

Head of Year 11



May Half Term Newsletter

Miss Sadler, Head of Year
Mrs Whelan, Assistant Head of Year

Year 11 have had an excellent spring half term. The year group have been focusing on revision for the GCSE's and have been showing an impressive level of maturity and resilience. After school there is a exam focused study session time table allowing students to attend study sessions with their subject teachers the day before the examination for some final hints, or just to calm their nerves.

Conduct during the exams so far has been exemplary, as students have arrived in the right location, punctually and with all the correct equipment. They have impressed everyone with their attitude at this time.

Interventions have been held over the Easter holidays, and a small number will be running over half term. Parents /carer have been contacted by text message to make them aware of these. Attendance at these sessions has been very good, and students in attendance have all commented on how useful they have found them, expressing their gratitude to the teachers who have supported them.

We wish all of Year 11 the best in their final examinations after May half-term.

Year 11 Prom

The prom this year has been booked for the Limes Country Lodge Hotel in Earlswood. It will be held on the 22nd June and guests can arrive from 6pm. We are looking forward to sharing this special occasion with Year 11 and seeing the whole year group celebrating together. If you have not yet bought your ticket it is still open on schoolcomms, although final numbers need to be confirmed to the venue at the start of June, so please book promptly. You will need to provide your consent with the deposit before being able to make any of the additional payments.

Sixth form Advice

Throughout the year, students have been attending interviews and guidance sessions with our Sixth Form and careers teams to support them in their applications for post 16 education. We are pleased to be expecting many of our students to be returning here in September. We will continue to support all our students over Year 11 once their results have come in, please talk to Miss Sadler or Mrs Whelan if you need any support.

Message from Miss Hunter

As the academic year draws to a close, I wanted to take a moment to express my heartfelt congratulations on the incredible achievements and progress you have made. It gives me great pleasure to commend each and every one of you for your hard work, dedication, and unwavering commitment throughout your time at Bishop Challoner.

Your enthusiasm for learning and your determination to succeed have been truly inspiring. Whether it was the late-night study sessions, the countless hours of revision, or the perseverance in tackling challenging assignments, your efforts have not gone unnoticed. You have consistently demonstrated a remarkable level of maturity and resilience, and it fills me with pride to witness the growth and development you have exhibited.

Through your diligence, you have acquired valuable knowledge and skills that will undoubtedly serve as a strong foundation for your future endeavours. As you embark on the next chapter of your educational journey or explore various career paths, remember that the experiences and lessons you have gained here will guide you towards success. Embrace the challenges that lie ahead with the same determination and passion that you have shown throughout your time at our school.

While this academic year may have presented unforeseen challenges and uncertainties, you have proven your ability to adapt and thrive. I have heard your resilience has been truly remarkable, and I have no doubt that you will continue to overcome any obstacles that may come your way in the future.

As you are now preparing for the next step of your journey, I urge you to approach them with confidence and belief in your abilities. Remember to take care of yourselves during the summer, both physically and mentally, and know that we are always here to assist you in any anxieties you may have.

Finally, as your time at our school draws to a close, I extend my warmest wishes for your future endeavours. May you find fulfilment and success in all your pursuits, and may your journey be filled with opportunities to grow, learn, and make a positive impact on the world around you.

Once again, congratulations on a truly successful year at Bishop Challoner. You have demonstrated remarkable determination and resilience, and it has been an honor to be part of your educational journey. I am confident that you will accomplish great things, and I look forward to hearing about your future successes.

Take care and good luck!
Miss Hunter













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