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27<sup>th</sup> June 2023

Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s)

It has been wonderful to end the College year with the students completing their Work Experience placements, Post 18 day, and Alternative Curriculum week. The students engaged fully in the range of activities offered such as the wellbeing trip to Chateaux du Baffy, and the bespoke programme designed for those who were unable to attend. The range of activities and the involvement of every student highlights the ethos of this year group, and I am very proud of the way they have finished the year. The students also had the invaluable experience of an exam session, which teaching staff will provide feedback in relation to exam performance, targets areas and open dialogue about the provisional UCAS grades.

## Careers

On Friday 9th June, Lower Sixth students started to explore their Post 18 options further receiving workshops on the UCAS Application process and Personal statements (from Alison at Winchester University) and Employability Skills (Earnest & Young) and opportunities in Creative Industries in Guernsey (Source Recruitment).

Remember if you would like to support your daughter, please do log into Unifrog to see what is available - parents have access until the end of August using the following code: **ladiesparents** https://www.unifrog.org/code

Unifrog is a great platform for students whether they are looking at going to university or into the World of Work.

For all those applying to university please note that we strongly encourage your daughter to start writing their personal statement over the summer holidays. For early applicants the deadline for everything to complete on UCAS is 16.00 on 9th October. For all other applicants the deadline for a draft personal statement is 16th October and full applications on UCAS must be completed by 27<sup>th</sup> November.

For more information about UCAS please do download the UCAS Parent Guide (the document provides an excellent overview although please note some sections are not relevant as we live in Guernsey.) <a href="https://www.ucas.com/undergraduate/applying-university/ucas-undergraduate-advice-parents-and-guardians">https://www.ucas.com/undergraduate/applying-university/ucas-undergraduate-advice-parents-and-guardians</a>

Those students not applying to university are encouraged to refine their CV over the summer holidays.

All students will have a chance to sign up for mock interviews next term. Any questions please contact <a href="mailto:edudin@ladiescollege.ac.gg">edudin@ladiescollege.ac.gg</a>

## **End of Year Reports**

End of Year Reports have been posted to the Parent Portal. If you have any difficulties, please visit the parent portal page on our website <a href="https://www.ladiescollege.com/information/communication-to-parents">https://www.ladiescollege.com/information/communication-to-parents</a> in the first instance and then contact <a href="portal@ladiescollege.ac.gg">portal@ladiescollege.ac.gg</a> if the advice does not resolve your issue.

In each subject, students have been given:

- Examination Grade
- Examination Result as %
- Projected UCAS grades
- Teacher comment

UCAS grades will become fixed when we reach the deadlines for subject references (Friday 22nd September for early applicants, Friday 09 October for all others), so there will be some time for staff to talk to the students and review grades if necessary.

Should you have any queries or concerns about this report, please email me in the first instance: <a href="mailto:eclements@ladiescollege.ac.gg">eclements@ladiescollege.ac.gg</a>

## Start of Michaelmas term arrangements

Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> September: Upper Sixth arrive for 10:00 and go to the Leaf Centre.

Welcome from Miss Clements then to form rooms with tutors.

(Year group photographs from 11:40 and individual photographs during lunchtime)

Tutor Group	Form Tutor	Registration Room
Upper 6A	Mrs Ellis	21
Upper 6B	Dr Marshall	JLab
Upper 6C	Mr Henderson	5
Upper 6D	Mr Bolt	Leaf Centre

I would like to take this opportunity to wish you all a safe and happy summer break.

We look forward to welcoming students back to College on **Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> September**. It has been a privilege to work with them this year and I am grateful for your ongoing support.

Yours sincerely,

Emma Clements

**Head of Sixth Form** 

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