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Dear Parent / Carer

## **Year 11 Parents Evening Tuesday 10th December 2024 - Online Appointment Booking**

I would like to invite you to attend our **Year 11 Parents Evening** Virtual (Video Call) Parents' Evening.

This event will run as a **video conference** through the **School Cloud website**. This is an easy to use online appointment booking system which allows you to choose your own appointment time and you will receive an email confirming your appointments. The purpose of the evening is to provide you with the opportunity to meet virtually, and talk about your child's progress, general well being and plans to support them in achieving their best possible grades by the end of Year 11.

Parental support is one of the biggest motivators for students and your contribution is essential in helping them to be successful in their studies. Appointments will run for 5 minutes each to ensure all parents can be seen and the system will display the time remaining. Unfortunately, appointments cannot be overrun as this will prevent other parents from being seen. However, if you have any concerns you wish to discuss, the contact form is always [available through the school website](#). As always, we welcome any feedback.

Appointments can be made from **Wednesday 27th November 8am** and will close on **Tuesday 10th December at 12pm**. **To ensure that you secure an appointment with your child's teachers please book early, as the slots do get booked quickly.** Should you wish to make any changes after this date, please contact Mrs Delany on [zdelany@atlantic-aspirations.org](mailto:zdelany@atlantic-aspirations.org)

Please visit [atlanticacademy.schoolcloud.co.uk](http://atlanticacademy.schoolcloud.co.uk) to book your appointments. A short guide on how to add appointments is included with this letter. Login with the following information: **Student's First Name Student's Surname Students Date of Birth**

Please book appointments with your child's teacher as normal and you will be directed to the amended member of staff.

If you do not have access to the internet, please [contact the school office](#) who will be happy to arrange for an alternative solution.

Yours sincerely

Mrs L Migliari  
Vice Principal

## Parents' Guide for Booking Appointments: Browse to <https://atlanticacademy.schoolcloud.co.uk/>

**Your Details**

Title: Mr, First Name: Rachael, Surname: Abbott, Email: rabbott@gmail.com, Confirm Email: rabbott@gmail.com

**Student's Details**

First Name: Ben, Surname: Abbott, Date Of Birth: 23 July 2000

Log In

### Step 1: Login

Fill out the details on the page then click the *Log In* button.

A confirmation of your appointments will be sent to the email address you provide.

**Parents' Evening**

This parents' evening is an opportunity to meet your child's teacher. Please enter the school via the main entrance and sign in at reception.

Click a date to continue:

- Thursday, 16th March  
Open for bookings
- Friday, 17th March  
Open for bookings

[I'm unable to attend](#)

### Step 2: Select Parents' Evening

Click on the date you wish to book.

Unable to make all of the dates listed? Click *I'm unable to attend*.

**Choose Booking Mode**

Select how you'd like to book your appointments using the option below, and then hit Next.

Automatic  
Automatically book the best possible time based on your availability

Manual  
Choose the time you would like to see each teacher

Next

### Step 3: Select Booking Mode

Choose *Automatic* if you'd like the system to suggest the shortest possible appointment schedule based on the times you're available to attend. To pick the times to book with each teacher, choose *Manual*. Then press *Next*.

We recommend choosing the automatic booking mode when browsing on a mobile device.

**Choose Teachers**

If there is a teacher you do not wish to see, please untick them before you continue.

Ben Abbott

- Mr J Brown (SENCO)
- Mrs A Wheeler (Class 11A)

Continue to Book Appointments

### Step 4: Choose Teachers

If you chose the automatic booking mode, drag the sliders at the top of the screen to indicate the earliest and latest you can attend.

Select the teachers you'd like to book appointments with. A green tick indicates they're selected. To de-select, click on their name.

**Confirm Appointment Times**

The following appointments have been reserved for two minutes. If you're happy with them, please choose the Accept button at the bottom.

Time	Teacher	Student	Subject	Room
17:10	Mr J Sinclair	Ben	English	E6
17:25	Mrs D Munnford	Ben	Mathematics	M7
17:45	Dr B McNamee	Andrew	French	F4

Accept Appointments | Cancel Appointments

### Step 5a (Automatic): Book Appointments

If you chose the automatic booking mode, you'll see provisional appointments which are held for 2 minutes. To keep them, choose Accept at the bottom left.

If it wasn't possible to book every selected teacher during the times you are able to attend, you can either adjust the teachers you wish to meet with and try again, or switch to manual booking mode (Step 5b).

**Step 5b (Manual): Book Appointments**

Time	Mr J Brown (SENCO (A2))	Miss D Patel (Class 10E (H3))	Mrs A Wheeler (Class 11A (L1))
16:30	-	✓	-
16:40	-	-	-
16:50	+	-	+
17:00	+	-	+

### Step 5b (Manual): Book Appointments

Click any of the green cells to make an appointment. Blue cells signify where you already have an appointment. Grey cells are unavailable.

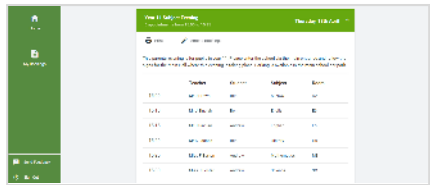
To change an appointment, delete the original by hovering over the blue box and clicking *Delete*. Then choose an alternate time.

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You can optionally leave a message for the teacher to say what you'd like to discuss, or raise anything beforehand.

Once you're finished booking all appointments, at the top of the page in the alert box, press *click here* to finish the booking process.

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### Step 6: Finished

All your bookings now appear on the My Bookings page. An email confirmation has been sent and you can also print appointments by pressing *Print*. Click *Subscribe to Calendar* to add these and any future bookings to your calendar.

To change your appointments, click on *Amend Bookings*.

[How to attend a video parents evening appointment](#)