

# Sixth Form Weekly Notes – Mon 16<sup>th</sup> Sept 2024

Week 1 – Yr13 PE; Yr12 assembly

## **Key messages (inc. community, wellbeing etc):**

**Yr12 - Please remind your parents there is an information evening for them Tues at 6pm in the Study Room.**

**Well done to the Gold DofE students for completing their qualifying expedition at the weekend.**

**We still need some volunteers for Open Mornings the following week. If you will NOT be missing lessons and want to help please email Mr Spiers.**

## **Some reminders and answers to questions from week 1:**

- Lanyards should be worn around your neck at all times whilst on site.
- Mon, Weds and Fri tutor times are compulsory for all students
- Yr12 = assembly week 1 and PE week 2
- Yr13 = assembly week 2 and PE week 1
- When you do not have assembly you should be in tutor and when you do not have PE it is a study session.
- Crop tops, really short shorts/skirts and joggers are not part of the dress code.
- The only piercings that are allowed are in your ears and nose studs. Bars, hoops etc need to be removed.
- If you are late you will be in lunch time detention unless there is a good reason and/or parents have been in touch. 5 lates in a week = 1 day internal suspension.
- Yr12 do not have any home study until after Oct half term at the earliest. You are allowed off-site at lunch time.
- Yr13 can study at home or in school unless they have supervised study. You must sign-in if you choose to study in school.
- All students should fill out blue forms for any appointments that cannot be avoided during the school day. You must sign in and out at the office.
- There will be lots more info about enrichment activities, volunteering etc coming up soon. EPQ, Core Maths, BSL etc won't start for a week or two so you are not missing anything. If you want to start making arrangements / enquiries about volunteering in or beyond school, please go ahead

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**Key dates:**

- **Tues 17<sup>th</sup> Sept @ 6pm – Study Room - Yr12 parent information evening**
- **Fri 20<sup>th</sup> Sept – Yr12 – L3 in the hall for information about Electives and Project 5000. Then lunch time in the study room – Yr12 Fresher’s Fair**
- Mon 23<sup>rd</sup> -Weds 25<sup>th</sup> – Open mornings – volunteers needed. Please let your tutor / Mr Spiers know if you are interested.
- Thurs 26<sup>th</sup> Sept – Yr13 (+Yr11) revision evening – details to follow soon
- Tues 15<sup>th</sup> Oct – Sixth Form Open Evening – volunteers needed
- Thurs 17<sup>th</sup> – Sat 19<sup>th</sup> Oct – Social Science London trip
- Thurs 24<sup>th</sup> Oct – Awards Evening
- Thurs 24<sup>th</sup> Oct – school finishes at normal time.
- Fri 25<sup>th</sup> Oct – school development day – NO LESSONS
- Mon 4<sup>th</sup> Nov - school development day – NO LESSONS
- Tues 5<sup>th</sup> Nov - first day of term 2

**PDC: Post-18 + Personal skills + Wellbeing + SPMC**

Year	Monday	Wednesday	Friday
Register – <b>DRESS CODE - LANYARDS</b> - weekly notes – WoW: - <a href="https://formtimeideas.com/">https://formtimeideas.com/</a>			
Yr12	Post 18 choices – an introduction – Unifrog ppt	Recording your post-18 intentions in Unifrog – ppt  This could be done on phones or on computers during a study period.  Don't worry if you are not sure, that is common and people also change their minds a lot.	Assembly – Access to Bristol Chairs - RMB
Yr13	5hrs in.....introduction Ppt emailed	Recording your post-18 intentions in Unifrog – ppt  This could be done on phones or on computers during a study period.  Don't worry if you are not sure, that is common and people also change their minds a lot.	More on creating good study habits: Atomic Habits ppt

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## Work experience, employment and apprenticeship opportunities / information:

Katie Witchell– our Careers Adviser is available to you all. You can email her directly at [kwitchell@sheldonschool.co.uk](mailto:kwitchell@sheldonschool.co.uk) to make an appointment or you can drop-in to the Careers Hub near the hall on Thursday or Friday lunch times.

### What is LMI? Why is it important and where can find it?

LMI is Labour Market Information. It is useful and important because it tells you what jobs are available, which are on the increase/decrease, what the pay is like etc. You can find LMI in the Careers Newsletter that comes out every week or so. You can also find it on every careers page in the Careers Library on Unifrog.

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Search <https://amazingapprenticeships.com/vacancies/>

Search and sign up for alerts at <https://www.findapprenticeship.service.gov.uk/>

<https://www.getmyfirstjob.co.uk/>

Pathway CTM: <https://pathwayctm.com/student-register/>

Uptree: <https://uptree.co/a/signup/student/>

Springpod: <https://space.springpod.com/sign-up>

The image is a screenshot of the 'Amazing Apprenticeships' website. At the top, there is a navigation menu with links for HOME, RESOURCES, EVENTS, ABOUT US, NEWS, CONTACT US, CAREERS WITH US, and SUBSCRIBE, along with social media icons for Twitter, Instagram, LinkedIn, and a hamburger menu. Below the navigation, there is a large teal banner with the text 'HIGHER & DEGREE APPRENTICESHIP VACANCY LISTING' in white. To the left of the banner, there are several company logos including Amazon, JCB, mace, Rolls Royce, Experian, pwc, Morrisons, HSBC, MBDA, and J.P. Morgan. A 'BACK' button is visible in the bottom right corner of the banner area.

<https://amazingapprenticeships.com/higher-degree-listing/>

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Career Days give students an insight into different careers that might appeal to them, advice on subject choices and how to apply to university, followed by work experience in the afternoon to help them see what the career may be like. Students receive a certificate confirming their work experience.

Students who are aged 13-18 can register to join the online days by visiting [www.careerdays.co.uk](http://www.careerdays.co.uk)

The schedule is as follows:

**Midwifery Career Day** - Saturday 21st September 2024

**Medicine Career Day** - Saturday 5th October 2024

**Dentistry Career Day** - Sunday 6th October 2024

**Business Career Day** - Saturday 12th October 2024

**Psychology Career Day** - Saturday 19th October 2024

**Architect Career Day - Saturday 26th October 2024**

**Performing Arts Career Day - Sunday 27th October 2024**

**Law Career Day - Saturday 2nd November 2024**

**Vet Career Day - Saturday 9th November 2024**

**Computer Science Career Day - Saturday 23rd November 2024**

**Engineering & Technology Career Day - Saturday 30th November 2024**

Students can visit [www.careerdays.co.uk](http://www.careerdays.co.uk) to join a session that interests them and will receive a certificate at the end of the day confirming their work experience.

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# RUH Careers Evening

The next RUH Careers Evening is 17<sup>th</sup> October 2024 5 - 7.30pm. There will be stand holders from a wide variety of roles both clinical and non-clinical. Such as maternity and radiology.

If you are interested in Healthcare or would like to know more about the RUH, book your space now by scanning the QR code.



The RUH, where you matter

Poster removal date 17/10/2024

<https://www.tickettailor.com/events/royalunitedhospitalsbathnhsfoundationtrust/1322881>

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**University and other opportunities:**

Check out UCAS and [www.opendays.com](http://www.opendays.com) for lots of open day information and opportunities including:

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**Gresham College** lectures are a great way to learn beyond the curriculum and give you things to write about in university applications - <https://www.gresham.ac.uk/whats-on?see-all>



**A Mirror in the Sky**  
Professor Chris Lintott  
Wed, 11 Sep 2024

- [Watch Online](#)
- In-person tickets [available](#)



**Magical Mystery Tour: The  
Invention of The Beatles**  
Prof Milton Memikides  
Thu, 12 Sep 2024

- [Watch Online](#)
- In-person tickets sold out



**The Big Brain: Size and  
Intelligence**  
Professor Alain Goriely  
Tue, 17 Sep 2024

- [Watch Online](#)
- In-person tickets [available](#)



**What is Modern Paganism?**  
Professor Ronald Hutton  
Wed, 18 Sep 2024

- [Watch Online](#)
- In-person tickets [available](#)



**Human Rights Law:  
Bringing Power to the  
Powerless**

Prof Clive Stafford Smith  
Thu, 19 Sep 2024

- [Watch Online](#)
- In-person tickets [available](#)



**The Ancient History of  
Computers and Code**  
Professor Victoria Baines  
Tue, 24 Sep 2024

- [Watch Online](#)
- In-person tickets [available](#)

- **September 17 @ 16:30 - 17:15** Global Health & Social Issues Facing Children & Young People with UEA (KS5) [Find out more »](#) **[NEW]**
- **September 18 @ 13:45 - 14:30** Statistics: Detecting Hidden Pattern Via Hypothesis Testing - Warwick (KS5) [Find out more »](#) **[NEW]**
- **September 19 @ 16:30 - 17:15** HE Guidance: How To Get A Head Start On Your University Application - UEA (KS5) [Find out more »](#) **[NEW]**
- **September 23 @ 15:45 - 16:45** Engineering - General vs Specialism - University Insights - UEA & Nottingham (KS5) [Find out more »](#) **[NEW]**
- **September 24 @ 13:30 - 14:15** History: Fascism(s) - Comparing Italian & German Experiences - UEA (KS5) [Find out more »](#) **[NEW]**

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**Birthdays recently or coming up – Happy Birthday to...**



**Last week: Sylvie E; Megan D; Ashe R; Alexandra M; Talia A; Sophia W;  
Charlotte G, Riley H**

**This week: Otis P; Macey S; Lisette G; Amber G; Tanisha B; Hugo B and  
Hanni D**

**Pet of the week: Send yours to Mr Spiers**