

Friday 13th June

Sixth Form Updates

Dear Parents,

As we reach the end of another busy week, I want to take a moment to congratulate all of our students for the resilience and support they've shown one another throughout this period. It's never easy navigating the post-exam stretch, but time and again our Sixth Form community proves that by working together, we come out stronger.

Welcoming Year 11s into the Sixth Form

This week, we've had the pleasure of welcoming some of our Year 11 students into the Sixth Form centre, which has brought a real buzz to the space. They've been given a range of fun and creative activities to help them wind down from their exams, and from Monday they will begin their official transition programme. This will include A-Level taster sessions, interview skills training, financial literacy workshops, and other enrichment sessions designed to prepare them for Sixth Form life. There will also be some lighter, creative activities throughout to help ease the transition in an enjoyable way.

UCAS Workshop with UKEC

Next week, we're excited to welcome UKEC to KH8 to deliver a **UCAS Personal Statement workshop**. This will provide Year 12 students with valuable support—especially those aiming for early applications or simply wanting a head start on the process. Year 11 students have also been invited to attend, giving them an early insight into the university application journey.

Online University Lectures and Talks

Throughout the week, there will be a variety of **online university lectures** available for students to explore potential courses and pathways. These include a chemistry talk on isotopes, an introduction to Cardiff University for students planning to study there next year, and several other sessions across different subjects.

See the Sixth Form Calander: [Here](#)

Prom Preparations Underway

Prom preparation is in full swing, with the event now fully booked. Photo booths have been ordered, decorations are arriving, games are being organised and speeches are being prepared. It's shaping up to be a fantastic event and a memorable evening for all involved.

End of Exam Celebration – Today at 3:40pm

We're very much looking forward to seeing many of you at this afternoon's **End of Exam Celebration**, starting at 3:40pm in the Recital Hall. It promises to be a wonderful opportunity to reflect on the year and celebrate together, with plenty of food and refreshments provided by the school.

Final Reminder – IOI and Bowling Trip

A quick reminder that there are still a few spaces left for our **IOI and Bowling trip on 18th June**—students who would like to take part can still sign up.

Kind regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'J. Wells', with a stylized, cursive script.

Mr. James Welburn, FRSB

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