





#### **Head of Sixth Form Message**

This week our Year 13 students have been busy discussing what to pack for their USA trip and there is a palpable excitement in the air. The organisation and planning, which started over a year ago, has finally come to conclusion and the students will be heading off on Friday. We are very grateful to Miss Young who has been meticulously planning and the students who were extremely proactive in raising funds through a range of fundraising activities to make the trip both educational and enjoyable. We look forward to hearing all about your escapades!

Our Sixth Form Open Evening will be taking place on Thursday 7th November. This is a great opportunity for students to get involved and speak about their chosen courses, future aspirations and Sixth Form experience with other students and their families. Please do encourage your child to get involved. If you know of anyone in Year 11, please tell them about this fantastic evening.

Our Sixth Form Shout Outs are coming in think and fast, please do take a moment to read this element of the bulletin and encourage your child to keep a record of all their achievements as we can refer to them within any future applications.

Chloe Dowden

### **KEY INFO**

- **Year 12 Parents Evening Presentation**
- Sixth Form Dress Code
- Book and Latté Menu
- Year 12 Year Group Photo (Code: T3H-<u>B9W-Q7HG</u>)
- Year 12 Studying tips/Product Design

# **KEY DATES**

Friday 18th October to Thursday 24th October: USA Trip

Tuesday 5th November to Monday 11th November: Math /English Re-sits.

Thursday 7th November: Year 11 Sixth Form Open Evening Monday 25th November: Year 12 and 13 MMR Vaccinations

Friday 29th November: Year 12&13 Business Trip

Tuesday 7th January to Friday 17th January: Year 13 Mocks

Wednesday 22nd January: Year 13 Art and Photography Mock

Friday 7th February: Criminology Parliament Trip Thursday 6th March: Year 12 Parents Evening

Tuesday 25th March: Year 12 & 13 UCAS Discovery

## **SUPPORT**



**Emotional and Physical Support:** Mental Health Charity: Young Minds Bedfordshire Drop in Services: Young Persons Sanctuary **HelpLines: Samaritans** Sexual Health: icash ETA Safeguarding: <u>Etonbury Safeguarding</u>

**Academic Support:** 

Funding: Harper Trust **Funding: Sutton Trust** Bursary: 16 - 19 Bursary

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\*All students are encouraged to have a Linkedin account.

## **SHOUT OUTS!**

- Year 12 Business have done an excellent job at starting the year, they have been keen and enthusiastic, showing an excellent attitude to learning, especially those who have not studied the subject before. Miss E Taylor
- Year 13 finance continue to plough through the content of sustainable finances in preparation for their first case study and exam in Year 13. Miss E **Taylor**
- Well done Aryan K for scoring 35/42 on his end of unit Product Design test. Mr R Gould
- Thank you Will D and Jake A for preparing the Subject Boards for the Sixth Form Open Evening. Ms L Schumann
- Thank you Lucia M-H and Oliva G for compiling a questionnaire aimed at gathering feedback on the Sixth Form Cafe. Ms L Schumann

#### **COMING UP**

- Enrichment opportunity for potential lawyers- mock trial competition run by Young Citizens charity. Please contact Mrs Harbour-Cooper immediately as the timescales are tight.
- Network Rail STEM and Careers Festival -Milton Keynes, on Saturday 9th - Sunday 10th November, from 9am - 3pm. <u>National Rail - STEM</u>
- **Budding Scientists Only opportunity to join GCSE** Science Live. While this trip is aimed at GCSE level it is a fantastic opportunity to hear from world-renowned scientists. The duration of the trip is: 8:30am - 4:30pm approx. If interested students must inform Mr Lowrie by the 11th October.

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Driving Lesson / Test - Permission Form: <u>Driving Permission Form</u> Gym Permission Form: Gym Permission Form

#### STUDENT VOICE / NOTICES

Year 12 and 13 - Sixth Form Open Evening - Nov 7th - If you would like to represent your subject please speak with your subject teacher.

Year 13 - Business Studies intervention is taking place Wednesday lunchtimes with Miss Taylor - all students can and

All students - please make best use of your Linkedin accounts.



