

## Sixth Form Bulletin

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**TERM DATES:** Please use this [link](#) to see the school term dates and this [link](#) for Vyners Sixth Form key dates.

### Farewell to Year 13



What a fantastic end to the week celebrating with year 13 in their old school uniform on Thursday and their final day on Friday before they start study leave. We were entertained by the fabulous array of creativity and effort in planning some brilliant costumes to wear.

It is typical of the year group that they set their standards high by having a fun time, but also being mindful of younger students in lessons and in particular year 11 starting exams. We would like to extend our thanks and gratitude to all of them for the exemplary way in which they conducted themselves.

We are very proud of the way that they have approached the past two years. They have responded with a mindset of flexibility and a 'can do attitude'. This will be their strength and springboard as a cohort going forward to set their mind to achieve whatever they want to do in the future.

We would like to take this opportunity to wish them every success in the forthcoming exam season.

## GENERAL NOTICES

### **Work Experience**

If any parents have contacts with workplaces that would be interested in offering placements to any of our students, we would love to hear from you. Please email any details to [tlopes@vynersschool.org.uk](mailto:tlopes@vynersschool.org.uk)

### **Advanced Mathematics Support Programme for Year 12 & Year 13**

Please click the [link](#) to view opportunities.

### **Safeguarding Snapshot**

Please click [here](#) for the link to this week's safeguarding snapshot on National Online Safety Guide on Ofcom's Children & Parents: Media Use & Attitudes Report 2023

## YEAR 12 NOTICES

### **Year 12 Summer Assessments**

Year 12 Summer Assessments will begin on Monday 3rd June and run for 2 weeks. These will be formal assessments which will be sat in strict exam conditions. Students will be on study leave and be expected to only come in for their exams, unless they do a practical subject (i.e. OCR Sports studies) where students will be expected to attend lessons. Students are more than welcome to come and use the study room for silent study, when not used for exams. The exam timetable and topic revision lists can be found [here](#).

Any student who is coming in for coursework subjects or to use the school study facilities MUST sign in at the study room.

### **UCAS Parent Information Evening**

There will be a parent information evening on Tuesday 25th June for parents to get information about how UCAS works, and also how to look for courses for your child. We will tell you everything that you need to know about UCAS and how to sign up.

### **UCAS Days**

Students will be involved in UCAS days on 25th, 26th and 27th June. Students will be given more information in the next few weeks on how the sessions will run. They will be attending a carousel of workshops on writing personal statements, applying for apprenticeships, listening to talks from ex Vyners students and learning how to use the UCAS platform.

### **Work Experience week 15th - 19th July**

A reminder that the sooner work experience placements can be organised for the last week of the Summer term (15th - 19th July) the better. Please give details of the proposed placement via the [google form](#) sent out and we will then contact the company to confirm the placement. If you have not sorted out work experience, Mrs Lopes will be booking in student meetings to discuss options of work experience and work that will be completed in school, if work experience is not found. If there are any difficulties in completing the form, or a company is requesting any further details from school, please do not hesitate to contact Mrs Desouza.

## YEAR 13 NOTICES

### **Year 13 - Compulsory Revision Sessions in school**

Please see the document [here](#) which outlines revision sessions that are running in school from Monday 13th May to Friday 24th May. Revision sessions in **PINK** are sessions that are being held prior to an exam that is taking place during that fortnight. Revision sessions in **BLUE** are extra sessions that are being held to support students whose exams are not taking place in that subject until after half term. Any questions - please contact Mrs Lane, or any member of the Sixth Form Team.

### **Summer exams**

Students have received a paper copy of their statement of entry for the summer exams and the final timetable can be found on the school website [here](#). Exams highlighted in orange are year 12 exams. Please also note that there are some AS exams taking place for Maths and Science, which only affect a few year 13 students. There is also a paper copy posted on the study room noticeboard.

Students must register in the study room at least 30 minutes before the start of the exam time, so they need to be in school on time to allow for registration and final instructions. The study room will remain open from 07.45 - 16.00 for any student wishing to revise in school.

### **Results day**

Please see this video and slides outlining the protocols and arrangements for results day.

[Y13 Results Day Loom video](#)

[Y13 Results Day slides](#)

### **Prom**

Wednesday 26th June at Venue 5, 446 Field End Road, Ruislip HA4 9PB

A reminder of details will be emailed home to students and parents the week before

Tickets will be available on Squid to purchase until the end of May.

### **Yearbook**

yearbook payment website [link here](#)

Students must have completed their profile page by Monday

### **Hoodies**

Hoodies payment website [link here](#)

We are going to place the order on Monday.

### **End of year dates**

**Tuesday 14th May- written exams start**

**Friday 21st June- last written exam**

**Wednesday 26th June- Year 13 Prom Leavers' Event**

**Thursday 15th August - Results day / collection of yearbooks**

