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Dear Parent/ Carer

We are delighted to invite you to participate in an hour-long 'learning walk' around a variety of lessons which are being delivered during the school day. The walk will provide you with the opportunity to see, feel and hear what part of a day looks like in Hawarden High School and to also potentially see your child participating in a lesson. As a school we are committed to strengthening our relationship with parents and using that to assist with driving up standards.

"Families and communities have a much bigger impact on children's achievement in school than has been realised. Schools that are able to engage with their families and community groups as serious and practical partners in education will be exerting a powerful lever through which to raise standards and improve learner well-being." -Welsh Government, 2015.

We will be offering the learning walks to take place on 2 separate dates for you to choose:

Monday 19th November 8.50-10.15 am. (Visiting period 1 9.05-10.05am)

Thursday 22nd November 8.50-10.15 am. (Visiting period 1 9.05-10.05am)

Please indicate on the reply slip below which date would be most suitable for you.

We will be offering tea and coffee upon arrival, with a short introduction to the walk from myself and Mr MacDonald, who is also an Assistant Headteacher in charge of teaching and learning. There will be a short plenary after the session and I will be available until 11am should you wish to discuss any aspect of your child's learning at our school.

If you would like to attend one of the learning walks, please complete the attached reply slip and return either electronically to hhmail@hawardenhigh.flintshire.sch.uk or a copy to be handed to the school office for the attention of Miss Gilsenan.

I look forward to welcoming you to the school after half term.

Yours sincerely

Miss D Gilsenan
Assistant Headteacher
Reply slip:

I / we would like to take the opportunity to take part in a learning walk at school on:

- * (Please delete as applicable)
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Name: _____

Parent/Carer of: _____