



KING JAMES'S SCHOOL

KNARESBOROUGH

June 2022

Dear Parent/Carer

PASTORAL PARENTS' EVENINGS

We are conscious that after the start of Year 7 there is very little face to face contact with your child's form tutor. This teacher is your child's first point of contact each morning and is responsible for supporting them with both their progress and well-being at KJS. Tutors also deliver and discuss important topics and link them to our school values as well as national and international events which prepare them for their futures.

After returning to school full time following the pandemic, we believe this connection between students, their form tutor and home is more crucial than ever. We have therefore made the decision to replace the traditional end of Year Tutor Report with a Pastoral Parents' Evening. This evening will provide you with an opportunity to talk about your child's overall attitude to school life as well as to discuss their personal development, in a face-to-face meeting with the person in school who knows them best.

The Pastoral Evenings will be held in school between 4pm and 6.30pm on the dates below and appointments will be made through the usual parents evening appointment system. Details of when our booking system will open will be communicated in due course.

Year 7- Monday 11th July 2022
Year 8 - Monday 27th June 2022
Year 9 - Tuesday 28th June 2022
Year 10 - Wednesday 29th June 2022

We are looking forward to welcoming you back into school and hope you find this evening beneficial.

Yours faithfully

Mr C Sugden
Headteacher

Mrs L Holdsworth
Director of KS3

Miss L Baker
Director of KS4