. The programme is published overleaf. There will be refreshments in the library from 5:45pm, and the first presentation will begin in the hall at 6:00pm.

As you will see from the programme, as well as information about English and E-Safety, we will be sharing key information about student flightpaths and how and when you will receive information about your child's progress. We will also be talking about student welfare and home-school communication, homework and how you can monitor and support your child's completion of this. Please confirm your attendance by returning the reply slip at the bottom of this letter to your child's tutor by **Monday 10<sup>th</sup> September**.

You will continue to receive a number of letters and reports throughout the year via your son/daughter but we would also advise you to regularly check the school website for up to date information and reminders of key dates. We will also try to send text message reminders so please keep your contact details up to date with us.

The following are dates you might like to note in advance:-

**Monday 10<sup>th</sup> September**  
**Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> November**  
**Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> December**

**Year 7 photographs**  
**Year 7 parents meeting with tutors**  
**Year 7 Carol Concert**

With a strong home/school partnership we can work together to ensure your child achieves every success in the future.

Yours sincerely

**Miss B Dawson**  
**KS3 Pastoral Leader**

**Mrs H Logan**  
**KS3 Academic Leader**

**New Parents' Year 7 Evening**  
**Wednesday 12 September 2018**

**6.00pm – 7.30pm**

<b>5.45pm to 6.00pm Library</b>	<b>Refreshments in the Library</b>  Meet Prefects, staff and other parents to chat informally.
<b>6.00pm to 6.30pm Main Hall</b>	<b>Welcome</b> by Mr Sharpe, Deputy Headteacher  <b>Information</b> from Miss Dawson, Pastoral Leader for Year 7  <b>Assessment without Levels</b> by Mrs Logan, Progress Leader for Year 7
<b>6.30pm to 7.30pm Workshops</b>	Parents attend a series of three workshops in a 'carousel' fashion with each workshop lasting no more than 20 minutes.  1) 6.30pm – 6.50pm  2) 6.50pm – 7.10pm  3) 7.10pm – 7.30pm
<b>Workshop 1 in the Main hall</b>	<b>Parents' guide to E-Safety</b>
<b>Workshop 2 in the Library</b>	<b>ClassCharts</b> with Mr Sharpe, Deputy Headteacher
<b>Workshop 3 in the Lecture Theatre</b>	<b>English</b> with Mrs Kendall, Head of English Faculty.

