

# St Aidan's & St John Fisher Associated Sixth Form

## St Aidan's Student Weekly Notices Week (B) commencing 3 February 2020

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### Careers Information

**Year 12 Students - Work Experience in Medicine, Dentistry, Nursing, Midwifery, Applied Health Courses e.g. Physiotherapy, OT, Speech Therapy etc.**

Please come to a meeting in the Careers Department on **Monday 3 February at 12.45pm**. To find out about how to apply for work experience placements at Harrogate Hospital and what support is available especially with setting up student forums. Feel free to bring along sandwiches.

**Year 12 Parents Evening on Thursday 6 February - Careers Advice available**

Careers Advisers will be attending the Year 12 Parents evening and will be available to meet with parents/carers who wish to discuss their sons and daughters career plans and Post 18 option choices. Should you wish to book an appointment please email Mrs Bennett in the Careers Department with suggested times at [d.bennett@staidans.co.uk](mailto:d.bennett@staidans.co.uk)

### Year 13 - Next Steps

For students who were not able to attend Thursday's assembly on Next Steps where information was provided on what to do with university offers, applying for student finance, apprenticeships and gap year opportunities then please go to <https://www.staidans.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2020/01/Year-13-Next-Steps-2020.pdf> for a copy of the presentation. Please also book a careers appointment should you need any further advice or help.

**Sheffield Hallam University will be in St John Fisher on Wednesday 5 February**

A representative from Sheffield Hallam will be in the Sixth Form Cafe at St John Fisher on Wednesday 5 February from 12.45 to 1.15 to talk to students about the university and courses they offer. Please do pop along to see them.

### Taster Day in Medicine

The University of Leeds are hosting a taster day for students interested in Medicine on Saturday 15 February. To book a place please go to <https://www.wanttobeadoctor.co.uk/copy-of-contact-us>

**Peter Tatchell - My life as a Campaigner - Leeds Grammar School**

Students are welcome to attend this event hosted by GSAL on Tuesday 25 February from 5.00 to 6.00pm. To reserve your place before 18 February please go to <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/peter-tatchell-my-life-as-a-campaigner-tickets-89983584323>

### Part-time Job Vacancies

Pavilions of Harrogate are recruiting part-time casual bar staff, no experience necessary. You need to be aged 18 or over, if you are interested please see the poster in Careers and contact Mike Large on 01423 544544 or e-mail [michael@pavilionsofharrogate.co.uk](mailto:michael@pavilionsofharrogate.co.uk)

### Exam Information

**Enquiries about results/Access to exam scripts following the November 2019 exam series**

Year 12 and 13 students who sat GCSE English and/or Maths in November 2019 are reminded that the deadline for post results services are as follows:-

To request a review of marking of an exam paper – 12 noon on Thursday 13 February 2020

To request the return of an exam script for revision purposes – 12 noon on Friday 14 February 2020

Forms are available on the school website or from Mrs Humphrey, Exams Officer in the Sixth Form Office at St Aidan's.

**Exam re-sit entries for June 2020 (GCSE English/Maths & any Level 3 Applied subjects)**

If there are any students who wish to be entered for a re-sit exam in June 2020, they **must complete a re-sit form now as a matter of urgency** and return this to Mrs Humphrey with the appropriate fee by **Friday 14 February at the very latest**. Forms are available from the school websites or the Sixth Form Office at St Aidan's and St John Fisher. The school exam entries will be submitted to the Awarding Bodies on Friday 14 February and any requests for re-sits after this date will incur penalty fees.

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## Exam timetables

Individual exam timetables will be given out to Year 13 students (and any Year 12 students sitting **external exams** this summer) during the week before we break up for the February half term. Year 12 mock exam timetables will be given out separately to students as soon as the exam timetable is finalised with Departments (estimated to be by the first week of March).

## Year 13 Students

### STEP Maths Exams – June 2020

The registration for STEP Maths exams opens on 24 February and closes on 1 May. Please let Mrs Humphrey know if you need to be entered for any of the STEP Maths papers. The dates of the exams are as follows:-

STEP 1 – 9 June at 9.00 am

STEP 2 – 15 June at 9.00 am

STEP 3 – 19 June at 9.00 am

Cost = £54 per STEP paper

## General Information

### Debating Club

This week Debating Club will be held **on Tuesday from 12.30 in Hu1**. All welcome.

### Installing Microsoft Office

Details below of how to install Microsoft Office:

1. Go to the school website
2. Click on STAFF/STUDENT LOGIN top right
3. Click on Email
4. Sign in to your account
5. Click the 6 white dots top left
6. Click Office 365 (blue text with an arrow)
7. Now click Install Office towards the top of the page
8. All students have 5 licenses

### Year 13 Leavers' Hoodie

All Year 13 students will have an opportunity to place an order for their leavers' hoodies. Orders are taking place at lunchtimes during the week commencing 10 February outside Ms Strickland's office. There are samples of sizes and colours for you to try on and select. You can also choose what name you would like on your hoodie. Please ensure you pay on ParentPay once placing your order. (Note: paying on ParentPay does not automatically put your order in; you must place your order with us at lunchtime.) If you miss these dates and do not place an order, we will assume you do not want a leavers' hoodie.

### Year 13 Yearbook Photos

Listed below is the timetable for when yearbook photos will be taken. Members of each form will be able to take their individual photo from 12:45 - 13:25 on each day. If you are ill on your form's allocated day, you will be able to take your individual yearbook photo on either Mon 10 Feb or Tues 11 Feb. All Year 13 students are also welcome to take photos in groups for the yearbook on either of these days. If you miss your allocated day and both catch up days, your lanyard photo will be used in the yearbook. All yearbook photos will be taken outside the Study Centre next to the Conference Room.

Mon 3 Feb: HS8

Tues 4 Feb: JC20

Wed 5 Feb: MH12

Thurs 6 Feb: PT18

Fri 7 Feb: SP15

Mon 10 and Tue 11 Feb: Catch-up and group photo

### Year 12 Parents Evening: Thursday 6 February

Please make appointments for you and your parents with your subject teachers. Make sure you leave some time between appointments to allow for movement between appointments. We would encourage all students to attend with their parents.

Thank you