

LINKS WITH PARENTS

We believe that developing good links with parents is very important in developing successful students. There are many stages in this development:

1. Prospective parents are invited to an Open Evening in September to meet staff at the college and to help them make a judgement as to whether Crown Hills is the best school for their child. The education, ethos and rules are made clear.
2. Prospective parents are given an open invitation to visit the school during the school day. This is enacted by making an appointment with the Principal's PA via the school office.
3. All parents, whose children are allocated a place at the college, are invited to an Induction Evening in early July to check details for the start of the new year.
4. Once allocated, each child is given a form tutor. This teacher will see the student every day on two occasions. If there are any issues of concern, it is vital that the form tutor is the first port of call. They can be contacted via the school office and an appointment will be made.
5. If a parent has used the form tutor route and still has concerns, an appointment can be made with the Key Stage Leader or a member of the Behaviour Support team.
6. If, by this advanced stage, a parent still has concerns, an appointment may be sought with the Senior Leadership Team or, after all other routes have been explored, with the college Principal. In certain circumstances a serious issue may arise that requires immediate attention. Then the parent should contact the office and we will arrange a meeting with our Behaviour Support Team very quickly.
7. During the year, parents can keep in touch with us via the college web-site, newsletters and the student's own organiser.
8. We also arrange an annual parents' consultation meeting for each school year. These run from 3.30 till 6.00pm on Mondays. The dates will be communicated to you via letter and the web-site.