

Wednesday 5th June 2024

Dear parents and carers,

I am writing to you to inform you of all the wonderful opportunities that your son/daughter has over the coming weeks/months at Waverley Sixth Form. We are fast approaching year 12 mock exam season and please see the timetable below for all mock examinations:

Y12 Summer Examinations – Main Hall

Date	Time	Subject(s)
Wednesday 12 th June	9AM	Biology, English Literature
Thursday 13 th June	9AM	Criminology
Thursday 13 th June	1PM	Chemistry
Tuesday 18 th June	9AM	Law
Tuesday 18 th June	1PM	Maths, Sociology, Information Technology
Wednesday 19 th June	9AM	Psychology, Computer Science
Wednesday 19 th June	1PM	Physics, Health & Social Care, Business

The mock exam results will play a vital role in supporting our teachers with deciding predicted grades for your son/daughter's University applications through UCAS. Please support your son/daughter with ensuring they are revising and preparing to the very best of their ability for the upcoming exams.

Exam Arrival Time:

For 9am exams, students must be in the Sixth Form building at 8:30am and for 1pm afternoon exams, the arrival time is 12:30. This is to ensure all students are ready for pre exam checks and walked over to the exam venue for 8:45am. If your son/daughter is running late, they must email either myself or Mr Gonzales to notify of the reason for the lateness and they will not be able to sit the exam as per our exam protocol.

Year 12 Work Experience Monday 24th June- Friday 28th June 2024

All year 12 students will be undertaking their one week work experience placement from 24th June until 28th June 2024. Please ensure that your son/daughter attends the preparation workshop on **Wednesday 19th June at 8:30am** as this is compulsory for all year 12 students

and we will go through the expectations surround work experience and give out any relevant documentation to support your son/daughter with their placement. All students' needs to ensure that they are punctual and attend each day allocated to them from their work experience employers on time. The employers will be asked to provide a reference at the end of the week and this will again be factored into their UCAS applications.

University Applications UCAS

We have launched the UCAS process with all students and the buzzword for students to link their applications is: Waverley2025

There are a number of workshops coming up to support your son/daughter with their applications including a parent workshop to ensure you understand how to support your son/daughter through the UCAS process:

Wednesday 3rd July 2024

UCAS Personal Statement Assembly 8:30am (compulsory for all students)

UCAS Personal Statement Workshop 1:15-2:15 (compulsory for all students)

Parent and Carer UCAS workshop 3:30-4:30 (Invitation is open to all year 12 parents and carers)

There will be additional workshops in September and October so please keep an eye on your emails as more information will be shared in due course. If you have any questions or queries, please do not hesitate to contact me on jesse.chester@waverley.bham.sch.uk

Additional opportunities to support your son/daughter:

- Monday 8th July BT Get Work Ready Trip at BT Head Office Snow Hill Birmingham
- The Brilliant Club Graduation Event at Warwick University Tuesday 16th July
- University Personal Statement Check Monday 15th July and Monday 23rd September
- UK University and Apprenticeship Fair Friday 11th October 2024
- KPMG Opening Doors Workshop at KPMG Head Office in Birmingham date TBC in September

Yours Sincerely,

Miss J Chester
Head of Sixth Form, Assistant Principal