

Dear Parents and Carers,

I write to make you aware that the college week will run a little differently commencing 10<sup>th</sup> October. From Monday 10<sup>th</sup> - Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> October, students will only come to college for their Key Assessment 1 exams. Normal lessons will not be running. In between exams and in the lead up to 10<sup>th</sup> October, students should be very busy studying.

On Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> October, all students will be in college for UCAS Day. Early applicants will either be with Jane Crawford (Medicine, Dentistry, Veterinary students) or John Titmas (Oxbridge students). All students who attended the National Apprenticeship Show will spend the day working on careers skills, led by Sadeia Afzal. All other students will attend lectures designed to prepare them to make the best possible UCAS application. We have a number of Universities coming in to support this.

On Friday 14<sup>th</sup> October, students will have an independent study day. They can use this to get ahead in their studies and get their UCAS applications up to date, including their personal statements and researching their University choices.

Please support your son or daughter by asking questions about their progress over the course of the week, be it in their assessments or after their UCAS day about their next steps.

Many thanks,

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