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Governors Visit Protocols

GOVERNORS VISITS

Protocols

- 1. If visiting classrooms only speak to students when the teacher is not talking
- 2. Do not speak to students about members of staff or other students.
- 3. If you have any concerns regarding student/staff welfare this must be reported to the Headteacher/Deputy Headteacher immediately and then followed up by email.
- 4. If you are unable to attend the meeting ring/email Headteacher PA asap.

Possible Discussion Topics with Heads of Faculty

- 1. Summer Examination Results
 - Key learning from the results (A/AS levels, GCSEs and BTEC)
- 2. What training for staff is planned (or has taken place) this academic year?
- 3. What professional networks does the faculty have?
- 4. School Improvement Priorities
 - KS3
 - i. How can the faculty accelerate progress in Y7-8?
 - ii. How is progress monitored?
 - iii. Key issues KS3
 - KS4
 - i. How is the faculty preparing students for summer exams (Year 11)?
 - ii. How is the faculty (Art/Technology, BISS, English (Media Studies only), Humanities (RE only) preparing students for summer examinations (Year 10)
 - iii. How is the foundation year being embedded (Year 9)
 - iv. Key issues KS4
 - KS5
 - i. How is the faculty preparing students for summer exams?
 - ii. Key issues KS5
- 5. Behaviour systems within the faculty. How effective are they?
- 6. The role of post holders e.g. Heads of Subject or key stage coordinators?
- 7. How is the Swanlea Way focus becoming embedded?

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Governors Visit Report Form

• All students, parent/carer and staff information should be anonymised

Name of Governor:	Curriculum Area:	Date of visit:
Objectives of visit:		
1.		
2.		
3.		
Brief Notes/Observations:		

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Key Actions:	
Signature of visiting governor:	
Date:	

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