

Windsor Sixth Form Bulletin

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Dear Parent/Carer

Today we celebrated and said goodbye to our current Year 13 students in their Leavers Assembly. The assembly was followed by a buffet lunch where students and staff were able to say their goodbyes and wish the students the best of luck. It has been a pleasure to get to know the Year 13 students and work with them during their time in Sixth Form and I am positive that they will all go on and achieve great things in their lives after leaving Windsor.

For Year 12 students, we will be hosting a Parent Information Evening on Thursday 16th June, which will inform parents about the different routes available after Sixth Form. The focus will be on University and the UCAS process and also the options for students wishing to apply for apprenticeships. When we return after half term our tutor programme will further guide students with these decisions.

Congratulations to all the students who played a key role in our Sixth Form football team. The students were entered into a competitive league 'ECFA West Midlands Men's Regional Invitation 2' and they are the league winners. The team won 16 of their 18 games and scored 101 goals. We are very proud of them all.

A further reminder about our business dress code. With the weather becoming warmer students must still adhere to our dress code expectations. Attached is a copy of the dress code.

Should your son/daughter have any concerns, please encourage them to speak with their Form Tutor or subject teacher in the first instance.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any further questions

We wish all of our Key Stage 5 students the very best of luck in their BTEC and A-Level Examinations and all the best of luck for the future.

Kind regards

Mrs J Dhanoya
Assistant Headteacher

Year 12 UCAS Convention, The NEC Birmingham - Tuesday 21st June

It is that time of the year that Year 12 students begin to consider their options beyond Sixth Form. We have arranged for all Windsor Sixth Form students to attend the UCAS Convention at the NEC on Tuesday 21st June. Students will be required to be in school by **8.40am** and will return at approximately **3.20pm**. This visit is **free of charge**.

Representatives from a large number of universities will be present to distribute their prospectus, answer course specific questions and provide students with a sense of the opportunities available to them. In addition to the universities, there will also be representatives from alternative pathways to university, who will give students the opportunity to discuss degree routes, apprenticeships, employment or even gap years.

Please could I ask you to complete the reply slip and EV6 consent form which has already been sent out to you by **Wednesday 8th June**.



UCAS exhibitions

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The Sixth Form email is:
sixthform@windsor.windsoracademytrust.org.uk

Post-18 Parents Information Evening Thursday 16th June 2022

This event aims to give Parents/Carers a clear insight into the options available after Sixth Form study for your son/daughter. In particular, you will receive information and advice regarding the university application process (UCAS). There will be representatives from universities who will speak about selecting the right course, choosing the right university and student finance. Our Careers and Further Education Advisor, will be running the session on Apprenticeships and employment.

The event is being held in the Sixth Form and begins at 5pm, with various sessions and talks. Further information to follow.



Year 13 leavers

Following Leavers Assembly today, Year 13 A-Level students will have the option to attend lessons for revision, or they may decide to study from home until they sit their exams. Staff will be available from this point onwards at the usual timetabled times and locations to support students with their revision prior to their subject examinations. Some subjects/staff might direct students to come in, if this is the case they need to attend even if they do not have an exam then.



BTEC/CTEC students must attend all lessons until staff are able to sign off all work as being completed to the standards required. For safeguarding purposes, students must wear their lanyards and business dress and ensure they sign in and out at the Sixth Form Student Reception when attending revision sessions and examinations. No formal tutor time registration will take place. Any questions, please see Mrs Pedley as soon as possible

Sixth Form Football Champions!

Windsor High School and Sixth Form are the ECFA West Midlands Men's Regional Invitation 2 League champions!

The Sixth Form football team won 16 of their 18 games and scored 101 goals en route to a comprehensive league victory.

Well done to the whole team, and Mr Lea, who has been running the team this year.



Year 13 Students - Windsor Alumni

Want to be part of a new and exciting network?

The Windsor Alumni is a place to share what you've been doing after leaving Windsor and also get updates about forthcoming events.

Membership of this website is free and available to all former students (age 18 years and over). To join go to the link below or use the QR Code

<https://alumni.windsor.windsoracademytrust.org.uk>



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Book now to visit us at our Open Day this summer!

We would like to invite you to come and explore the University of Plymouth in the sunshine at our upcoming Undergraduate Open Day on [Wednesday 22 June 2022](#).

Located in the heart of Britain's Ocean City, the University of Plymouth is situated on the south west coast, in one of the UK's most picturesque locations. With a vast range of opportunities. Students can benefit from a mix of bustling nightlife, dramatic local landscapes and direct transport links to the rest of the UK.

Visit us at an Open Day to tour our city centre campus, explore our world-class facilities, experience our vibrant student community and see why so many students choose Plymouth as their first choice University.



Looking to join us in 2023?

We are holding Open Days for undergraduate students interested in applying to join NTU in September 2023 on:

- Friday 1st July 2022
- Saturday 2nd July 2022
- Saturday 15th October 2022
- Saturday 5th November 2022
- Wednesday 7th December 2022



Nottingham Trent University



[Book your place](#)

Academic Writing Competition 2022

Aspire Sixth Form
Windsor High School and Sixth Form

The essay should be no more than 3000 words. The essay must be submitted electronically to ralen@cheslynhay.windsoracademytrust.org.uk

Deadline to submit entries is **Monday July 4th**
Please share your entry as a google doc.

For more information, please see PowerPoint presentation attached to this bulletin.



Exam Stress - Student Resources

We have compiled a selection of [resources for tackling exam stress](#) to share with students.

You can also watch a recording of our webinar [Life skills for getting motivated and dealing with anxiety](#), with Dr Dominique Thompson, award-winning GP and young people's mental health expert.



Year 13 Revision during Whitsun

Day	Monday 30th May		Tuesday 31st May	
Session	10am-12pm	12.30-2.30pm	10am-12pm	12.30-2.30pm
YEAR 13	Geography - Paper 2 Miss Popratnjak 602 Physics Mr Willis 615	Maths Mr Drew and Mr Wootton 611 French Mrs Payton A4	Biology Miss Hopkinson 615 English Literature Miss Rauf 613	Maths Mr Drew and Mr Wootton 611

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Criminal Investigation Day 2022

Join our Criminal Investigation days as we look back at some of the most infamous cases in British legal history.

We will:

- Analyse the case evidence
- Examine how the case unfolded and the consequences
- Consider the role of legal professionals in the fight for a fair justice system

Dates:

In-person

- Birmingham, 6 July 2022, 10am-3pm - [Book your place →](#)
- Guildford, 7 July 2022, 10am-3pm - [Book your place →](#)
- London Bloomsbury, 7 July 2022, 10am-3pm - [Book your place →](#)
- Leeds, 7 July 2022, 10am-3pm - [Book your place →](#)
- Manchester, 14 July 2022, 10am-3pm - [Book your place →](#)
- Nottingham, 5 July 2022, 10am-3pm - [Book your place →](#)

Virtual

- Online, 20 July 2022, 10am-3pm - [Book your place →](#)



The University of
Law



UCAT bursary applications are now open

The University Clinical Aptitude Test (UCAT) is a computer-based admissions test, used by a consortium of UK Universities and non-UK associate member universities to help select applicants for their medical and dental degree programmes.

Details of the 2022 UCAT can be found here: [UCAT 2022 Test Cycle](#)

UCAT bursary applications are now open for Year 12/S5 students. This bursary allows eligible students to sit the UCAT exam for free.

Year 12/S5 students can apply below:

<https://www.ucat.ac.uk/bursary-application/>

To be eligible, students need to meet one of the following criteria:

Free School Meals

16 to 19 Bursary (England), or EMA (Scotland, Wales or NI)

HE Student Finance means-tested maintenance award.

Universal Credit

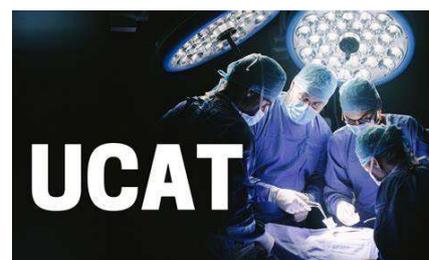
Working or Child Tax Credit

Income Support, or Job Seeker's Allowance (JSA), or

Employment and Support Allowance (ESA)

Asylum Support

Full criteria can be found here: <https://www.ucat.ac.uk/register/bursary-scheme/>



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Monday 30th May - Friday 3rd June - Half Term

Thursday 16th June - Year 12 UCAS/Post-18 Evening

Monday 20th June - Year 12 Trial exam week

Tuesday 21st June - Year 12 UCAS Convention - The NEC Birmingham

Monday 27th June - Inset day: School closed to students

Monday 4th July - Sixth Form Induction Day/Year 12 Futures Day

The school Calendar of events for the forthcoming academic year can be found on the Windsor website

<https://www.windsorhighschool.org.uk/school-life/term-dates-and-school-calendar/>

