



Our Ref: IM/SP

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Dear Parents / Carers

Re: Introducing PARs Insight (replacing SIMS Parent App): Action needed

We are very excited to be introducing PARs Insight (replacing SIMS Parent App) to The Hayling College - a parent portal engagement app that will in time allow you to:

- Check that the details we hold are correct – and, if not, request changes to be made
- View am/pm registration and lesson attendance data, and timetable information
- View records of Achievements and Behaviour incidents
- Report and request absence from school
- View reports (as we move towards paperless reporting)
- Make online appointments for Parents' Consultation Evenings

We will continue to use 'Cashless System Scopay/Tucasi' to pay for dinners, Trips etc.

In the future, we hope that school related communication including newsletters and payments will go through Insight. We will send regular updates to let you know when these become available. To stay up to date with what is going on at school make sure you download the app for free. Just search Insight in your App store and download.

Your login details will be automatically generated and sent via email using the contact information the school already has, so please make sure the details we hold for you are up to date. Please make sure for all future communications from the college that you regularly check your junk folder. If you need assistance then please contact admin@hayling.hants.sch.uk and your request will be passed to the most appropriate person.

If you do not have a smart phone you will need internet access to login to Insight, a link can be found in the parent section of our website: <https://hayling.hants.sch.uk/parents> , although we do recommend downloading the app if possible as it makes it far easier to get hold of parents. If you would prefer to use the INSIGHT app, our unique QR code is:



We hope you welcome this exciting new development.

Yours sincerely

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