



Invitation to Year 7 and Year 8 Open Event

Dear Year 7 and Year 8 Families,

You are invited to our Open Event for Year 7 and Year 8 students and their parents/carers, on **16th April 16:30 - 18:30**. This will be the second time that we have run this event; it was received well by families in 2024. One parent wrote to us after the event saying:

“As a year 7 parent, I really appreciated today’s open event. My last tour of the school was before we even knew if my daughter was eligible to apply, and so it was lovely to be able to visit with fresh perspectives and to see her navigate it all so happily, proudly and confidently. It was also great to put the teacher names she talks about to faces, and to hear their passion for the school and their subjects”.

The purpose of the Open Event is to allow parents/carers to walk freely around the school site getting a feel for where your child spends their days and where their lessons take place. You will be able to visit curriculum areas and see examples of student’s work and meet some of the teachers. It is a chance to see books, displays and learning environments rather than only hearing about them. There will be displays in the cafeteria where you can learn more about our Co-Curricular opportunities and Becky High Sixth.

Also in the cafeteria, Culinera, our catering providers will be offering complimentary samples of their menu options so that you can 'get a flavour' of the options available during the week, as well as other paid for items to keep you and the students going through the evening.

Your child in Year 7/Year 8 will be your tour guide and you and they can choose where you want to go and what you want to see. In the Main Hall there will be a short presentation, where you will hear from Ms Bond, Ms Lewis, and the Head Girl.

Please note that this event is not a consultation evening and teachers will not be able to engage in conversations about individual students’ progress/attainment. *This is all about being on site and getting feel for the school and its learning spaces.*

How to Book

The Open Event will run from 16:30 – 18:30 on 16th April 2026. Each student can attend with up to two parents/carers. There are two booking options; talks will be in the Main Hall at 16:40 and 18:10. Please use the booking links below:

- [16:40 Book Here](#)
- [18:10 Book Here](#)

NB. Please note that at 18:15 the rest of the school will begin to pack away, while the final talk takes place in the Main Hall. If you book the 16.40 slot, you begin your time in the Main Hall for the speeches. If you book the 18.10 slot, you will tour the school before the talk and end in the Main Hall for the speeches.

Year 7 and Year 8 Students

Students in Year 7 and Year 8 should attend the event if their parents/carers have booked places. They will give tours to their own parents/carers and attend the talk in the Main Hall. Students will receive a briefing during an assembly ahead of the event to help parents/ carers get the most out of the visit. All Year 7 and Year 8 students should be supervised by their parents/carers throughout the event.

All students in Year 7 and Year 8 should be in **full school uniform** for this event.

Yours faithfully,

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