



March 2019

Dear Parents and Carers

I would like to offer you the chance to join our Helston Community College Forum. Parents, students, past students (alumni), staff and the community all have an interest in their local school. The Forum gives you a ready-made opportunity to have your say and help shape things in our College. The Forum will meet once a term.

The focus of the Forum is for you to tell us:

- What you value about the College and want us to keep doing
- What doesn't work quite so well and suggest ways how this could be improved
- For the Headteacher to discuss any new initiatives, so that your feedback can be obtained

The Forum is a good way to get involved without the greater commitment of being in governance. The meetings will be quite informal and we would love you to be there.

In this initial meeting, we can talk about the format and timing of these meetings and agree the best way forward for everybody. The first major item that we would like your feedback on is regarding the use of mobile phones in the College. There has been a lot of press coverage about this issue and government advice that I would like share and discuss.

The date and time for our first meeting will be Tuesday 2nd April at 4pm. The venue will be decided once we know how many people are likely to attend, but it will be on North Site. Please report to North Site reception at 3.55pm.

I would be grateful if you could complete and return the reply slip below to the North Site Reception by Tuesday 26th March.

Yours sincerely

Mr W N Jenkins
Headteacher

I would like to be a representative on the Helston Community College Forum

Name: _____

Email address: _____

Link with the College (tick all that apply):

- Parent / Carer
- Former student
- Work or volunteer in the local community

I am /am not available to attend the first meeting. *(Delete as appropriate)*