PARENT / TEACHER / STUDENT INTERVIEWS

Advice For PARENTS

BEFORE THE INTERVIEW	DURING THE INTERVIEW	AFTER THE INTERVIEW
● Become familiar with the headings used throughout the Report. ● When the Report comes home, write down what you are most impressed with and what you have concerns about. Write down any questions that you (And your child) might have so you do not forget them. ● Talk to your child about the Report. Look for those positive aspects as opportunities to praise them. ● Ask them to talk about the Report – are there any grades or comments that they don't understand? ● Discuss the child's goal they have set.	● Let the teacher begin the interview by talking about the strengths / areas for development that your child has. ● Ask the questions that you have written down prior to the interview taking place. ● Invite your child to ask any questions that they may have. ● Let the teacher and your child discuss their goals for the second half of the year. i.e. What is your child going to improve in, by the end of the year?	● When you get home, discuss the goals that your child has set. Get them to write them down and pin them up on the fridge or a noticeboard at home. ● Discuss how you can help them achieve their goals. ● During the second half of the year, check in with your child and teacher to see how they are going. This can be done in their diaries or by making an appointment to meet with them.