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We are delighted to announce that Dr. Guy Sutton will be hosting an academic lecture for all parents on Tuesday 7th May from 5pm-6pm in the North hall that is free to attend.

An overview of the lecture is as follows:

Teenagers have long frustrated adults with apparent black and white thinking, egocentric thoughts, irrational behaviour and focus on the present. But can raging hormones account for such behaviour and is the teenage brain really an immature structure? In this lecture we will explore some truths and myths regarding the adolescent brain, considering brain development and changes from childhood through adolescence to adulthood. We will examine the effects of drugs such as cannabis and vaping, together with teenage mental health issues. We will conclude by addressing emerging research on the effects of smartphone and social media usage on developing brains.

It is hoped that this will enhance your understanding of your child's developing brain, but also inspire your curiosity about the complexities of neuroscience and perhaps spark an interest in Psychology.

To confirm your participation, please kindly complete the google form:

<https://forms.gle/QYrJXSv6YryiiFzh6>

Regards

Miss Butterfield and Mrs Manning

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