

Sixth Form Bulletin

Summer Term: Monday 16 July to Friday 20 July 2018

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Year 12: At, Bn/Ms, By, Ch, De/Bd, Du, Mh, Mx, Sg, Sp, Wa, YOU

Year 13: Ar, Bs, Bt, Ca/Gt, Cb, Da, Gd, Gw, Ma, Mr, Rn, KEE

- **Wednesday** - Y12 End of Year Assembly – 8.30am & P1 in Dining Hall
- **Thursday** - Wadham College Oxford session 11.00-12.00 in main Hall
Y12 First Aid course 2.00-4.00pm in main Hall
- **Friday** - Pre-Public Exam Results Event 8.45am in main Hall
Y12 First Aid course 2.00-4.00pm in main Hall

- Year 12 Results morning on Friday. Students should register with form tutors then make their way to the main hall at 8.45am, where they can collect their mock exam results paperwork. There will be an opportunity for students to get feedback from teachers in lessons. Some teachers may ask that students re-sit mock exams in September within classrooms. The mocks used were A level exam papers; students are halfway through their A level studies and so it is to be expected that students may perform a little below their target grades. Any student who is very concerned about results should see Mrs Gosling or Mr Hedges.
- A reminder that students should hand in draft Personal Statements to tutors by Friday 20 July. Students should continue working on them through the summer, adding anything extra-curricular you do over the holidays.
- It's not too late to apply for the First Aid courses being held in school on Thursday 19 July and Friday 20 July 2pm-4pm. An opportunity to learn valuable life-saving skills and looks good on CVs and UCAS applications! Cost £10 payable through Parentmail or at the Business Centre.
- Please note that Mrs Reagen, Sixth Form Administrator, will not be in school Thursday.
- Please empty lockers and remove padlocks before the last day of term, as these will be cleared by site team during the holidays.
- Congratulations to Aimee, Mahil, Finlay and Joel (captain) who came second in the regional heat of Lincoln University Challenge on 12 July. They are now through to the Final to be held at Lincoln University later this year.
- Please see arrangements for the final day below. ALL students are required to attend their House Assembly.
- Message for Science students: Making you aware of a Maths for Science course <http://www.open.edu/openlearn/science-maths-technology/mathematics-and-statistics/mathematics-education/maths-science/content-section---learningoutcomes>
It is an online course that you can complete in your own time and gain a certificate – very useful in demonstrating dedication for your subject for UCAS. If anyone needs any personal statement/application advice, a reminder you can find Miss Marshall in S4 most lunchtimes – pop along in AM reg or when you are passing to arrange a time.
- “Women in Economics Day” at Gonville & Caius College Cambridge on Thursday 20 September for female students in Years 12 and 13. Information at: <https://www.cai.cam.ac.uk/news/caius-women-economics-day-returns-fourth-year> . Places allocated on a first-come, first-served basis. Booking form to be completed by teachers, so please let your form tutor or Mrs Reagen know if you are interested, as soon as possible.
- Medical work experience summer camps in London. 2-weeks starting on either 24 July or 5 August, or 1-week starting on either 19 or 26 August. Subsidised cost for first 25 applicants by 17 July will be £790 1-week course, £1290 2-week course. Includes accommodation, meals, transport, supervision and course. Details at: <https://www.premedprojects.co.uk/year-11-13-half-term-medical-projects>

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Arrangements for Last Day – Tuesday 24 July

8.30	Register with tutors Normal lessons for rest of the morning, with students required to attend House Assemblies at the following times:
8.45-9.25	River House
9.35-10.15	Leger House
10.25-11.05	Wheatsheaf House (break for this House will be 11.05-11.25, then go to lessons)
11.15-11.55	Bridge House
12.05-12.45	Crosier House
12.50	Return to form room to register before you leave

Please be prompt to your assembly and line up on the painted letters on the Resource Centre playground – Year 12 at 'E'.

Canteen will only open for break.

School closes at 1.05pm with buses arranged for 1.15pm.

Apprenticeships & Careers

- EY Business Consulting Apprenticeship – for anyone interested in financial services. Starting September. Details at: <https://www.ukcareers.ey.com/schools/our-programmes/apprenticeships/>
- Apprenticeship opportunity with a local structural engineering company in St Ives. Please contact Mrs Rix if interested
- Aon Insurance Apprenticeships – visit <http://www.aonearlycareers.co.uk/apprenticeships-3> .
- Medical Studies Abroad – Open Day event on 19 August at Kensington Conference and Events Centre, London W8 at 12.30pm (free entry). For students interested in a career in Medicine, Dentistry and Veterinary Medicine – information on studying at EU universities. For further information email schools@studymedicineeurope.com or telephone 020 3808 2983.
- EY's Degree Apprenticeship in Digital Innovation, starting September 2018. Details at: <https://www.ukcareers.ey.com/schools/our-programmes/apprenticeships/>
- Technology and Finance Apprenticeship opportunities with asset management company, Schroders. Details at www.schroders.com/en/people/starting-out
- Apprenticeship opportunities at CGI: Software Development and Project Management. Details at: www.cgi-group.col.uk/careers/
- Civil Service Fast Track Apprenticeships leading to a Level 4 apprenticeship. Offers a permanent role within a government department. More details at www.gov.uk/government/organisations/civil-service-fast-track-apprenticeship
- Apprenticeship opportunities with Dstl (the Defence Science and Technology laboratory), including: Project Management (ref 1572394), Electrical Engineer (ref 1572362), Data Analyst (ref 1572423). Visit the Civil Service Jobs site at www.civilservicejobs.service.gov.uk
- Free online resource www.studentladder.co.uk - information and guidance for work experience, apprenticeships, gap year placements, careers insights, and opportunities for graduates.
- Lloyds Insurance Apprenticeship Programmes are now open. Details at: www.lloyds.com/apprenticeships
- Apprenticeship vacancies at www.targetcareers.co.uk.

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Work Experience Opportunities

- Medic Insight Events in London – details at: www.medicalprojects.co.uk/medic-insight-day . Cost £175.

University Taster Days

- Medicine UCAS Day for Year 10-13 students on Wednesday 25 July at Imperial College London. Details at www.premedprojects.co.uk
- Details of Taster days in various subjects are available at www.london.ac.uk/tasters and www.universitytasterdays.com