



QUEEN ELIZABETH'S GRAMMAR SCHOOL

SIXTH FORM BULLETIN

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KEEPING YOU INFORMED AND UP TO DATE

In response to our Parents' Communication Survey, we are publishing a short overview each half term of what is coming up in Sixth Form, to keep you informed and up to date with Sixth Form activities.

UPCOMING TRIPS

- Monday 8th July – Friday 12th July – Geography Field trip
- We are also looking at the possibility of a Year 12 Personal Development residential trip in June/July. Students have been asked to express their interest.

UPCOMING DATES IN SCHOOL

- Friday 10th May: Year 13 Leavers Day
- Monday 13th May: AS and A level exams start.
- Tuesday 14th May: UCAS cycle 2025 opens
- Monday 27th May – Friday 31st May: Half term
- Monday 15th July-Friday 19th July: Year 12 Work Experience Week

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Thursday 7th June: A level Geography – Independent Investigations evening
- Friday 5th July: QEGS Community Day
- Monday 1st July: Year 12 working from home – Year 11 Transition Day
- Tuesday 2nd July: Year 12 Working from home – Year 11 Transition Day

EXTERNAL SPEAKERS

- Tuesday 16th April: Y13, male health, The Oddballs Foundation
- Wednesday 8th May: Y12, Young Drivers' Day
- Wednesday 19th June: Y12, covering topics of Degree Apprenticeships, Year abroad, gap years

GENERAL INFORMATION

- Year 12 students who do not have a work experience arranged will be provided with work opportunities in school. These will develop employability skills such as working as a team, project planning, delivering to deadlines and attention to detail.

LIFE SKILLS AND FORM TIME

- Year 12 – this term we move onto preparation for next steps, introducing students to the UCAS website and all the information they can find there. All students register on the UCAS Hub so they can look at university courses and Apprenticeships and begin an application. They also start composing their supporting statement with guidance from their form tutors and the 6th form team.
- Year 13 – in the final weeks at 6th form the focus is all about revision, rehearsal and wellbeing as students approach their Leavers' Day and the exam period.