

Term 5 has been a very positive and productive term for our sixth form students. It has been our first full term back in school, engaging in face to face teaching and learning activities. The Sixth Form team is very proud of how Year 12 students have thrown themselves into their learning and demonstrated positive attitude inside and outside of lessons this term. We also spent some time re-arranging our study space within the sixth form hub in order to maximise independent study and collaboration time.



Enrichment Opportunities

Finance Drop Down Day

This term our Enrichment programme focused on personal finance with students completing various finance tasks during lesson 1. On Wednesday 19th of May, Year 12 took part in a Finance Drop Down Day where they attended a workshop with an external speaker from MyBNK, a company that specialises in delivering innovative and high impact financial workshops to young people. Our students received invaluable information on how to manage their money. During the day, Year 12 also had to complete a finance project, helping them to develop their money knowledge further. Our guest speaker was very complimentary about our sixth form and commented on how engaged and focussed our students were in the workshops. We also received very positive feedback from our students on how useful the day was for them.



Post 18 choices

This term, Miss Painter delivered an assembly to Year 12 students on post 18 choices. Many options were explored and Year 12 were given details about university applications, apprenticeships and gap years. Students commented on how useful the assembly was.

Year 13 students also attended a workshop by The Education People about apprenticeships.

On Monday 24th May, Year 12 IB students took part in a UCAS session where they explored the benefits of Higher Education and learned about the application process.



National Citizenship Service

On Wednesday 12th May, two external speakers came to visit our Year 12 students to inform them about NCS, a programme specifically designed for young people to help them acquire essential skills such as teamwork, organisation, patience and problem solving. More details can be found on their website

www.wearencs.com



Our Sixth Form Heroes

On the 23rd of April the Sixth Form Hair group took their Client Consultation exam and all passed with flying colours. By doing this exam students were able to learn and understand the steps they would have to take in order to be able to communicate with clients when working in a salon and the procedures they would have to know in order to make sure that the client is satisfied with the service they had provided. Congratulations to **Keeley, Rebecca, Roxy, and Supriya**, and thanks to Mrs Baker for supporting them through it all.

Well done to **Alex** and **Roxy** who raised over £50 for Red Nose Day by inviting students to wear something red on 19th March. What an amazing achievement !

Another special mention goes to **Sophie** for the amazing work she completed during lockdown. In February, Sophie worked in a COVID-19 vaccination centre where she assisted medical staff with every day tasks, such as disposal of PPE and room preparation. Thank you for all your hard work Sophie !

Head Students Candidates

This term we are electing our sixth form head students. Let's hear from the candidates on why they have applied for the position!



Rosie Cooper

'I want to try something new'



Harry Boyd

'I want to make a change and help people as much as I can'



Supriya Innam

'I want to listen to other people's opinions and get their ideas across'



Melissa Curling

'I want to make a change and help people as much as I can'

Farewell

This term we say goodbye to Mr Millard, our sixth form academic leader. Mr Millard has been working at The Malling School for six years, as a History teacher. We wish Mr Millard all the very best in his new job and new school.

We also say goodbye to our Year 13 students who are moving onto their next destination. Students will be joining universities all over the country, including, Durham, Bath, Aberystwyth, Reading and Surrey to name a few. We also have students joining the Queens Troop, Fire Brigade and Police, as well as those going onto higher-level apprenticeships in nursing and finance and those entering supported employment.



Dates for your diary

- 31st May-Friday 4th June—Half Term
- 7th June-Friday 16th July—Term 6
- 6th July— IB CP Results (Year 13)
- 21st—5th July— Virtual Work Experience
- 29th June & 30th June—Sixth Form Induction (New Y12)
- 29th June & 30th June—Y12 Research Days