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Dear Parents & Carers,

## New system - Arbor

As part of some of the changes we are making at Oakmoor we have moved our management information system to Arbor, which is an online platform. The long-term plan is to move many of our systems into one place to make it easier for parents and staff. Although many of these won't happen until September, we will be giving you access to Arbor as a parent next week. Please do look out for a letter containing instructions on how to join.

## Change to managing behaviour

In January we have tweaked our behaviour system to make it easier for staff and students to understand the consequences of behaviour that does not meet our expectations. The system is now reset, 30, 60, removal. A reset is where a teacher will remind students of their behaviour and gives them a chance to get it right. Following on from that another reminder will come with a 30 minute detention, a third reminder a 60 minute detention, and if it were to happen a 4<sup>th</sup> time it would be a removal from the classroom. A parental guide can be viewed here.

## **Holocaust memorial**

Oakmoor's work on the Holocaust has being recognised by the Historical Association and University College London. Mrs Sutehall is presenting at an online event, alongside author Tom Palmer to an international audience on Wednesday. If you are interested you can find out more <a href="here">here</a>.

On Friday 26 January we are hosting a commemorative event in school at 6pm. If you would like to join us please do so by booking <u>here</u>.

## **Dates for your diary**

Just a reminder of some key events coming up.

Date	Event
Thursday 18 January	Year 10 Parents' evening
Friday 26 January	Holocaust memorial evening
Thursday 1 February	Year 8 Parents' evening (J, K, L and M)
Thursday 8 February	Year 8 Parents' evening (N, O and P)
Friday 9 February	Finish for half term at 2:45pm

Yours faithfully,

Mr Nigel Wright Headteacher

