Feel free to make any changes – you don't need to read it all, you can paraphrase or leave bits out, it is just to give you some ideas:

## Intro for parent/student evening

Dr Prue Salter has specialised for the last 20 years in the areas of study skills and self-regulated learning through her company Enhanced Learning. Not only is she an expert in helping students develop the skills they need to be effective and efficient with their learning, but her past experience as a secondary teacher and Year Coordinator means that she has an insider's knowledge about the struggles students face.

Tonight Prue will share with you some simple but powerful strategies you can implement at home to help students to cope with the academic demands of school, become powerful learners and achieve their personal best. You will have the opportunity to discuss with your student what will work best for your family.

Prue knows a lot about this topic through her research on how students learn, and the multiple university degrees she has completed. In addition to her academic work, Prue has written over 20 study skills worksheets sets and is in high demand as a presenter of study skills sessions.

(NOTE: If your school subscribes to <u>www.studyskillshandbook.com.au</u> you can also add: Prue is also the author of the Study Skills Handbook site our school subscribes to and that you all have access to.)

So get ready for an action packed and entertaining evening, where I am sure at the end many of the parents will be saying 'I wish someone told me all this when I was at school'.