

Tuesday 28 February 2023

Dear Parent/Carers

### **6th Form Provision on Industrial Action Day - Thursday 2 March**

I am writing to outline the arrangements in place for our Year 12 and Year 13 students on Thursday, 2nd March.

As previously communicated, Year 12 will be completing online learning from home. We have put together a schedule of activities for students to complete that cover a range of important co-curricular areas. We would like students to use the opportunity to think ahead in preparation for our visit to the UCAS Fair at the end of the month and links to resources are provided. The full schedule of activities can be found overleaf. Students will be able to access the schedule on Google Classroom alongside the necessary worksheets to use for the sessions as well as the link for the live careers talk.

We would like Year 13s to attend school and to be on site for 9am. The delayed start will allow us to see what the staffing picture is and which lessons students will be able to attend as per their usual timetable. On arrival, they should go to the common room to be registered and they will be informed which of their lessons will be taking place with their usual teacher.

There are a number of PPEs taking place on Thursday for English Language, English Literature, Spanish and Media and these will be going ahead as scheduled. Your child must ensure that they attend as there will not be any catch up sessions for any PPEs.

Students who will not have their timetabled lessons or do not have a PPE will be in the common room completing supervised revision for their PPEs on Friday and/or Monday. As we are in the pivotal last few months of preparation for Year 13s final exams, we want to highlight the importance of attending school this Thursday.

Students will have their break and lunchtime as usual and the canteen will be open for all students to access as required.

Should you have any further questions regarding arrangements for the day, please do not hesitate to contact the school.

Yours faithfully



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## **Building Successful Futures**

## Thursday 2nd March Schedule for Online Learning from Home

Period 1	<p><b><u>Careers Planning and your next steps</u></b></p> <p>Read through the attached guide about planning what your next steps after 6th Form might be: <a href="https://www.ucas.com/file/303366/download?token=3XYWjtn9">https://www.ucas.com/file/303366/download?token=3XYWjtn9</a></p> <p>Truths and Myths about University: <a href="https://www.ucas.com/file/303411/download?token=pohKfJvW">https://www.ucas.com/file/303411/download?token=pohKfJvW</a></p> <p>Is a higher or degree apprenticeship right for you? <a href="https://www.theuniguide.co.uk/advice/choosing-a-course/is-a-higher-or-degree-apprenticeship-really-right-for-you">https://www.theuniguide.co.uk/advice/choosing-a-course/is-a-higher-or-degree-apprenticeship-really-right-for-you</a></p>
Period 2	<p><b><u>Enrichment Talk</u></b></p> <p>Watch the following talk. The link to it will be posted on Google Classroom on Thursday morning.</p> <p><b>WORLD BOOK DAY WITH KIT DE WAAL, AUTHOR</b> Time: 10:00 am - 10:45 am</p> <p>In this World Book Day broadcast, we will hear from Author Kit de Waal who was born in Birmingham to an Irish mother, who was a childminder and foster carer, and a Caribbean father. Her writing has received numerous awards including the Bridport Flash Fiction Prize 2014 and 2015 and the SI Leeds Literary Reader's Choice Prize 2014 and the Kerry Group Irish Novel of the Year. MY NAME IS LEON, her first novel was published in 2016 and shortlisted for the Costa Book Award.</p>
Period 3	<p><b><u>Preparation for UCAS Fair on 28th March</u></b></p> <p>Complete the following tasks in order to be best prepared for when we visit the UCAS fair later this month:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Carry out some research and create a list of Universities you'd like to speak to on the day. Here you will find where they will be: <a href="https://www.ucas.com/node/419651/view/exhibitors">https://www.ucas.com/node/419651/view/exhibitors</a></li><li>2. Prepare a list of questions you'd like to ask.</li></ol>
Period 4	<p><b><u>TKAT6 Award Activities</u></b></p> <p>Complete a task or upload to Google Classroom your progress completing tasks.</p> <p>Link to tasks to complete to gain the award: <a href="https://docs.google.com/document/d/1yWigmDNyfCTekQedosFwPWxulBtbpJpwvdy3CcrAez4/edit?usp=sharing">https://docs.google.com/document/d/1yWigmDNyfCTekQedosFwPWxulBtbpJpwvdy3CcrAez4/edit?usp=sharing</a></p>
Period 5	<p><b><u>Looking after your well-being</u></b></p> <p>Objectives: To complete an activity that supports your well-being as part of your TKAT 6 Award Tenacity category.</p>