



# THE BUCKINGHAM SCHOOL

## A SPECIALIST SPORTS COLLEGE

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22 November 2018

Dear Parent/Carer,

### PARENT FORUM

As part of our continued improvement at The Buckingham School, we understand the importance of communication with parents and are keen to strengthen these relationships. There are several exciting changes in the pipeline which, we look forward to introducing to help you support your children with their progress in school.

As part of our development, we would like to re-introduce the Parent Forum where you are warmly invited to into school to hear new strategies, ideas and share your important views as key stakeholders in our community.

Without your views in recent years, key policies and school direction would not have happened and we look forward to meeting with you again soon and rejuvenating a previously successful working party.

The first Parent Forum will run on Tuesday, 4 December 2018, from 6-7pm, in the Jubilee Hall. During this time, we would like to share with you our vision on:

- Reporting (What and How) - Miss Branson, Assistant Headteacher for Data
- Parents' Evenings - Mr Wardle, Lead Deputy Headteacher

In order to gauge numbers of attendees, we are asking for an expression of interest by **Wednesday, 28 November 2018**. Should there be an overwhelming number of parents interested in attending, we would look to run two identical sessions back-to-back and you would then be invited to one or the other. As part of your expression of interest, could you please indicate whether you would be able to attend a 7-8pm session, if required.

Please respond by the above date by returning the slip at the bottom of this letter or emailing Miss Branson at: [rbranson@buckinghamschool.org](mailto:rbranson@buckinghamschool.org)

We look forward to meeting you all and sharing our next steps for The Buckingham School.

Yours faithfully,

Miss R Branson  
Assistant Headteacher

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**THE BUCKINGHAM SCHOOL**  
**PARENT FORUM REPLY SLIP**

Name of student: \_\_\_\_\_

Form: \_\_\_\_\_

Dear Miss Branson,

I can/cannot attend the Parent Forum on Tuesday, 4 December 2018, 6-7pm  
(please delete as applicable).

If required, I can/cannot attend the alternative 7-8pm session  
(please delete as applicable).

I cannot attend this time but, would be interested in the future: Yes/No (please delete as applicable).

Name of parent(s) attending, if applicable:

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Signature: Parent 1) \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: Parent 2) \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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