

Minutes of Parent Forum meeting held on Wednesday 11th May 2022

In Attendance: DC (Headteacher), VB (Assistant Headteacher), CJ (Join Chair), VW (Joint Chair), MH, DK, SE, DL, SS, MN, NS, RS, SM, JS

Apologies: DD, GM

1. Terms of Reference

Attendees had read and agreed the Terms of Reference.

2. Mobile Phones – points discussed

- Issue of being unaware of when students have lost points or received commendations remind parents of use of Bromcom Parent App (MCaS My Child at School) in future communications
- Social Media where do we address safe use? Personal Development/form time
- Issue raised regarding staff usage of mobile phones during lessons reminder given about procedures for making complaint
- Staff on duty concern always at least three staff on duty could hi vis make them more visible?

3. Homework – points discussed

- Use Friday comms for explaining what homework is used for and types of tasks set
- Do all students have adequate time for completing homework?
- SLT discussion about work life implications
- Survey to be produced to ascertain how student's complete homework signpost parents to how to use school licensed Microsoft Office suite

4. Any other items

- Writers ribbon who gives them VTB to email LH
- Date of next meeting to be confirmed
- Newsletter Add Celebration assembly
- Second-hand uniform this should be donated to company in Rubery
- Next meeting topic: Communication