



Monday 7 July 2025

Y12 PHE – paused

Priority updates	<p>Head student team announced – well done to appointees and to all who applied and were interviewed.</p> <p>UCAS 2026 applications – buzzword to attach your application form to our school: <i>Comprehensive</i> (Early applicants for Medicine/Oxbridge will need this because of needing to register for pre-admissions tests ASAP).</p> <p>PIP on UCAS James Hall Tuesday 5.30-6.30pm (Durham and NCL universities)</p> <p>Predicted grades: mocks do not dictate predicted grades for UCAS. Your mocks grades are how you achieved in recent timed, formal conditions. They will form a piece of the puzzle, but they are one of many factors that will be taken into account. They will be issued to you in PHE in September – 6<sup>th</sup> Form team will lead with this. UCAS predicted grades should be positive and ambitious yet also be realistic and fair. This balancing act we're very experienced with and have a proven track record of being ambitious and realistic. More details to follow in September.</p> <p>Resits: If students have achieved Es or Us in their Y12 mocks, they will be taking a September resit in that subject (if they wish to continue with it into Y13). They should have spoken with the department about the resit. Resits should be completed by the end of the second week back (W/B 8<sup>th</sup> September) and can be completed in silent, private study time.</p> <p>Work shadowing or EPQ work 14<sup>th</sup> July onwards: good luck!</p>
Monday	Mock feedback continues – reports issued this week
Tuesday	Cambridge trip meeting IT4/PE classroom 10.45-11am: compulsory attendance. Any issues contact JW UCAS PIP James Hall 5.30-6.30pm
Wednesday	Extended form time Oxbridge webinar PIP 6-7.15pm (sign up details and link in Oxbridge Team)
Thursday	Cambridge visit
Friday	Cambridge visit
Sport and Wellbeing	KS5 Wellbeing drop-in is Friday lunchtime with Ms Walton. See posters for details
Careers Insight	<a href="#">Careers resource: Year 13 – what to expect   UCAS</a>
Apprenticeship support	Interested in an Apprenticeship? Read this! <a href="#">The Sixth Formers' Guide to Degree Apprenticeships</a>
University admissions support –	<p><a href="#">University Rankings and League Tables 2026</a></p> <p><a href="#">QS World University Rankings 2026: Top Global Universities   Top Universities</a></p> <p><a href="#">QS World University Rankings - Durham University</a> (Durham is an excellent starting place to put other universities into context. We live and work next to a truly world class university!)</p>
MedSoc	UCAT booking open! <a href="#">UCAT Registration 2025 - What You Need To Know</a>
Y12 Oxbridge applicants	<p>Registration for webinar with Richard Petty 9 July 6-7.15pm 9 July (for parents): <a href="#">Oxford for North East parent/carer workshop 2024-25 registration</a> (Parents need to register)</p> <p>Register for Cambridge open day sessions (register for Thursday if Friday is full) <a href="#">University of Cambridge Open Days July 2025   University of Cambridge</a></p> <p><a href="#">Admissions tests   University of Oxford</a> <a href="https://www.undergraduate.study.cam.ac.uk/apply/how/admission-tests">https://www.undergraduate.study.cam.ac.uk/apply/how/admission-tests</a></p>
New! Super-curricular	<a href="#">Lucy Cavendish College Newsletter - June 2025.pdf</a> - Excellent super curricular links from page 4 onwards – for all Y12 students.

07.07.25	<p>Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> PIP 5.30-6.30pm -James Hall</p> <p>Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> Oxbridge webinar PIP 6.00-7.15pm</p>
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