

Weekly Student Bulletin for Braintree Sixth Form Students Friday 28th April 2023

Dear BSF Students,

It has been another productive week in the sixth form with lessons, revision, tutor activities, individual tutorials and independent study. I hope that you are looking forward to your long weekend and make the most of your bank holiday Monday.

Subject ambassadors and Prefects

It was lovely to be able to speak to you all this week. Subject staff have been emailed to confirm the ambassadors for their subject and these students can now begin to take on this role and work closely with the subject department. The prospective Head and Deputy Head prefects will give a speech to myself and Miss Ryan next week on Wednesday and Thursday, and then all other prefect roles will be decided from there. I am really looking forward to working with the new team of year 12 students and beginning to hear your feedback and ideas in more detail.

Assembly Tuesday 2nd May

There will be an assembly taking place next Tuesday for all year students. It will be delivered by Aim apprenticeships and will include information about higher and degree apprenticeships. All year 12 students are expected to attend.

Lanyards and student entrance

Please ensure you bring your lanyard to sixth form every day and have it displayed around your neck. If you have lost it, then you will need to buy a replacement card at a cost of £5 via Parent Pay. If this is the case, please speak to Ms Watson.

Also, a reminder that students should not enter/exit the sixth form through the reception. Please use the student entrance/exit doors only.

Celebrating the coronation

On Friday 5th May we will be holding a tea party celebration event during lunchtime for the King's coronation beginning at 1.35pm in Café 6. Further information will follow in tutor time next week regarding which food items to bring in, as we would like as many students as possible to bring in one item to contribute. It will involve food, drinks, music, decorations, and it will be a lovely way to celebrate together as a Sixth Form.



Opportunities for you

University Open days

Explore and see all university open day dates on one website. Home - 2023 Open Day Dates (myopendays.co.uk)

Medic Mind Medicine Work Experience

Are you struggling to find **good quality medical work experience**? Looking for a **full package of application support**, to help you through the whole process? Then check out the **Medic Mind Medicine Work Experience!**

This full week of application help will include targeted exam support, hands-on experience in a hospital setting and interview help, led by a team of real doctors and application experts.

You will get:

- real insights into a medicine career, with thought-provoking prompts.
- a motivating, supportive group learning environment.
- **learn from real doctors**, and learn real life skills ahead of your course.
- help with your **UCAT, BMAT and interviews**.

stay in central London and meet other medical applicants!

Learn more about the Medicine Work Experience!

Our intensive summer camp is a great option for students looking for a boost of help. Students can pick a full week option with all accommodation and food included, or choose to come for just the days that they need most support on.

Keen for more information, or interested in registering a school group? Contact us today and our Partnerships Manager, Daniela, will be happy to help you out!

info@medicmind.co.uk

www.medicmind.co.uk

Head start Webinar series

Join virtual evening sessions on **Tuesdays-Thursdays** from **2nd-11th May**, aimed at helping Year 12 and Year 13 prepare for university, get an insight into student life, and have their pressing questions answered.

This is a great opportunity to:

- Learn all About clearing
- Talk sport, support & societies
- Feel 'at home' With accommodation
- Discover bright futures with Swansea Employability Academy

Plus, join our Q&A subject sessions with our **live student ambassador panel**, to hear their inspiring stories and their tips for success!

Register for these sessions now!
Register here

A/A*revision days for Biology and Chemistry

Lincolnshire Training Hub are holding four free individual sessions taught by current medical students for A-Level Revision, to help prospective healthcare students reach the top grades every evening between the **9**th **and 12**th **of May.** They will be based for Biology and Chemistry A-Levels.

The sessions will run as follows:

9th of May: A-Level Biology Session 1

10th of May: A-Level Biology Session 2

11th of May: A-Level Chemistry Session 1

12th of May: A-Level Chemistry Session 2

between **18:30** and **20:00** each evening on zoom. Which topics will be included in which days will be emailed around, and updated on our website on the 5th of May.

Each session will include revision top tips, breaking down exam questions with how to answer to hit all the mark points and how to tell what the question is asking, as well as teaching on topics preselected by students. Please note that the content will be based on students aiming for A/A*.

To submit your interest and receive the log in links, and to also let us know which topics you would like us to cover, please fill out the google document

below: https://forms.gle/tamJVZ3QkUEaDYSB9

Year 12 summer experiences ARU

Amplify Your Summer

Year 12 Summer Experiences 2023: Apply now

Medical Programme - Chelmsford, 9-13 July 2023

Character Design Programme - Cambridge, 16-20 July 2023

More information at the following link

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ARU is delighted to announce that our Amplify You Summer free residential programmes will be returning in 2023.

9th - 13th July 2023 Medical Programme, Chelmsford Campus

16th -20th July 2023 Character Design Programme, Cambridge Campus



Apply now, or find more information on our website







YOUNG ECONOMIST OF THE YEAR COMPETITION

Sponsored by KPMG

What?

A competition for students to produce their own ideas in analysing contemporary economic problems facing the UK and the world.

Who?

Students in Years 10 - 13 (or equivalent), either individually or in groups of up to 5. You don't have to studying economics!

Why?

Five shortlisted entries will be invited to **KPMG** offices for a grand final with the winning entry being featured in the Financial Times. You'll also get a chance to explore some fascinating real-world questions!

When?

- Deadline for entries is 23.59 (BST) on 14 July 2023
- Five shortlisted entries will be announced August 2023
- Grand final at the **KPMG** offices September 2023

How?

Submit your entry in written (up to 1,000 word blog) or media format - could be a video, podcast or presentation.

www.discovereconomics.co.uk/young-economist-of-the-year





