

St Aidan's & St John Fisher Associated Sixth Form

St Aidan's Student Weekly Notices Week (B) commencing 4 May 2020

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Careers Information

Need some Careers Advice and Guidance?

Career Advisers are all still available to provide careers information, advice and guidance, so should you want to speak to one of us please email us at careersstaff@staidans.co.uk. We are here to help you as always so please do get in touch.

Inspirational and Interactive Career talks

A range of virtual career talks are available online to enable students to hear from inspirational professionals about their career journeys and to find out about some amazing opportunities in the creative arts, media, literature, science, business, sport and many more. Please log on to these websites for details of talks

<https://www.speakersforschools.org/inspiration/vtalks/upcoming-vtalks/#schedule>
<https://learn.springpod.co.uk/>

Holbeck Scholarships worth £1250

Applications are now open for Holbeck scholarships for students starting any UK university in September 2020. For details on eligibility criteria and how to apply please see

<https://www.york.ac.uk/study/undergraduate/fees-funding/uk-eu/scholarships/holbeck/>

Stay in Touch with Universities

The following universities have notified us this week about virtual and digital events they are holding so students can find out more about their courses, university, applications, open events etc and they are also on hand to answer any questions Year 12 or 13 students or parents may have.

Edge Hill University - Live subject webinars

<https://www.edgehill.ac.uk/studentrecruitment/year-12-13-college-and-access-virtual-outreach/?tab-3=humanities>

University of Lancaster - Live webinars - Architecture, Medicine and many more

<https://www.lancaster.ac.uk/study/open-days/visit-us-events>

University of Law - Webinars on Law and Criminology

<https://www.ucas.com/events/university-law-virtual-twilight-lecture-law-and-criminology-369766>

University of Manchester Virtual Open Week 15-19 June and webinars

<https://app.geckoform.com/public/#/modern/FOEU040aDvRe892Q>
<https://www.manchester.ac.uk/study/undergraduate/manchester-live/>

Northumbria University - Virtual Open Days June/July

<https://www.northumbria.ac.uk/study-at-northumbria/coming-to-northumbria/northumbria-undergraduate-open-days/>

UCAS - Virtual and digital events - <https://www.ucas.com/ucas/events/find/scheme/virtual-and-digital>

UK Universities - Webinar Wednesdays - <https://www.ukuniversitysearch.com/blog/post/webinar-wednesdays>

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Exam Information

Year 12 Exams

We hope that you have been able to access the exam materials on Moodle and are working through the papers. Your answers should be uploaded to your teachers by the end of Wednesday 6 May.

To make this a constructive process, feedback on these papers will take the form of generic advice in the form of What Went Well and Even Better If. Teachers are working in a range of situations and have numerous commitments at this time; we hope that they will be able to return feedback before half term (Friday 22 May) but this may not always be the case.

Thank you for your patience and understanding.

General Information

Year 12 Home Learning

Please keep checking Moodle and your emails for further information about continuing learning after the examinations. Your courses will be moving onto new material all of which will be part of the assessment required next year.

Look out also for Subject Helpdesks on Moodle, which will allow you to ask more subject-specific questions and receive quicker feedback from subject teachers. Some courses have set these up already and if your course hasn't, you can still use the Frequently Asked Questions facility of the General Helpdesk on Moodle for advice.

Year 13 Leavers' Ball – Saturday 19 December 7.00 pm until Midnight

The Pavilions of Harrogate is booked on Saturday 19 December for the Year 13 Leavers' Ball.

- The cost is £39.00, to include a Bucks Fizz reception, two course dinner, photobooth and disco.
- The menu is either Chicken in White Wine Sauce or Butternut Squash Risotto followed by Chocolate Brownie.
- Tables seat a maximum of 12.
- If you would like to go please can you make your payment via ParentPay by Friday 3 July.
- You need to email your choice of main course and advise us of any dietary requirements. You should agree with other Year 13 students who you want to sit with and include this in your email. Remember we cannot include anyone on your table who has not paid for their ticket.

SA students should email: sixthformoffice@staidans.co.uk

SJF students should email: attendance6thform@sifchs.org.uk.

With best wishes, keep well and look after each other.