## **UKAT Sixth Form Newsletter**



Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to UKAT Sixth Form's Term 5 Newsletter. We hope that you are all staying safe and well at this time.

I hope that you have all settled back into face to face teaching now and are feeling well prepared for your mini assessments this week and next week for Year 13 and some Year 12's. Please remember that this is not designed to catch you out but in fact to give you the chance to shine!

Sixth Form students have been working very hard since we returned in March and have taken part in a number of catch up sessions, revision workshops and academic mentoring with the University of Kent Ambassadors. It has been lovely to see them back at the Academy and to see how they are so glad to be back to some normality. It has been a very tough time for all students, and we have endeavoured to support them every step of the way. If you feel that you would like to talk to one of the Sixth Form team about any concerns or worries that you may have please call or email us and we will do everything we can to help.

As we are nearing the last day for Year 13, I would like to say what a pleasure it has been getting to know so many of the students and supporting them at such a tough time over the past year and a half. While Year 13 will no longer be required to attend school every day after the 28<sup>th</sup> May we will be having a final goodbye on the 18<sup>th</sup> June when we hope to celebrate your last day as much as we can COVID protocols allowing. Further information will come out shortly about the arrangements for this celebration.

However, our support will not end there as we will be available for UCAS advice and help on Results Day and preparations for Interviews with CV writing or interview skills.

Year 12 will sit full exams in Term 6 in order to ensure that they are fully prepared for the rigours of Year 13 and we will have a number of support sessions in place for them starting term 6. Academic mentoring for a large number of subjects will begin for Year 12 in Term 6 and this will take place on a Wednesday afternoon remotely. This is a required session and will be incredibly helpful for your studies. Further details will be released shortly.

It leaves me to wish our wonderful Year 13 a heartfelt good luck for the forthcoming exams and to wish them every luck in the future as we are truly proud of how you have overcome the difficulties of the past year and a half and we know that you will be successful in all that you do! For Year 12 we wish you a successful end of Term 5 and I am sure you will be just as successful in your mini assessments in Term 6.

Mrs Marshall and Mr Januszewski



Academies Trust (UKAT) Sixth Form

## Term 5 2021

## **Upcoming Events**

End of Term 5 Friday 28<sup>th</sup> May 2021

Early May Bank Holiday Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2021

**Term 6** Monday 7<sup>th</sup> June 2021 – 16<sup>th</sup> July 2021

> Key Dates for Term 5 Year 13 Assessment weeks 10<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup> May 2021 17<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup> May 2021

UCAS Day early July (exact date tbc)

## **Careers Advice**

When applying for apprenticeships, make sure that you have applied by their set deadlines. Applications received after that date will not be considered

You will need to accept your FINAL and INSURANCE choices by **10<sup>th</sup> June 2021.** 

Clearing will open on 5<sup>th</sup> July 2021. Finance deadline to apply is 22<sup>nd</sup> May.

For students planning on going to University in 2022, now is the time to start your research. Universities are offering Virtual Open Days and these dates will be posted on their individual websites.

"Do what you love and success will follow, passion is the fuel behind a successful career" Meg Whitman