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Dear Parents/Carers

It has been a very busy few weeks in school. It was great to see so many of you both in person and online during our first parents evening of the year.

We already have some key achievements to celebrate with three of our students taking part in the Blackheath Community Opera project. Caitlin, Ife and Sampson were part of the community chorus and performed Cavalleria Rusticana. Thank you to our amazing students, their families and our dedicated staff Christine, Carol, Olivia and Ursula for supporting them.

We currently have a Parent Governor vacancy on our Governing Body. You will have received the information on how to apply for this role earlier this week. This is an important and interesting opportunity, if you are able to consider it.

Evidence for Learning - an update from our AHT Lisa Robinson-Jones, Curriculum and Assessment lead "We are very pleased to announce that we have moved to a new assessment platform this term called Evidence for Learning. It is both web and app-based software that will allow us to capture student learning in real time. We can track progress over time against targets and across all curriculum provision for all learners and it is a school wide initiative so class staff will be fully involved in capturing evidence. It will also change the way we report to parents and carers about student progress and will give us more ongoing detailed and informative insights regarding progress and attainment across all the four pathways, this in turn will feed into planning for those next learning steps. It won't change what we already do in ensuring all our young people access a broad and balanced curriculum, but it will change how we do it, in helping us to record the smaller steps of progression effectively through the app. Evidence for Learning will further inform planning for progress at Greenvale school in an innovative and more modernised approach to assessment.

You will have now received the Autumn Term Individual Education Plan (IEP) for your young person in KS3 and KS4. In KS5 students will have received their Individual Learning Plans (ILP). You will notice that the format looks different, however the termly target setting process linked to annual short-term targets and long term EHCP targets remains the same.

If you have any gueries, please do not hesitate to contact myself or your Key Stage Co-ordinator."

Kind regards

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Katie Denton Headteacher























## Dates for your Diary

DATE	TIME	Theme	LOCATION
Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> October	10am - 11.30am	Coffee Morning - ICT skills refresher and social drop in	Waters Road
Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> October	All day	INSET Day - school closed to students	Both sites















