



CLAIRE'S COURT SIXTH FORM

Weekly Bulletin

FRIDAY 28 FEBRUARY

PRINCIPAL'S BLOG

Read Mr Wilding's Blog for this week: ["Special Report: Navigating AI Relationships"](#)

Invitation to the PTA AGM

All parents are invited to attend the PTA AGM, at our Junior School on Friday 7 March, at 12.30pm with a sandwich lunch, ending at 1.45pm. It's a good chance to see how the PTA supports the school. Please complete the [form](#) if you'd like to attend so we can plan for catering.

Additional Transport Route

We are exploring the introduction of new school bus routes from Bracknell (starting September 2025) and Hillingdon (starting September 2026). If you are interested, please contact Vectare by Friday 28 March via the ['Contact Us'](#) form and select 'Express interest in additional transport routes'.

Please note if we do not receive sufficient demand we will not be able to run the route.

SAVE THE DATE

- Monday 3 -Friday 7 March- Y12 Internal Assessments
- Tuesday 11 March- Malala Fundraiser
- Thursday 13 March- Y13 Parents Evening
- Wednesday 26 March- Y12 Parents Evening
- Thursday 27 March- Spring Concert
- Thursday 3 April- Spring Term Ends

Y12 Internal Exams Week Commencing Monday 3 March

Your son/daughter will have a copy of their exam timetable and it is also on Classroom for them to view.

Morning exams will start at 9am sharp, so we recommend on the days your son/daughter has a morning exam they arrive at school by 8.45am the latest.

Spring Concert - Thursday 27 March

Parents whose child is participating in the concert have been forwarded the information already, however all are welcome to attend but please can you contact Helen Phipps (hep@clairescourt.net) no later than Friday 21 March so that a booking form can be emailed to you as there is limited space available in the hall.

Malala Fund Fundraiser

We will be fundraising for the [Masala Fund](#) on Tuesday 11 March. Students are welcome to wear non school uniform for a £2 donation. We will be using a QR code for students to pay their £2 directly to the charity.

UNIVERSITY INFORMATION FOR YEARS 12 & 13

University and College Open Days - www.opendays.com

University of Chester A Level Revision and Study Days

More information [here](#)

Register [here](#)

University of Essex Presentations and Workshops

Find out more [here](#).

Wycombe Abbey International Universities Roadshow

Wednesday 19 March 7.30-9pm

Register [here](#)

CAREERS INFORMATION

The Sixth Formers Guide to Degree Apprenticeship

Find out more [here](#)

Thames Hospice Work Experience Week

An opportunity to observe different roles in the healthcare sector, undertake clinical training both in patient-facing and classroom settings, hear from different professions including consultants and nurses and gain some hands-on experience.

Further information [here](#).

TEFL Enrichment Course for Sixth Form students

This is £90 per student (usually £225) with 6 months access (usually 3 months). Upon completion, students are certified to teach English as a foreign language abroad, online or privately within the UK.

Find our more [here](#)

BDO Virtual Event- Business and Accounting

Register [here](#)

Dunelm Apprenticeships

Find out more information [here](#)

EDF Apprenticeships

See link [here](#)

Apprenticeships

Please see this very helpful parent guide to apprenticeships [here](#)

GENERAL INFORMATION

Sixth Form Dress Code Reminder

Formal business dress remains on a Monday. Casual business dress may be worn from Tuesday to Friday. The requirements for Sixth Form dress may be found [here](#). Ugg slippers/boots, trainers and hoodies are NOT part of the uniform.

Parking Outside School Reminder

May we politely ask that for the safety of our pupils you do not wait on the double yellow lines on College Road and the corner of College Avenue. The double yellow lines are there to ensure visibility is maintained thereby keeping both pedestrians and drivers safe. The traffic wardens do patrol the area and will issue tickets for cars parked illegally on double yellow lines.

Thank you for your support in keeping our pupils and school safe and local residents happy.

Enrichment Programmes

We run an Enrichment programme on Thursdays from 3 - 4pm where various speakers are invited to come into school to talk to Y12 students. In the past, we have had parents of sixth form students volunteer to present and we would love to hear from you if you would like to participate in this initiative. Please email lyw@clairescourt.net for further information.

REMINDERS

Cashless Catering

Please can you regularly check your son/daughter's cashless catering balance and ensure there are sufficient funds available. Overdrawn accounts will be closed until funds have been added.

Sickness Absence & Medical Absence reporting

Please report any sickness absence to the school office before 8.45am on each day of sickness either by telephoning 01628 327560 or by email to sixthform@clairescourt.net.

Any absence from school required for medical or dental appointments may also be requested by email to sixthform@clairescourt.net.

New, news, news!

Take a look here..... <https://bit.ly/40qgNjs> at our fantastic media wall on the school website where we collate all the stories from across the school. There are

stories from Instagram, Facebook and Twitter plus photo albums from Flickr which can all be filtered by year group/activity/event.

AIM HIGH ◆ BELIEVE IN YOURSELF ◆ MAKE A DIFFERENCE