

Dear Parent / Carer

Year 9-11 Praising Stars Reports

I am pleased to be able to include some extra guidance regarding your child's Praising Stars I report. Target grades and additional information regarding progress will be included in the next report which will be with you before the end of the Christmas term.

Yours sincerely



Principal
Elizabeth Ford

- **Effort (E1-E6).** Parents/Carers should view the effort grades first and foremost as a measure of your child's performance towards meeting/exceeding target grades. This will provide a clear indication of the work ethic in particular lessons.

E1 Star Student	E2 Promising Student	E3 Hard Working Student	E4 Wake-up Call	E5 Negative Attitude	E6 Extremely Negative
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- **Homework** - This indicates, where marked, that the teacher has a homework concern.
- **Attendance** - This indicates, where marked, that the teacher has a concern that your son/daughter's attendance in lessons is having a negative effect on performance and progress.

Parents' Evening

There are three Parents' Evenings in an academic year where you can meet with your child's teachers. Teachers select parent/carers of students they wish to see and this information is identified on the Praising Stars© report. If you, as a parent/carer, wish to see particular teaching staff you can ask your child to make an appointment via their planner or contact the Academy via e-mail and we will pass this onto the member of staff.

Dates of Parents' Evenings:

15th January 2019 - (Praising Stars 2)

14th May 2019 – (Praising Stars 4)