

Welcome to our Sixth Form Newsletter.
Here you will find a summary of the week,
useful tips, career opportunities dates and
celebrations of successes!

UPCOMING DATES

Monday is PSHE day

Wed 9th September Period 5: REC starts (Please
complete REC form by Monday 7th)

Wed 9th September: Year 12 Photos timings to be
confirmed

Wed 9th September: Prepare to Succeed Evening.
**Parents have been sent a letter with information on
how to sign up for seats. Please check emails for this
information**

- Year 12 18:15
- Year 13 19:30

It is lovely to have a full Sixth Form.

Mr Ging

Year 13



Well done year 13.

It was great to see you back looking smart and seeing those bright smiles.

Really positive start to the new school year.

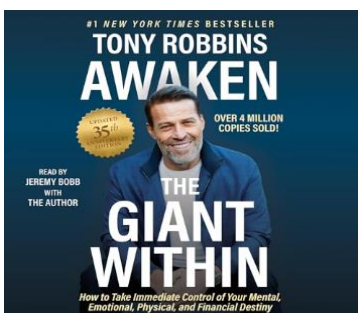
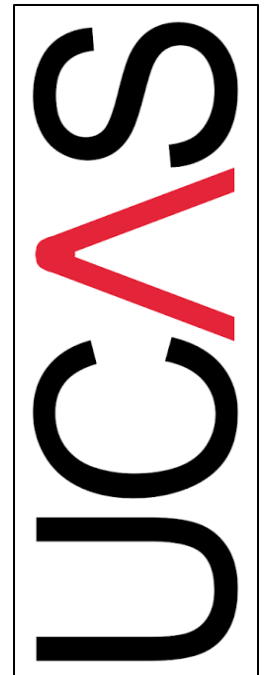
You will not escape a newsletter between now and January without any mention of UCAS.

Most of you, if not all, should have a first draft of your personal statements done. It is important these are done with enough time for tutors to look over them for you to provide feedback. This is particularly important to anyone looking to apply to Cambridge or Oxford University as well as Medical or Veterinary courses.

Even if you are not applying to university, you will still need to complete your personal statement as this is good practice for cover letters and job applications.

Important things to consider moving forward:

- Have you researched into your chosen university course or career choice?
- How much supercurricular work have you done?
- Have you logged any supercurricular work on unifrog? (Your tutors will be using this for references)



Food for thought

'Success comes from taking the initiative and following up... persisting... eloquently expressing the depth of your love. What simple action could you take today to produce a new momentum toward success in your life?'

Tony Robbins

Year 12

May I first extend my thanks to you all for making my first few days a real pleasure. I must confess – like some of you I'm sure – to have felt a little trepidation in starting in a new environment; but I'm feeling like I'm already part of the furniture.

I want to thank you for the way you have settled in so quickly, many of you have really hit the ground running. If you can all keep going with this much enthusiasm, I'm sure you will achieve great things.

Change Of Courses

For many of you the last few days might be the first time you have done some of the subjects you now have on your timetable. Some of you will have had to make choices quickly on results day and some of you will have perhaps realised you want to be on a different path.

Whatever your reason for changing courses, please remember that we cannot make changes after the 18th of September.

Be the role model you would want.

The vast majority of you have come in looking fantastically smart; there have been some strong shirt and tie combinations!

Your best resource

Your best resource will be your teachers. Why don't you set a target for yourself to ask you teacher for some extra reading around your subject; they can point you in the direction of a great author, an interesting physicist or an academic paper.

Accountability update... Tonight, I'm going to treat myself to some new running shoes and tomorrow I'm going to do a 5k run. The half marathon target is in sight!