

St Aidan's & St John Fisher Associated Sixth Form

St Aidan's Student Weekly Notices Week (2) commencing 28 March 2022

Assemblies

Year 12 **CGH** Assembly – Tuesday 29 March - CAR

Year 13 **Virtual** Assembly – Thursday 31 March - CMP

EEP

This week the groups that should go to EEP in their timetabled rooms are AC4, JC19, JM13, ND16, and MH9. Please take quiet independent work to do. All remaining students should go to the Sixth Form Study Centre, Library, café or to the Maths drop-in session with Mr Christy in Ma10. A reminder to all students that you must stay on site.

Exam Clash

Please be aware that it is important that those students that were given an **exam clash letter** return the signed tear off slip at the bottom of the letter to Mrs Humphrey, Exams Officer in the Sixth Form office as soon as possible.

Maths Drop-in Session

There are Maths drop-in sessions Wednesday period 4 in Ma10 with Mr Christy for Year 12 students (provided Year 12 don't have EEP) and in Ma1 with Mr Daly for Year 13 students.

Psychology Drop-in Session

Year 12 and Year 13 Psychology drop-in sessions are on Tuesday lunchtimes 12:40 - 13:20 in PS3 (SA) and G33 (SJF). Come and get help with your work, have a quiet place to study (Psychology) or just simply come for a chat anything psychological. Feel free to bring your lunch.

Year 13 Chemistry

A Level Chemistry drop-in sessions will continue to take place at St Aidan's on a Monday lunchtime in room Ch4, and on Wednesday and Friday lunchtimes in room F18 at St John Fisher. Come along with any questions on topics, homework you want help with, or to just work in a chemistry lab with a teacher around. You are welcome to attend at either site, it does not matter which class you are in. You may stay for five minutes or the whole hour!

Debating Club

This week Debating Club will meet on Tuesday in Hu1 from 12.30. All welcome.

Amnesty International UK – 'Crash it in' Wednesday 30 March

Wednesday 30 March is our fundraising day. Please support us:

- Sixth Form: raffle of prizes/promises e.g. parking space outside the main entrance, a trip to MacDonald's in the minibus etc – details of available prizes will be put up in the Sixth Form café.
- Sixth Form: nail painting and face painting in yellow and blue, for a donation.
- Main School: cake bake, sweet stall, selling ribbons

Responsibilities and Expectations: Part Two

Attendance and Punctuality

Making the best use of time in school inevitably contributes to students' sense of wellbeing and to their success. Clearly attendance in lessons is paramount as unauthorised or extended absence will lead to gaps in knowledge which are difficult to fill and will affect performance in assessments.

In addition, allocated Supervised Private Study time should be used wisely: students should be working purposefully in the Study Centre or Library at the site where they register. Neither venue is a place for socialising and we expect all students to attend at the times indicated on their timetable and to behave appropriately, working quietly and not taking food and drink with them. We are exploring a new system to alert students and parents if a student has registered for school but is not attending any session, either for a subject lesson or Supervised Private Study.

We also need to be confident that students are on site throughout the school day. Any non-allocated time on timetables should therefore be spent at the site where students register: it is not acceptable to leave the sites to go to the local Co-op or to meet friends off site. Exceptions are for urgent medical appointments authorised by parents or for Home Study Leave (Year 13).

Otherwise, students should only leave St Aidan's during periods 1 to 5 to go to lessons at St John Fisher or vice versa although they may choose to be off site at lunchtime.

There should be no reason for students to arrive late for lessons. If this is unavoidable and the register has been taken, the student should confirm with the teacher after the lesson that the register has been amended to record their attendance.

Year 13 Yearbooks

Yearbooks can be ordered at a price of £6 on ParentPay. **Deadline 28 March.**

Thank you