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| Objective | Parental involvement to ensure that children enjoy and achieve at school |
| Sub Objective | To ensure that all parents who do not attend Parents Consultation Day are contacted by phone and or email |
| Objective Detail | To share successes and targets for improvement with parents who are unable to attend the Parents Consultation Day in November. |
| What We Did | On this occasion parents make a 20 minute appointment with the Form Tutor to discuss progress and successes to date and set targets for improvement. Parents who do not respond or cannot make that day are contacted to provide alternative appointment times or have 'telephone consultations' to set targets. This enables us to keep in contact with 'distant' or 'reluctant' Parents for the benefit of the child |
| How Well It Worked | Some tutors had 100% strike rate in terms of actual or telephone consultations and most were around 90% - the highest being in Years 7 and 8 decreasing to 80+% in Years 10 and 11. |
| Benefits We See | This practice enables us to work with parents who cannot normally attend such consultations or who are reluctant to do so for whatever reason. This telephone or email contact at least provides the tutor with additional information to use when offering guidance and support to children in order to promote their enjoyment and success in school activities |

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| School / Organisation | The Chalfonts Community College |
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