

Countdown to Success Parent Newsletter 5



Exam Conduct

The exams are finally over. Students have spent the best part of two months revising and working hard for success in the summer. We would like to congratulate the year group on the way they have conducted themselves throughout the exams. They have been prompt and organised in preparation for the exams, allowing the invigilators to focus on their role in the administration of the papers. Year 11 have been a credit to the school. We would also like to give special thanks to parents, families and carers who have helped guide and support students throughout this stressful time!

Exam Results Day Thursday 24th August from 9am

Any parents planning to pick up results for their child must have a letter signed by the student giving them this permission, results belong to the child and we are unable to hand them to any other person without their consent.

Any student wishing to ring in for results needs to agree a password with Alice Miner in the exams office before the end of term.

Any student wishing to have their results posted home must provide a stamped addressed envelope to the exams office by the end of term.

Of course, we hope to see most students in person on the day to collect results; it is always great to see the hard work pay off for the students.

Marches Sixth Form

Induction Days 5th July and 6th July

It is worth noting that it is not too late to apply to the Marches Sixth Form. For the students who have applied to the Marches Sixth Form we are holding two Taster days. We have planned interesting and informative days for them to find out more about what it is like to be in the Sixth Form at The Marches School. The days have a mixture of information sharing, subject specific taster sessions and enjoyable team-building activities. Students can attend the sessions for the subjects they have already chosen and any they are still considering. We hope this will allow students the opportunity to attend a session in all of their courses.

We ask that students arrive at 8.50am on Day 1, where they will gather in the Sixth Form Common Room, register and receive their induction pack, ready for a 9.15am welcome talk before the first lesson of the day. The day also includes the opportunity to sample two of the many enrichment sessions available in the Sixth Form. Students are reminded they need to bring their own lunch on Day 1.

Day 2 will begin at 9.15. After lunch (which we will provide), students will take part in some enjoyable, team-building activities. This will enable us to start creating cohesive, supportive relationships for September. The day will come to an end at around 3.00pm.

Prom

A reminder that the Prom is taking place on the 12th July at The Lion Quays Hotel and Spa. Staff look forward to seeing you there.

Final comment from me

A huge thank you for all the hard work and support that you have given to both your child and to the school, you have been through a great deal over the last 5 years, and the school couldn't have done it without you, but I am sure the rewards will be well worth it.

A message to pass to your child:-

Today, I am honoured to say, we are proud of your many achievements over the years, your various accomplishments in all curriculum and extra curriculum activities. Your brilliant achievements in academic discourse and in sports are indeed acknowledged. Your sweet memories will forever remain in our hearts.

I and my fellow colleagues wish to thank you for the uncommon zeal you have demonstrated towards your studies, in your relationship with the teachers, management, the younger students, and even among yourselves.

Uniform

Any donations of uniforms would be greatly appreciated once students have sat their final exam. They can be dropped off in front reception at any time. This allows us to support students in need to access their education.