



## CLAIRE'S COURT SIXTH FORM

# Weekly Bulletin

### FRIDAY 7 MARCH

#### PRINCIPAL'S BLOG

Read Mr Wilding's blog, ["Acts of Purpose - Why Teachers Come to School"](#)

#### GENERAL INFORMATION

##### **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.

##### **Double Yellows / Zig Zag parking**

Please DO NOT stop/wait/quickly drop off/pick up on the zig zags outside of the school entrance in any circumstance. There are no exceptions for this please as it means our coaches do not have the space to pull into the car park safely. We say this to ensure the safety of all our students and teachers walking into school to ensure there is visibility for them to enter the school safely too.

Thank you for not parking on the double yellows at the junction too, it has been an improvement.

#### SAVE THE DATE

- Tuesday 11 March- Malala Fundraiser
- Thursday 13 March- Y13 Parents Evening
- Wednesday 19 March- Y13 Student Finance and Accommodation Online Talk
- Wednesday 26 March- Y12 Parents Evening
- Thursday 27 March- Spring Concert
- Thursday 3 April- Spring Term Ends

### **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](http://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](#).

#### **Gap Year opportunity at St Edward's Royal Free Middle School**

Find more information [here](#)

#### **TEFL Enrichment Course for your 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](#)

## **REMINDERS**

### **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](#).

### **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](mailto:sixthform@clairescourt.net).

Any absence from school required for medical or dental appointments may also be requested by email to [sixthform@clairescourt.net](mailto:sixthform@clairescourt.net).

### **New, news, news!**

Take a look here..... <https://bit.ly/40ggNjs> 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.

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