

Sixth Form Weekly Update

W/B – Monday 1st June 2020



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Think Piece: It's the **FINAL HALF TERM OF THE YEAR!** We are sure you are exhausted from all that **chilling on the sofa**. You probably can't even remember what school looks like – but congratulations you have **nearly made it through another year of sixth form!**

There are a lot of changes on their way in the coming weeks. And whilst steps are being taken to wind down the lockdown, you need to make sure you continue to make the right choices to keep you and your families safe! Remember even when the boredom kicks in - **you must:**

Keep Your Distance – Limit Your Contact With Others – Follow The Rules

We can't wait to see you again soon! Things will get better, but for this to happen we need to maintain our commitment!



You'll have seen a lot of reports on the news about the **re-opening of schools to Years 10 and 12.**

It is really important that you check the school website regularly and read the weekly updates from our Headteacher - **Mrs Sweeney**. **Details will be made available to you in the coming weeks - as we prepare for a return to a very different AMA.**

Stay Informed – Stay Motivated – Stay Positive

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New Term – Get Informed!

The Important Information



A LEVEL RESULTS DAY

THURSDAY 13TH AUGUST 2020

Save the date! We are celebrating your success!



Year 12: You will have PPE examinations in September! Taking place **Monday 21st September 2020 – Friday 25th September 2020**

It is exceptionally important that you are engaging with the work set by your teachers! If you have any problems accessing firefly **then you must contact the sixth form team as soon as possible!**



Introducing **Pixl Stretch**

Inspirational talks,
Inspirational activities, strategies to
succeed. **Click the link below**

Considering a career in medicine?
Mrs Sweeney has sourced an excellent resource to help prepare you for university applications and the demands of the job.
Visit: www.scrubbed-up.com

<https://auth.pixl.org.uk/tv/s/120/b0tomn-Xenm6CYVxrgdlt9JQJEA>



Last Week's Boredom Buster Answers...

How did you do?



Mendacious (adjective)

Not telling the truth,
lying

Country: Bulgaria

Capital: Sofia



They love their dancing...

Famous Quote "Time is
what we want most, but
what we use worst."

William Penn -
Philosopher

**What is wrong with the following
sentence?**

There are too many cars on
the road today.

Name the element...

Mo - Molybdenum

$$1.2 \times 0.9 + 5.9$$

6.98

Word Scramble – Clue:

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Annuity

Brainteaser

**What do you put in a
toaster?**

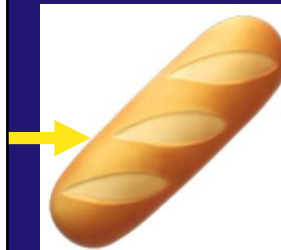
Bread



**Any better than last
week?**

Grab your green pens!

This isn't a holiday...



Social Distancing? Here are some boredom

busting challenges... *answers revealed next week*



Word of the week – What does it mean? Work it into a sentence...

Curtail (Verb)

Where in the world? Name the country and the capital?



Famous Quote – Who said it? **“All things are difficult before they are easy..”**

Grammar time

What is wrong with the following sentence?

They're too many cars on the road today.

Name the element...

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Mental Maths

$$220 \div 11 + 26$$

Word Scramble – Clue:

A state of suspension or temporary inaction.

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Brainteaser

If you take 2 apples from 3 apples, what do you have?

Year 13 – You might not have gotten the Leavers Assembly you deserved, but check out the talk from Obama that **Mr Preston** recommends. You are all the key to a better future...

EMBRACE IT!



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