



Year 13

Term 2 Newsletter

Dear parents and carers,

As we reach the end of this term, I would like to wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. It has been a long term and students are in need of a rest in their Christmas holidays.

We have had an extremely busy term with students completing their first round of Pre Public Exams in Year 13 and receiving their first data on their progress following these exams this year. I hope that students are pleased with their performance in these exams and able to build on the progress made in Year 12. PPE exams are designed to prepare students for their upcoming exams in June and are a stepping stone to the final hurdle. I hope that if students are worried about their performance, they have had the opportunity to discuss with their class teachers their next steps and have a plan moving forward. A reminder that each faculty area will be hosting intervention sessions and I have attached a copy of this timetable to accompany this newsletter. Last week you had the opportunity to speak to teachers during the parents' evening, I am sure these conversations were beneficial to both our young people and yourselves.

Additionally, we have been busy supporting our students with their UCAS applications and I would like to take this moment to congratulate students for their hard work getting these applications completed by the deadline. It is an exciting time for our students, and I take great pleasure hearing about the offers they are receiving from top universities.

As part of our charity focus this year, Head Students Saoirse Staff and Harrison Mellish completed a drive to collect food and supplies for the local Hope Centre. We had the pleasure of dropping these off last week and continue to strengthen our community work in the Sixth Form Team.

Students enjoyed their end of term Christmas meal on Friday 8 and we were pleased so many of the students joined us for a meal and some singing.

I hope you all have a restful holiday and we look forward to welcoming students back in January.

Yours faithfully,

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Upcoming Events

Term 3 starts:

8:45am Thursday 4 January
2024 on a Week A

February PPE's:

Weeks beginning

12/2/24

26/2/24

Student should be able to see their exam timetable via the Edulink App.

Student Reminders

Make sure you wear your lanyard around your neck whenever you are in school.

Uniform infringements will be logged as a 30 minute detention.

You must sign in and out when you enter and exit the school site.

School starts at 8:45am. Please make sure you are punctual for school and for your lessons

UCAS applications:

Outstanding applications must be completed in the first week back in January.

Check the intervention timetable for support sessions.