

Year 12 Information Evening

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So what is it all about?
A student's perspective...

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‘Year 12 means looking beyond the textbook for the answers, doing things you never thought you were capable of and focusing on your talents...’



Independent Learning

- A key aspect of sixth form studies is for our students to become independent in their learning
- It is about us taking away the reins and letting the students find things out for themselves
- It is about them being resilient and bouncing back from failure



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“Ability will only get you so far, it is the hard work that will really get the results”



Learning: The Step-Up from GCSE

- Focus = Independent Learning, there should be an increase in self motivation and resilience
- 1 hour of lesson = 1 hour of independent study, whilst still obtaining work experience and having a life!
- July Pre-Public Exams - these must be passed in order to continue with that subject. They **MUST** hit the ground running in Year 12!



Target Setting

- Is based upon prior attainment from KS4 and tracks the progress of similar students nationally
- We set aspirational targets which would place the students in the top 25% nationally
- Targets will be received by half term



Our focus is on the success of your child... academic mentoring

- As part of their pastoral responsibilities, form tutors will meet regularly with their tutees to mentor them throughout their studies
- After progress checks we will review the data and arrange meetings with both the students and their parents
- Mr Hassett will be working from now with those students who have entered 6th form on probation



Progression to Year 13

- Students MUST pass the Pre Public Exam in July in order to continue with that subject
- Students must have 3 subjects to continue with to progress into Year 13
- Lots of Post-18 option choice support available



UCAS Support

- All students are registered with Unifrog and should be using this now to consider their pathways
- In March, all students will visit a HE convention to gather further information
- There is ongoing support for apprenticeships, including our fair next week
- Medical students have been offered the chance to attend a seminar this Friday
- Oxbridge students attend masterclasses and also attend a specialised applicants day
- Post 18 Pathways day in the summer of year 12 to get registered with UCAS
- Personalised support throughout year 13



Unifrog

- All Year 12 should have created their accounts and can be using it from now to consider their pathways



If they are not sure what they want to do when they leave school, there is lots of exploring to do



ACCESS ALL THE TOOLS BELOW
Exploring pathways

Careers library
✓ Careers favourited

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Subjects library
✓ Subjects favourited

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Know-how library
✓ Guides favourited

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You have 8 shortlists
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Updated every 24hrs, use Unifrog to find Apprenticeships that interest them





Select Vacancies below

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Intermediate (2183)

Equivalent to GCSEs

 [Business Administration Apprenticeship](#)
 Garthcoates Solicitors
Distance: 0 miles



 [BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION APPRENTICESHIP](#)
 Castelo Solicitors Limited
Distance: 0 miles

 [Business Administration](#)

Advanced (952)

Equivalent to A-levels


 [Contracts Administrator Apprentice](#)
 La Fosse Associates Ltd
Distance: 0 miles



 [Compliance Officer Apprentice - 14612](#)
 Mayday Healthcare Plc
Distance: 0 miles

 [Personal Assistant and Corporate Support Apprentice](#)

Higher / SLP (250)

Higher / SLP / Degree apps

 [Apprentice QA Tester](#)
 Experian Ltd
Distance: 0 miles

 [Software Development L4 Apprenticeship](#)
 Transport for London
Distance: 0 miles

 [Intermediate Business Apprenticeship - Pimlico, London](#)

next: 4 vacancies ▶























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Search Unifrog to find the University courses they like the look of

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Aspirational (162) Top of your range	Solid (84) In the middle	Safe (87) At the bottom
<p> Law - 3FT LLB (Hons)   King's College London, University of London A Level: A*,A,A</p>	<p> Law - 4FT LLB (Hons) Robert Gordon University A Level: B,B,C</p>	<p> Law, Criminology and Criminal Justice - 3FT LLB (Hons) Teesside University UCAS Points: 88</p>
<p> Law (Bachelor of Laws) - 3FT LLB (Hons)   London School of Economics and Political Science, University of London A Level: A*,A,A</p>	<p> Law - 3FT/4SW LLB (Hons) University of Lincoln A Level: B,B,C</p>	<p> Law - 3FT LLB (Hons) Teesside University UCAS Points: 88</p>
<p> Law with Hispanic Law (4 years) - 4FT LLB (Hons)   UCL (University College London) A Level: A*,A,A</p>	<p> Law - 3FT/6PT LLB (Hons) Oxford Brookes University UCAS Points: 112</p>	<p> Foundation year in Law - 5SW LLB (Hons) Northumbria University UCAS Points: 80</p>
<p> Law - 3FT LLB (Hons) </p>	<p> Law - 3FT LLB (Hons) Manchester Metropolitan University A Level: B,B,C-B,B,B</p>	<p> Law (Extended) - 4FT LLB University of Greenwich A Level: B,B</p>
<p> Law - 3FT LLB (Hons) </p>	<p> Law - 4SW LLB (Hons) Bournemouth University</p>	

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Unifrog will also show you the GCSE grades you need for each course so you know what you need to do now to help yourself in the future



Smart ranking and filtering on every tool enables them to make informed choices and show courses relevant to them

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Entry requirements	Average points	% Graduate jobs	Fees	Starting salary	Dropout rate	Hours of lectures	Hours of tutorials
Hours of workshops	% Satisfaction	% Application success (Overall)	% Application success (UK)	Size of uni	% international		
Guardian ranking	QS world ranking	Accommodation cost	Distance from London	Social life			

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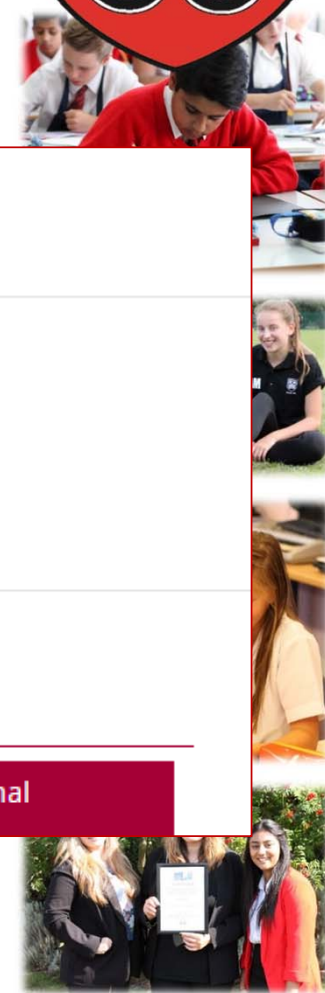
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Justice - 3FT LLB (Hons)



Create a bank of their interests and skills to draw on in applications and interviews



Recording what you've done

Activities

- ✓ Started
- ✗ Recorded at least 10

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Competencies

- ✓ Started
- ✗ Completed all 7

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Interactions

- ✓ 18 Interactions recorded
- ✗ Missing 4 Interaction types

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Enrichment

- 5 enrichment sessions over 2 years run by Positively Mad
 1. Transition Workshop
 2. Learn to Live (Gordon Craig)
 3. Motivation Workshop
 4. Exam Busters Workshop
 5. Resilience Workshop
- £20 payable by parentpay or by cheque to the finance office



Other opportunities

- Ambassador role
- EPQ
- World Challenge
- National Citizens Service
- Trips – Berlin, Iceland
- Work experience
- Physical exercise



How can you support your child?

- Talk to your child about their studies
- Be sympathetic of stressful times in the school year
- Be in close contact with school if there are concerns – working together is powerful
- Monitor paid work outside of school
- Encourage separation from electronic devices!
- Encourage good attendance and punctuality



Key Dates – KS5 Calendar

16th October: Initial Appraisals sent home, the ‘health check’.

8th January: Progress Check 1

26th February – Progress Check 2

5th March – Year 12 Parents’ Evening

24th April – Progress Check 3

7th June – Year 12 study leave begins

26th June – Year 12 PPEs end

27th June – Year 12 lessons recommence

10th July – Progress Check 4 and PPE results



Mental Health Awareness

Nicky Kuklys

