

NES Sixth Form Weekly Bulletin

MONDAY 11 SEPTEMBER

Quote of the week:

“Ask yourself if what you are doing today is getting you closer to where you want to be tomorrow.”

Welcome to the first edition of the NES Sixth Form

Weekly Bulletin. I hope this is an opportunity to keep students, parents and Sixth Form staff up to speed on all that's going on in the life of Sixth Form.

Key messages for Year 12 and 13

- Act on the brilliant study skills workshops delivered by Elevate Education. It really will make a difference to your outcomes!
- Directed study starts on Monday 18th September. Check your timetable and make sure you attend as it is registered like a lesson.

Key messages for Year 12

- Year 12 photos are taking place on Monday 11th September
- Year 12 parent information evening is on Wednesday 27th September
- Enrichment for all Year 12 takes place every Friday during period 1. Complete the MS Forms survey to choose your activity
- The 'Get ready for Sixth Form' programme starts Thursday 21st September in P2 and runs for 5 weeks. Miss Wilkinson has a list of students who are signed up.
- Year 12 must be in for tutor time every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday
- 7 school weeks until mock exams start

Key messages for Year 13

- Make sure you are completing your personal statement if you are applying for university
- UCAS early entrant deadline is 16th October. Ensure you register for the right admissions test, talk to Miss Wilkinson if you are unsure.
- Book onto university open days to help decide which universities to apply for.
 - Parent UCAS information evening is at NES on Monday 18th September at 6pm
 - Year 13 must be in for tutor time every Monday, Wednesday and Friday



Wellbeing watch

Follow the [link](#) to watch the video by the Anna Freud foundation about healthy coping strategies. Why not try out the strategies to help you cope with challenging emotions?

Parent messages

- Please support us by downloading the Go4Schools app to track your child's attendance, behaviour and outcomes.
- Please ensure you can access the new parent system (WEDUC) to receive letters and communication from school. Further details will be sent out during the course of the week.
- Feel free to contact the wonderful Sixth Form team if you need any support or have questions.
- Access the brilliant Elevate Education parent support webinars. The first webinar is all about keeping your child motivated. Follow the link to book on: [Click here to register for free](#)

External Opportunities

- Sign up for [Brookes Engage](#)—a free programme for year 12 students to help prepare for University.
- Join the In2Med programme. This programme supports students with their applications into Medicine and Healthcare courses. It is for an hour a week and is run by current medical students. Don't miss out—the deadline to register is the 22nd September 2023. [Register by clicking here.](#)

Looking for inspiration?

Watch the [video](#) to find out how to stay motivated when things get tough.



Have a great week!

Mr Dark