



Year 13 Parents' Support Evening



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Subject:

Contact subject teachers and Heads of Department



Registration and PSHE

- Students must attend registration with tutors on Monday, Thursday and Friday at 2.00pm
- Assembly at 2.00pm on Tuesday
- PSHE Period 1 on Tuesday Week A

Attendance for these sessions is compulsory.



PSHE and Community Service

- PSHE will focus on UCAS and Other pathways until January
- PSHE from January will deal with issues regarding Mental and Physical Health, Alcohol and Drug Abuse, Environmental and Political Issues etc.
- All students are required to complete 20 hours of Community Service – Charity work, Primary School Mentoring, Lower School Mentoring.

Conduct



Sixth Form Students are expected to conduct themselves in a mature, responsible and organised manner. B4L points will be assigned for the following:

- Failure to bring necessary equipment and texts to lessons
- Failure to meet deadlines
- Poor attitude to learning
- Failure to follow the rules and expectations of the whole school

Conduct 1: Tutor

•5 B4L points

- Formal letter from YCC - listing the transgressions
- Tutor arranges meeting with Parents/ Carer - on report to Tutor.
- Appropriate support offered



Conduct 2: Head of Year

•10 B4L points

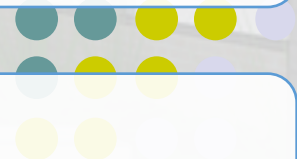
- Formal letter from Director of Sixth - listing the transgressions
- YCC arranges meeting with Parents/ Carer
- Support plan put in place



Conduct 3: Director of Sixth

•15 B4L points

- Formal letter from Director of Sixth - listing the transgressions
- DO6 arranges meeting with Parents/ Carer



•20 B4L points

- Fixed Term Exclusion - 3 days in IMPACT
- Any student who receives 40 points in a year will be **PERMANENTLY EXCLUDED FROM SIXTH FORM.**

Attendance

Attendance 1 Tutor

- **Unauthorised attendance is below 90%**
- Formal letter from YCC
- Tutor arranges meeting with Parents/ Carer
- 95% attendance for next 3 weeks **or goes to Stage 2.**

Attendance 2 YCC

- **Failed Stage 1 OR attendance is below 85% after first 4 weeks.**
- Formal letter from DO6
- Head of Year arranges meeting with Parents/ Carer - Individual support plan put in place
- 95% attendance for next 3 weeks **or goes to Stage 3.**

Attendance 3 DO6

- **Failed Stage 2.**
- Formal letter from DO6
- DO6 arranges meeting with Parents/ Carer- Individual support plan put in place



- 95% attendance for rest of Academic Year or **PERMANENTLY EXCLUDED FROM 6th FORM**

Classrooms doors closed 5 minutes after lesson starts

Key Dates

- **7th October 2016** INSET
- **15th October 2016** Applications for Oxford, Cambridge or courses in medicine, dentistry and veterinary medicine/science UCAS deadline
- **18th October** Creative Day
- **5th to 11th January 2017** Mock Exams
- **15th January 2017** Applications for the majority of courses should arrive at UCAS by 18:00 (UK time) today (check course details for the correct deadline). The reference has to be completed before your application can be sent.
- **5th May 2017** Final date by which all universities will have made their offers.
- **8th June 2017** Deadline for accepting offers.
- **17th August 2017** A Level and Advanced Diploma results day – and the start of the full Clearing vacancy search.



Student Finance

All students need to apply for funding for Tuition Fees
Most students need to apply for Maintenance Loans
<https://www.gov.uk/student-finance-register-login>

To complete an application students will need:

- Passport number
- National Insurance Number

Repaying the Loan

- Loan repayments commence once the borrower earns more than **£21,000 a year**
- **9% of income above the threshold** will be deducted from borrowers salary along with tax and National Insurance.

Alternative Pathways

- Apprenticeships

<https://www.gov.uk/apply-apprenticeship>

- Apprenticeship Degrees

<https://www.ucas.com/ucas/undergraduate/getting-started/apprenticeships-uk/degree-and-professional-apprenticeships>

- Art Foundation

Apply direct to college

- Work

Wellbeing:

Incidents of mental health problems amongst teenagers is on the rise:

- Academic Pressure
- Concerns about the future
- Social Anxiety
- Ubiquity of Social Media

Support:

- Form tutor
- HOY
- School Counsellors
- CAMHS – Children and Adolescent Mental Health Service

Parents:

Practical, Calm, Non-judgemental, Unpressurised support