

## Sixth Form Notices 7th November 2022



"It is not enough to just do your best or work hard. You must know what to work on"

W Edwards Deming

## EXAMS & REPORTS

- Year 13 Mock exams this week these will help inform predicted grades, next step choices and your own ACTION PLANS. As results come in – consider what you need to do to achieve the grade required for your first / preferred university course – and (of course) act on it. GOOD LUCK.
- Year 12 Reports issued before Half Term ARE YOU MAKING PROGRESS?
- ORGANISING YOUR TIME. Need help organising your time effectively? Pick up a form from the desk in front of Mr McFadden.
- YEAR 12 INTERESTED IN BEING HOUSE LEAD? Apply to Miss Forbes.
- Poppies volunteers needed to help sell these see Mrs Clarke.
- INTERESTED IN MENTORING? See email from Mr Horrocks' email 3<sup>rd</sup> November.
- YEAR 13 UCAS progress it is in your best interest to get the form completed and sent it can then be reviewed by your referee (Mrs Lennon / Mr Wilbraham) so that:
  - o it can be checked,
  - o a school reference written.
  - o the form discussed and approved (you and your referee) -then sent to UCAS as soon as possible.

The official UCAS 'deadline' may be January 9th, but competitive courses fill up early. Deadline to ensure a school reference is Friday 6th December. PHE – this week – drop in to SF Office with individual queries.

- DURHAM UNIVERSITY would you benefit from having one to one tuition from a DU student? Sign up here Experience Durham: One-to-one Tutoring Tutee Sign-Up! Durham University
- UCL A Parent's Guide to University this isn't just about UCL, isn't just about university, isn't just for Year 13, and isn't just for parents (post-16 students should take ownership for their own learning / future). <a href="https://www.ucl.ac.uk/widening-">https://www.ucl.ac.uk/widening-</a>
  - participation/sites/widening participation/files/2019 awpo parents guide.pdf
- REPORTS Year 12 'Settling In' reports issued the week before Half Term break. Have you built your ACTION PLANS into your weekly routines?
- YEAR 12 Hoodies arrive this week.
- YEAR 13 Oxbridge applicants interview support session (Richard Petty, Ox) Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> November, 3pm. Organise your mock preparation to accommodate making the most of this support.
- YEAR 13
  - YEARBOOK? Room \$\$3. Meeting this week lunchtime (Wednesday).
  - LEAVERS' BALL? SF Meeting Room. Meeting this week lunchtime (Tuesday).

| Monday    |  |
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| Tuesday   | <ul> <li>Leaver's Ball Committee – meet in SFMR – lunchtime.</li> <li>YEAR 13 – Oxbridge applicants – interview support session (Richard Petty, Ox). Organise your mock preparation to accommodate making the most of this support.</li> </ul> |
| Wednesday | Yearbook Committee – meet in \$\$3 – lunchtime (12.10pm start)   |
| Thursday  |  |
| Friday    |  |

Check the noticeboard in the SF area every day & emails / Teams regularly