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Dear Parent/Carer,

I would like to invite you to join us, in our brand new school building, at the **Year 10 Parents' Evening on:**

Wednesday 30th January 2019, 4 - 6pm

A gradebook report will be available and you will be able to see how your son/daughter is performing against his/her predicted GCSE grades. This is an ideal opportunity for you to meet with subject teachers, department leaders and the Year Manager to discuss your son/daughter's progress.

Your son/daughter will be given an appointment sheet and he/she has the responsibility to ask his/her teachers for an appointment. Please note that parents' evenings are usually very busy; please turn up for appointments on time and spend no more than 5 minutes with each member of staff. If you need longer, we will be happy to arrange follow-up discussions, either in person or by telephone.

We want to work in partnership with you to ensure that your son/daughter achieves his/her full potential. One way in which you can support your son/daughter through this important stage of his/her education is by making every effort to avoid family holidays during term time, as this can have a detrimental impact on Y11 grades.

Given the current economic situation, it is now vitally important that every young person leaves school with a good set of qualifications, including good English and Maths GCSEs. I want your son/daughter to be able to compete for places in local colleges and sixth form centres, or to secure an apprenticeship. The next 18 months is a crucial time in your son/daughter's life. With your support, I want to encourage every learner at Kepier to achieve their very best in order to give them an excellent start to their adult life.

I look forward to seeing you, with your son/daughter, on Wednesday 30th January 2019 between 4pm and 6pm.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs N Cooper
Principal

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