

Dear Families

As you may be aware, the school had to cancel the Year 9 Parents Evening on the 8 of February due to the snow. In order that parents and carers of Year 9 pupils have an opportunity to meet with staff, we are going to reschedule this for Thursday 14 March.

As Ramadan will have started by this date, we want to ensure all staff and students have time after Parents' Evening to get home in time to break their fast. Therefore, **on the 14 March, school will close to all pupils at 2.30pm.**

*If you are a parent of a Year 9 student:*

Appointments will be available from 3pm – 5.15pm on the 1<sup>h</sup> March. You can book via <https://dixonscottingley.schoolcloud.co.uk/> from 4 March.

During the summer term we will be launching the MyChildAtSchool app. We aim for all school communication, including correction messages, will be sent via this app- no longer by text. Please can you download the MyChildAtSchool app from Playstore or App Store as soon as possible, or prior to Parents' Evening if you are a Year 9 family member. During the evening, you will be asked to confirm the email address we have on record for you. Please be mindful that this is on top of the bookings you will have made to see teachers, so please factor this into your time.

Kind regards

**Ms J Seng**

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