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## **YEAR 11 BULLETIN**

### CARING - DETERMINED - REFLECTIVE

#### Life after GCSEs?

We have reached the time of year when Year 11 students begin to consider their options for next year. Students have already attended a number of assemblies introducing them to the options available to them. These can include staying on for 6th form at The Malling School, and it was wonderful to welcome so many of you to our Open Evening last Thursday, to going to local colleges or beginning an apprenticeship. All Year 11 students will meet with, if they haven't already, our careers team for a one-to-one meeting to support them through the process of deciding their next steps.



# KENT CHOICES

This week, students were issued with their log in details for the KentChoices website and began to update their profile during a period 1 session. With your child, you can use the website to research all local providers of post-16 options, find out what they offer and when their open events are. You can also log in to make an application to any provider. Find out

more about how to apply here: kentprospectus.co.uk/resources.

Miss Willis, the careers adviser for Year 11, will be sending out lots of support to your child via their school email in the coming weeks, so please remind them to check their emails. She will also post lots of support for parents and carers on our TMS careers Facebook page, **Future you**. You can follow them here: <u>Facebook - Future You</u>.

Regarding specific deadlines for applying to courses, check with the provider you are interested in (some sixth forms are the end of December) but we recommend you apply by the end of January to avoid disappointment, as popular college courses fill up fast. Students have all be recommended to apply to more than one provider to avoid disappointment in the summer.

Please contact Miss Willis if you have any questions or need support. She can be contacted by email at angela.willis@themallingschool.kent.sch.uk

#### WHAT CAN YOU DO?

Discuss with your child what they would like to do next year.

Are they interested in staying on at The Malling School or are they interested in attending college or beginning an apprenticeship?

Log into KentChoices with your child to look at what is available and if there are any open events you want to attend.

#### **REVISION NEWS**

Our period 6 sessions offer students the support with revision and exam preparations. We strongly recommend that students attend as many p.6 sessions as they can.

Period 6 Timetable: 3.30-4.30 pm

DAY	SUBJECT	LOCATION
Monday	Art, 3D Design & Textiles	Art studios
Tuesday	Science	R8
	History	B9/B10
	Business	R19
	Textiles—invite only	Textiles studio
Wednesday	Maths	Maths corridor
	Computer Science	B4
	French	T16
Thursday	English	English corridor
	Spanish	T20
	Music	M6
	Drama	M6
	Hair & Beauty	Salon

There is no science p.6 on Tuesday 14th November

Further information on other p.6 sessions are shared via Virtual Y11 school on Teams

Tremendous Thursdays: Lunchtime English revision session in TSS

#### What to revise this week?

**Biology**: 5. Health: Treating diseases & Medicines-BBC bitesize: Treating diseases & Making medicines

Chemistry: 3. Making salts - BBC bitesize: Making insoluble salts; Titrations; Making copper sulfate

Physics: 6. Radioactivity - Atoms; Nuclear radiation; Uses and dangers of radioactivity

Geography: River landscapes - causes and effects of flooding, river management, River Dee (CASE STUDY) - Rev guide p.22-24

**History**: Beliefs about causes of disease, methods of prevention and treatment 1900-present - <u>resource</u>

**Business Studies:** Theme 1.4 The Marketing Mix

Psychology: Key studies in Memory: Peterson and Peterson, Bartlett - Memory CB P13-14, P19-20

**Sociology**: Marxist approach to education - Purple book p.50 and your curriculum book

#### **GCSE Modern Foreign Languages**:

- BBC bitesize KS4 [select your language and choose AQA], revise all topics.
- You Tube: Easy French/Spanish chose a topic to revise/learn and practise the vocabulary/listening and grammar.
- **Duolingo App** to revise/learn and practise the vocabulary/listening and grammar.