

# Sixth Form Weekly Notes – Mon 10<sup>th</sup> June 2024

Week 2

## Key messages (inc. community, wellbeing etc):

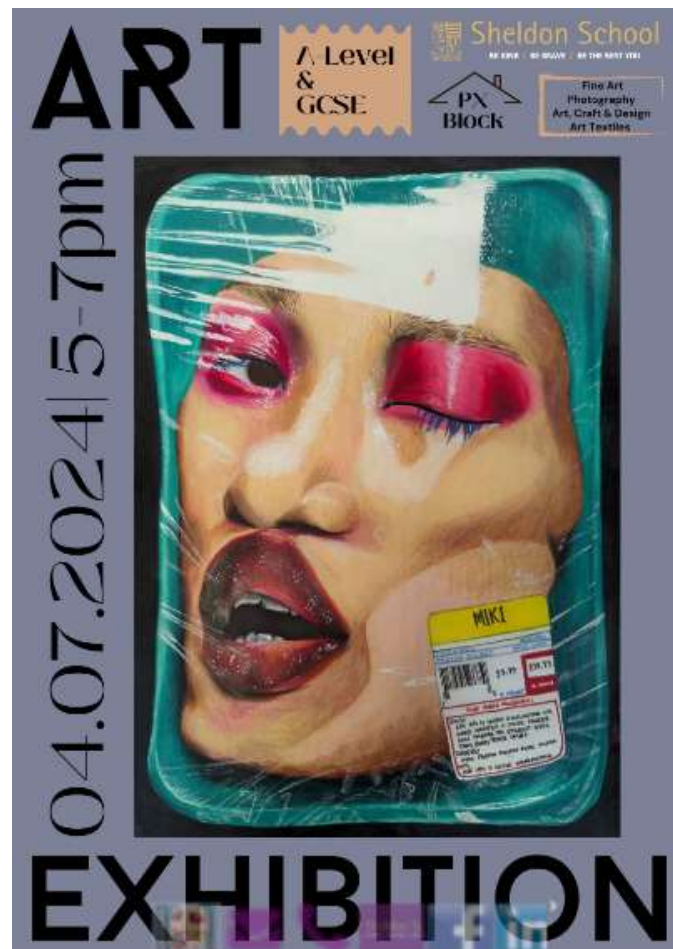
As soon as we have all the Yr12 exam data we will review home study / supervised study arrangements. If you currently have supervised study you **MUST SIGN IN FOR IT**. **If students do not attend this week they will be put into a lunchtime detention.**

Whole school open events for prospective new Year 7s are coming up and we need your help. Dates are below. You should only volunteer for the open mornings if it does not involve missing a lesson. Email Mr Spiers if you can help.

Monday, Wednesday, and Friday tutor times are compulsory for all students regardless of when their home study / study lessons are.

Weds is assembly for Yr12 during term 6 and this will take place in the main school hall. **REGISTER IN YOUR TUTOR BASE BEFORE COMING TO THE HALL SO WE DON'T NEED TO BOTHER WITH PAPER REGISTERS**

Students will only be expected to attend Tuesday and Thursday tutor times if they have a 1-2-1 appointment with their tutor.



## Follow @sheldonsixthform on Instagram – Be Kind, Be Brave, Be The Best You

### Key dates:

- **3-12<sup>th</sup> June – Hardenhuish Yr12 exams – no lessons**
- **June 13 @ 16:30 - 17:15 HE Guidance: How To Choose The Right Course For You? UEA (KS5) [Find out more](#) » [NEW]**
- Tues 18<sup>th</sup> June – Yr12 Parent information evening – Post-18 options
- **Mon 24<sup>th</sup> + Tues 25<sup>th</sup> June – Open mornings – VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED**
- **Wed 26<sup>th</sup> June – Open evening – VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED**
- Tues 2<sup>nd</sup> July - Year 13 Ball – save the date!
- Thurs 4<sup>th</sup> – 5-7pm – Art exhibition
- W/b 8<sup>th</sup> July – Yr12 work experience – START PLANNING THIS NOW!

### PDC: Post-18 + Personal skills + Wellbeing + SPMC

Year	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	Be Kind, Be Brave, Be The Best You; Sheldon6; Weekly notes; <b>WoW – UNDERSTANDING; COATS AND PHONES AWAY + LANYARDS ON! ;</b> <a href="https://formtimeideas.com/">https://formtimeideas.com/</a>				
<b>Yr12</b>	Pride month / whole school sexuality ppt / quiz	<b>1-2-1s</b> <b>Attendance conversations etc</b>	Assembly – <b>main school hall but register in tutor bases first</b> – Mr Rumble  Chairs – should be set up for us  <b>SEE PPT FOR SET UP</b>	<b>1-2-1s</b> <b>Attendance conversations etc</b>	General election prep.  Come up with questions for the candidates later in the day.  Key terms: <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/articles/c199z4xklr3o">https://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/articles/c199z4xklr3o</a>

**Fri 3+4 – General election candidates  
Question Time – main school hall**

### Work experience, employment and apprenticeship opportunities / information:

Katie Witchell– our Careers Adviser is available to you all. You can email her directly at [kwitchell@sheldonschool.co.uk](mailto:kwitchell@sheldonschool.co.uk) to make an appointment or you can drop-in to the Careers Hub near the hall on Thursday or Friday lunch times.

**What is LMI? Why is it important and where can find it?**

LMI is Labour Market Information. It is useful and important because it tells you what jobs are available, which are on the increase/decrease, what the pay is like etc. You can find LMI in the Careers Newsletter that comes out every week or so. You can also find it on every careers page in the Careers Library on Unifrog.

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Search <https://amazingapprenticeships.com/vacancies/>

Search and sign up for alerts at <https://www.findapprenticeship.service.gov.uk/>  
<https://www.getmyfirstjob.co.uk/>

Pathway CTM: <https://pathwayctm.com/student-register/>

Uptree: <https://uptree.co/a/signup/student/> Springpod: <https://space.springpod.com/sign-up>

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<https://amazingapprenticeships.com/higher-degree-listing/>

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**Anybody interested in studying Law – let me know if you want to get in touch with an ex-student who has just completed his BPC and secured pupillage so he would be able to talk about his route, what a typical law degree looks like, the sort of work you would look at, or just answer any general questions students may have.**

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### **University and other opportunities:**

Check out UCAS and [www.opendays.com](http://www.opendays.com) for lots of open day information and opportunities. Please see below the list of all University open Days for the month of June: <https://bit.ly/june-opendays>

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### **LSE's Undergraduate Open Day on Thursday 4 July.**

Aimed at Year 12 students applying for entry in 2025, the Open Day is an opportunity for your students to explore the LSE campus, attend subject talks, meet current students and gain an insight into what it's like to study at the School. Students can [book their place at the LSE Open Day.](#)

# UCAT 2024 - Registration now open

## Are any of your students considering applying to study medicine or dentistry?

UCAT now forms part of the entry requirements for all UK medical and dental schools.

## When do students need to sit the UCAT?

Students applying for 2025 entry must sit the UCAT by 26 September 2024.

## What do students need to do now?

Please encourage your students to visit the UCAT website for information on how to book and prepare for the test.

### UCAT Essentials - What do I need to know?

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## University of Bath Open Days – register now:

2024 Open Days are on **Friday 14 June, Saturday 15 June, and Saturday 7 September.**

To see which talks, tours, and other sessions are available to book and find out what is happening on campus, please [click here](#).

Our Open Day talks and tours are the best way to find out about:

- our courses
- our accommodation
- the admissions process
- our graduates' employability
- sports opportunities and facilities
- the Students' Union

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## Oxford Brookes Open Day: 14 June 2024

Choosing a university is a life-changing decision. There's no better way to find out if Oxford Brookes is the place for your students than by visiting us in person. Our Summer Undergraduate Open Days offer the chance to find out what it's really like to be an Oxford Brookes student, and we're inviting school and college groups to join us on Friday 14 June. From 10am - 3.30pm, students will be able to:

- Find out about the courses they're interested in by joining subject-specific sessions and workshops
- Chat to our inspiring staff and students and ask any questions they may have
- Tour our campuses and accommodation options
- Attend talks run by our Admissions, Accommodation, Finance & Student Support teams

If your students would prefer to attend individually rather than in a group, please ask them to sign up [via our website](#).



Before making the decision to join us, your students may want to visit us in person at an Open Day on **Saturday 15 June** and **Saturday 13 July**. They are an ideal opportunity to find out what it's like to study at The University of Law, speak to current students and get a tour of the campus.

With 6 locations around the UK, there's plenty of choice in where to study with us. We also have a dedicated online campus\* so students can study wherever they're based.

[Book now](#)

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**Year 12 students (16 and 17 years old) are invited to Swansea's Medicine, Healthcare, and Psychology Residential Summer School this summer, 14th-17th July 2024.**

It's an on-campus event showcasing our study opportunities in Medicine, Healthcare and Psychology. Your students will:

- Enhance their knowledge and skills by attending a range of **Subject talks** and **taster sessions**
- Gain experience by attending **workshops** led by **world-leading academics**
- Gain insight from **current students** and recent applicants
- Get a real taste of what university life is like
- Develop those all-important **transferable skills** that will be crucial in a future career
- Gain experience which will allow them to **stand out from their peers** as it will strengthen their personal statement and UCAS application

The 3 day residential summer school priced at £150 per person.

(This price includes accommodation, all activities and all meals throughout the stay. Financial assistance may be available)

If your students are interested in learning more about our Residential Summer School or studying a Medicine, healthcare-focused or psychology related degree, they can **register their interest** to find out more.



## SOUTH WALES BUSINESS SCHOOL TASTER DAY

 **19 June**  
**9:15 - 14:45**

### Treforest Campus

**Accounting and Finance**  
**Business Management**  
**Hotel and Hospitality Management**  
**Marketing**

This taster day aims to give students the opportunity to experience the different pathways and courses within Business. Perfect for year 12 (or college equivalent) students who want to study Business at University.

For more information e-mail [schoolsandcolleges@southwales.ac.uk](mailto:schoolsandcolleges@southwales.ac.uk)

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South Wales  
Prifysgol  
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## Chiropractic Taster Day Treforest Campus

**BOOK NOW!**

Tuesday 25 June 2024 | 10am - 2pm



## LAW TASTER DAY

### Treforest Campus

 **20 June 2024**  
**9:15 - 14:45**

Law | Criminal Justice | Legal Practice

An exciting opportunity for year 12 (or college equivalent) students to explore career pathways and experience our Hydra Simulation Centre and our very own Moot Courtroom.

For more information e-mail:  
[schoolsandcolleges@southwales.ac.uk](mailto:schoolsandcolleges@southwales.ac.uk)

- **June 10 @ 10:10 - 11:00** MFL/French: University Book Club – L'Étranger by Albert Camus with UEA (KS5) [Find out more](#) » **[NEW]**

- June 10 @ 14:00 - 15:00 insight4me Classical Civilisation: The Epics of Homer - UEA & Edinburgh (KS5) [Find out more](#) » [NEW]
- **June 11 @ 15:35 - 16:20** Film/Media: Skills & Insight - The Filmmaker's Toolkit with UEA (KS5) [Find out more](#) » [NEW]
- **June 11 @ 11:10 - 11:55** Law/Criminology: Investigative Psychology & Criminal Profiling - Tutorial – Aberystwyth (KS5) [Find out more](#) » [NEW]
- **June 12 @ 11:10 - 11:55** English Literature: Skills & Insight - Tackling Poetry Collections with UEA (KS5) [Find out more](#) » [NEW]
- **June 13 @ 16:30 - 17:15** HE Guidance: How To Choose The Right Course For You? UEA (KS5) [Find out more](#) » [NEW]
- **June 13 @ 15:35 - 16:20** Music: Composing To A Brief - The Art Of Music To Picture - Solent University (KS5) [Find out more](#) » [NEW]
- **June 13 @ 09:10 - 10:00** Global Health & Social Issues Facing Children & Young People with UEA (KS5) [Find out more](#) » [NEW]
- **June 13 @ 13:30 - 14:15** Psychology/Sociology: Free Will vs Determinism - Tutorial – UEA (KS5) [Find out more](#) » [NEW]
- **June 17 @ 16:30 - 17:15** Mathematics/Computer Science: The Mathematics Behind AI - UEA (KS5) [Find out more](#) » [NEW]
- **June 18 @ 13:30 - 14:15** Psychology of Art with Goldsmiths, University of London (KS5) [Find out more](#) » [NEW]

**Gresham College** lectures are a great way to learn beyond the curriculum and give you things to write about in university applications - <https://www.gresham.ac.uk/whats-on?see-all>



**A Mathematician's View of Proof**

Professor Sarah Hart  
Tue, 04 Jun 2024  
(lunchtime lecture)

• [Watch Online](#)

• In-person tickets [available](#)



**Witch-Hunting in European and World History**

Professor Ronald Hutton  
Wed, 05 Jun 2024

• [Watch Online](#)

• In-person tickets sold out



**Are Financial Markets Efficient?**

Professor  
Raghavendra Rau  
Mon, 10 Jun 2024

• [Watch Online](#)

• In-person tickets [available](#)



**The Bloomsbury Group: A Queer History**

Nino Strachey  
Tue, 11 Jun 2024

• [Watch Online](#)

• In-person tickets [available](#)



**Plato's Cave: Thinking about Climate Change**

Professor Melissa Lane  
Thu, 13 Jun 2024

• [Watch Online](#)

• In-person tickets [available](#)



**Has the UK Constitution worked or does it need reform?**

Lord Falconer PC, KC  
Mon, 17 Jun 2024

• [Watch Online](#)

• In-person tickets sold out

**Birthdays recently or coming up – Happy Birthday to...**



**This week: Darcie M; Hermione P; Emma E and Hana AA**

**Pet of the week:** Thanks Mr Lister, meet Cookie and Orie

