

15 September 2020

Dear Parent/Carer,

**KS5-Ready Evening 2020  
Thursday 17 September 2020**

I am writing to invite you to our KS5-Ready Evening. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, this event will be available as a **virtual presentation**. Parents/carers need to complete the short form that they have been emailed, in order to ensure they receive the link to access the event at **6.00pm on Thursday 17 September**. If you have any questions about the start of Year 12, submit these for consideration via the form and we will do our best to answer them during the presentation.

At Isleworth & Syon, we know that parent/carers support is a key factor in delivering student success. During the presentation, details will be outlined as to how this important partnership between the student, the school and home can be strengthened.

**“Parents have the greatest influence on the achievement of pupils through supporting their learning. It is their support of learning in the home environment that makes the maximum difference to achievement.”**

-- Professor Alma Harris - ‘Do Parents Know They Matter?’

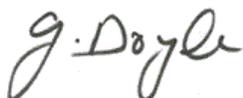
The presentation will outline what the school will be expecting from your son/daughter/ward during this academic year, and explain some of the ways in which parents/carers can support achievement. We will be sharing information about how we intend to set targets, and how we plan to track, monitor and support your son/daughter/ward’s progress to ensure that they maximise their potential.

We will also signpost key areas of the school website, where key communications can be found, and explain how the school has moved to a combination of face-to-face and remote learning to support KS5 students.

The presentation will last approximately 25 minutes.

Any questions you may have regarding the event can be sent to [jdoyle@isleworthsyon.org](mailto:jdoyle@isleworthsyon.org).

Yours faithfully,



**Mr J Doyle**  
Assistant Headteacher - Sixth Form Leader  
[jdoyle@isleworthsyon.org](mailto:jdoyle@isleworthsyon.org)