



THE
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ACADEMY



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17th September 2025

Dear Parents/Carers,

It has been wonderful to have our students back on site as we start the new academic year with energy and enthusiasm.

Thank you for your support in upholding our high expectations relating to uniform, personal appearance and equipment. Students look smart and well prepared for the year of learning ahead.

Nursery and Reception Children

Children in Nursery and Reception have made a calm and settled start. Thank you to parents/carers for ensuring the children are all smart in full school uniform. Please can I remind parents/carers that earrings are not to be worn.

Year 7 Students:

Year 7 students have made a fantastic start at The Grange Academy. They have settled well and are getting to know the layout of the school. I have visited them in lessons and seen them engaging well in all their different subjects.

Careers Fair

On Thursday, 16th October, we will be hosting our annual Careers Fair. The Fair will provide students with the opportunity to speak to a wide range of post-16 course providers and employers from the local area. We have invited a range of participants that offer vocational courses, apprenticeships and traineeships, college courses and Universities. The event will be open to all students during the day, however, parents/carers are invited to attend 2.35pm - 3.30pm, more details to be shared via Edulink nearer to the date. The purpose of the day is to help students develop an insight into the knowledge and skills required when moving on from school into post-16 provision.

Open Evening:

Open Evening for September 2026 intake for Nursery, Reception and Year 7 students will take place on Thursday, 25th September 2025 (5-7.30pm). There will also be an additional Reception 2026 Open Evening for primary children on 19th November 2025 (3.30-5pm).



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Dates for your diary for this term:

- Primary School Photographs - 2nd and 3rd October (all children and classes)
- Yr7 Meet the Tutor Evening – 9th October
- Primary Parents Evening – 26th November
- Yr11 Parents Evening - 27th November 2025

Class Assembly:

- Year 6 - 17th October
- Year 5 - 14th November

Parent/Carer Evenings:

For your convenience, please find below dates of parent/carers evenings. Further information to follow.

Year	Date and Time	PROGRESS LEADERS
7 (Meet the Tutor)	Thursday, 9 th October 2025	Mr l'Anson
11	Thursday, 27 th November 2025	Miss Ayrton
10	Thursday, 15 th January 2026	Mr Challinor
9	Thursday, 5 th February 2026	Mr Mooney
9 Options Evening	Thursday, 19 th March 2026	Mr Hutton
8	Thursday, 23 rd April 2026	Miss Houseman
7	Thursday, 21 st May 2026	Mr l'Anson
Primary Parents evenings	Wednesday, 26 th November 2025	

Yours sincerely,

Mr J Jardine
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