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Dear Parent/Carer,

I am writing to inform you that we will be holding the Year 9 Consultation Evening on **Tuesday 30 January 2024**. We will continue to use the Tes Parents' Evening system to host the appointments online. This platform enables teachers to conduct secure video meetings with parents/carers so that we can have subject-specific conversations to support your child as they progress towards KS4. Students are encouraged to attend each appointment so they are part of the conversation and can contribute.

The Year 9 Parent Consultation Evening is an important part of the comprehensive support that we provide to help students make informed decisions about their GCSE options. For the evening to be as productive as possible, **please only book appointments for the subjects that your child is considering studying at GCSE level or if there is a particular concern.**

This year, and in some subjects only, we are limiting appointments to those students who have expressed an interest in continuing their studies in that subject next year. This has been done to support the smooth running of the evening and to help ensure that parents/carers and students are able to speak with the teachers they need to. Please note that some teachers are responsible for more than one class and so may not be able to host an appointment with every student they teach.

The following subjects will be bookable for those students who indicate their interest via the Google Form posted on the Year 9 Google Classroom, and linked to [here](#). The deadline for students to complete this Google Form is **9am on Friday 19 January**.

Art	Computer Science	Drama
French	Geography	German
History	Music	RE (Philosophy, Ethics & Religion)
Spanish	Technology	

From 3.00pm on **Tuesday 23 January** you can visit <https://beaumontschool.schoolcloud.co.uk/> to view teachers' availability and book your appointments. In order to log in, you will need to enter your child's legal name rather than their preferred name. Please use the links provided below for instructions on how to book and attend appointments. You are able to book and reschedule appointments at a later time if you need to but please note that the opportunity to do



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so will close on Monday 29 January at 9.00am. On the evening itself, you should use the same web address and log-in details to access your scheduled appointments. It is important that you use the same account details that were used to book appointments when you are accessing the system on the night.

We have allocated 4 minutes and 30 seconds for each appointment. At the scheduled time both parties will need to select 'Join Appointment' to be connected. This will then signal the allocated time to begin counting down. If you encounter any issues with booking appointments, please contact the school via admin@beaumont.school.

I would like to take this opportunity to remind you that our Year 9 Options Information Evening is scheduled to take place on Thursday 25 January 2024. Further information on this will follow in due course.

Thank you for your continued support,

V Stockman-Black (Ms)
Head of Year 9

A Afilaka (Ms)
Head of KS3

Guide to Booking Video Appointments:

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1skn746krPaR6nsFjfs_WIT_S_z7MgY2/view?usp=share_link

Guide to Attending Video Appointments:

<https://support.parentseveningsystem.co.uk/article/801-video-parents-how-to-attend-appointments-over-video-call>

