

Sixth Form Bulletin 07.05.21

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Welcome

This week we were able to take our professional school photographs of each year group. Thankfully the weather was clear and as always our students were extremely smart and displayed excellent behaviour.

Students watched a Star Wars themed school assembly this week looking at the importance of stories and the life lessons that we can learn by analysing the journey faced by each character. The focus on storytelling to share emotions and feelings, including friendship and perseverance, encapsulate the Vyners Care values that we uphold as a community, which we have seen from students supporting each other during these times.

Year 12 Assessments

The Year 12 end of year exams will take place between **24th May to 11th June**. The exam topics and timetable are available on the school website [here](#). Exams will be taking place in the sixth form bubble classrooms and students will be informed of the exact venue the week before. During the assessment period, students will be on study leave and are not required to attend tutorial time. Free rooms will be available to study in between exams. Subjects that do not have an exam will be advised by their teachers regarding lesson attendance during this time.

Year 13 Assessments Dates

Next week will be the last week of the Year 13 assessments. The last assessment is **Thursday 13th May 2021**. Students will resume their normal timetable on **Friday 14th May 2021** and full attendance is required.

The leaving date for Year 13 is **Wednesday 26th May**. There will be further details with regard to Year 13 leavers' events.

Year 13 School Accounts Access

The School accounts of Year 13 students will only be available until **Friday 22nd October 2021**. On this day all account access will then be removed and there will be no exceptions to the rule. Students can choose to transfer their Google Data out using Google Takeout. Please visit: <https://takeout.google.com/transfer?pli=1> to transfer data to a personal account. It is the responsibility of students to ensure they have enough space on their own personal account to transfer any school data.

Y13 Grading Information and Ofqual Guidance

We have been extremely impressed by the resilience and determination students have had during the assessment period. Thank you for the continuous support given to your child, which is a great contributory factor during these times.

Students will be informed of the evidence that will be used to determine their grades in the near future. When that time comes, students will be given the opportunity to raise any concerns by

completing a Google Form and any concerns will be addressed by the school. The latest information is available at: [Ofqual guidance for students, parents and guardians.](#)

Covid-19 self testing kit reporting

Students must continue to test twice weekly. All students should have now picked up their tests and if not, there are still some available in Mrs Lopes' room. Please encourage students to continue regular testing in accordance with government guidelines.

Student Finance for University

Please use the links below for more information on student finance:

[Student Loans Company](#)

[Student Loans Mythbusting](#)

[Student Loan Checklist](#)

[Video - Student Loans Decoded](#)

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