



much more than just a school



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Dear Parents and Carers

As we start the Spring Term, I would like to take this opportunity to update you on all things Year 8.



Firstly, I would like to welcome Mr Leung who has become the new tutor for Miss Gibbons' group. I know that Mr Leung has already been introducing himself to parents and carers via ClassCharts messages.

At the end of last term, it was pleasing to see so many Year 8 students receiving prizes as part of Mr Bryce's 'Twelve Days of Christmas' attendance drive. One lucky Year 8 also won the bike! This term, Mr Anders launched the 'Epiphany' attendance challenge. To be in with a chance to win a prize every day, your child needs to be in school!



Year 8 students have a new tutor group read this term – 'The Graveyard Book' by Neil Gaiman. Each week in assembly, students can win merits by answering questions about the book. Please encourage your child to tell you about the book.



Mrs Cavanagh offered Year 8 students a great opportunity in last week's assembly. Students have been asked to email Mrs Cavanagh if they are interested in becoming a buddy to one of the Chinese students visiting Park later this term.

Finally, a reminder to make appointments with subject staff for Year 8 parents' evening on Thursday, 16 January between 4.30-7.30pm.



Thank you for your continued support.

Yours faithfully

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