**Parents’ Evening Booking System**

Following a successful pilot with a group of parents/carers, next session we intend to use an online parents’ booking system via ‘GroupCall’. The Messenger Parents' Evenings has been created to make the process of booking parents’ evening appointments much quicker and simpler to organise. Using this system, the school will be able to quickly set up a new parents’ evening event, enabling parents/carers to log in from their phone, tablet, laptop/computer and book appointments at a time to suit them without relying on the students.

For more information please click on the following links:-

* <https://www.groupcall.com/product/messenger/messenger-parents-evenings>
* <https://www.parents-booking.co.uk/login.jsp>

**Reporting**

The school are committed to a continual focus and emphasis on Parental Engagement via a number of mechanisms: -

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| * Parents’ Evening Meetings
 | * Text Messages
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| * Phone Calls
 | * Parent/Carer Meetings
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| * Emails
 | * Letters
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**S1 to S3 Broad General Education**

We are currently reviewing our S1 to S3 parental reporting process and are in a period of consultation. Therefore, our current model of one full report and two interim tracking reports will remain in place until we have completed this process.

**S4 to s6 Senior Phase**

Following consultation with pupils, staff and parents/carers, we will be adopting a new model for reporting in the senior phase. At Bannerman we strive to raise attainment and achievement of all children and young people. From next session, we will be moving to a reporting schedule of more frequent tracking reports (4 in total) - replacing the full report in the senior phase. We believe that this reporting model will allow for more focused dialogue with students to improve learning and raise attainment.