



3rd October 2018

Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s)

Lower Sixth (Year 12)

It has been an exciting and busy start to the year with an abundance of opportunities being offered to the girls to support their Sixth Form experience.

We would like to remind both students and parents of some key dates in the calendar and also the expectations within the Sixth Form.

Uniform

The uniform for Sixth Form students differs from that in the Senior School, however, the expectation to follow the guidelines remains the same. The views of the girls were canvassed when the current uniform was chosen and we found they preferred to have a distinctive uniform to show they are still members of The Ladies' College, but wanted some unique features, which make the uniform more suitable for Sixth Form students. Students may therefore wear a little makeup and minimal jewellery (i.e. one pair of small earrings, fine chain necklace and bracelet.) Festival-style bracelets, ankle bracelets, white socks, tattoos or additional piercings are not acceptable.

Leave of Absence

Please be aware that leave of absence, during the school day is automatically agreed for medical appointments. Leave to attend private tuition is not usually authorised. Early discussion helps to resolve any concerns or issues, so please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Key dates for Lower Sixth

October 26th 2018

Lower Sixth will be taking part in a morning workshop with Positively MAD: 'Bridging the GAP'. This is a realistic look at the demands of Sixth Form and an introduction to the core skills needed to cope with those demands. The workshop equips students with a range of tools and techniques designed to promote self-study, independent learning and research, and to raise aspirations.

Finally, following the Lower Sixth presentation earlier this term, we thought we would remind you of the key dates for your daughter whilst she is in Lower Sixth. Specific information about the events will be supplied to your daughter, and yourself if relevant, nearer the event itself.

- **Combined Colleges Careers Convention**
Thursday 22nd November, 6-8pm at Elizabeth College [Compulsory event](#)
- **Oxbridge evening**
Monday 25th February 6pm in the Leaf centre, (Revision evening is first)
- **Lower Sixth Parents' Evening – at Elizabeth College**
27th February 2019 5pm until 9pm
- **Higher Education evening with Elizabeth College**
Monday 18th March at The Ladies' College 7pm start, [Compulsory event](#)
- **HE day (run by Careers Guernsey)**
Tuesday 19th March, location TBC, during school time, pupils will be off timetable for the day, [Compulsory event](#)
- **Work experience**
Week commencing 10th June [Compulsory event](#)
- **UCAS day**
Monday 17th June, during the normal school day, [Compulsory event](#)
- **University Trip**
Day trip to Winchester and Southampton Universities, Friday 28th June

Please do get in touch should you have any concerns.

Yours sincerely,



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