



Sixth Form Newsletter 15/05/2023

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Year 13 Exams

The main exam season starts this week on Wednesday. Students should have now received a copy of their exam timetable in form time, if they have not they will need to come to the Sixth Form office after school to collect.

We are aware that exams can be a very stressful time, if you have any concerns, please contact your child's tutor and we will be able to offer support.



Exam leave

As a reminder, exam leave for year 13 starts on Monday 5th June, with the last full day of lessons being Friday 26th May. We are aware that some students will start exams before this date and therefore if a student has an afternoon exam before the 26th May, they will not be expected in school in the morning and can work from home. If they have a morning exam, they will still be expected in the day before.

Life Coach

If you have any concerns about your child's wellbeing, please contact your child's tutor so that we can support them. If you would like your child to speak to the life coach, please contact me directly and I will add their name to the life coach list. There is a waiting list but we can add students to this list.



Year 12 Open Days

University open days for 2024 entry have already started. It is up to students to book themselves onto these days and inform the school. We have become aware that a number of students are yet to book open days. As a result we have dedicated the last two tutor sessions to booking open days and will continue to encourage students to do so over the coming weeks. The best place for students, and yourselves, to find out about the open days that are running is to use the following website <https://www.opendays.com/>



Student Stars



Each week we celebrate two students who have gone above and beyond with their contributions to Sixth Form. They are invited to attend 'hot chocolate' with Mr McSweeney on a Wednesday morning and entered into a prize draw at the end of each term. This week's Student Stars were Rosa Ketley in year 12 and Lewis Fahy in year 13.



Yearbook

Payments for the yearbook have now closed. We will be putting through the order this week and students should receive the book, if ordered, on results day.

Student leadership

We have received a number of applications for the student leadership roles. We will now enter into the appointment phase and aim to have the new leadership team in place for the start of next half term.



Year 12 Attendance

Year 12 attendance this year has been outstanding and deserving of praise. They currently have the highest attendance of all year groups in the school, and this is further evidence of their determination to succeed at A levels. We will continue to work with the year to maintain this high level and support those who may fall below the expected standard. Congratulations.

Regards

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