

PUPIL DAILY BULLETIN – TUESDAY, 24 JANUARY 2017

ALL YEARS

ASSEMBLIES – There will be no Assemblies this week due to Prelims

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- **Assessment Period Information:-** Monday, 16 January 2017 – Friday, 27 January 2017 is the Assessment Period for our S4-6 pupils sitting their preliminary assessments for their National Qualifications. It is important that all pupils are considerate to those participating in assessments during this time. Please take heed of all notices up around the Assembly Hall and other rooms asking you to be quiet or not enter that area/corridor during these two weeks. If the barriers are up in front of the hall, or in either corridor heading to the hall, you must not use the main entrance or pass that way, and should use the other entrances/exits unless you are going to reception. Please bear in mind that many of the assessments also go through interval and lunchtime, so these instructions will also apply at these times.

Pupils sitting assessments can check any information on the notice board beside Barra or see me if you have any queries.

I would also like to take this opportunity to wish all pupils doing assessments every success in them.

Mrs Fraser

- **Library Lunchtime Opening Times:-** During the assessment period the library will be open at lunchtime on Tuesday and Wednesday for pupils in S4 – S6 for study only. Monday and Friday opening will continue for all other pupils.
Library Staff
- **Banter Club:-** Tuesday lunchtimes come to Room 46 for lots of fun! Snacks and games every week. Bring your lunch.
Suzie Sherriffs
- **Tapadh Leat:-** Did you know that scientists have begun to chart a course of research and detailed studies, documenting the social, physical and psychological benefits of gratitude? They're finding that people who practise gratitude consistently report a host of benefits:-
 - Stronger immune systems and lower blood pressure;
 - Higher levels of positive emotions;
 - More joy, optimism, and happiness;
 - Acting with more generosity and compassion.

On Wednesday, 25 January 2017 a new and exciting group are meeting to be a part of the experiment. Interested? Then come along to the first meeting of Tapadh leat on Wednesday, 25 January 2017, Room 33, 12.30 pm (bring your lunch).

Miss Gollop

S1

- **Fit for Girls – Yoga and Indoor Curling:-** Go straight to the PE Hall after school on Wednesday girls where we will be doing Yoga and Indoor Curling! Remember to bring water with you and your PE kit.
Miss Walker

S4

- **S4 Mentoring:-** To allow the remaining prelims to take place over the course of the week – no tuition sessions will be arranged for this week. Next week is a Mentoring Week so pupils should see their Mentor at the times previously agreed. Any problems – please see Mr O'Connor. **Mr O'Connor**

S5

- **The Nuffield Research Placement Scheme 2017:-** The online application system for The Nuffield Research Placement Scheme 2017 is open to pupils in S5 who will be sitting Highers in May in any of the Science subjects, Technology, Engineering and / or Maths. These placements are very intense courses and last for 4 ,5 or 6 weeks during the summer holidays. If any pupil wishes further information regarding these opportunities they should see Mr Hepburn during registration by Wednesday. **Mr Hepburn**