



Waltham Toll Bar Academy

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19 April 2023

Dear Parent / Carer

As we begin the busy summer term, we would like to keep you informed of a number of important matters affecting our Year 12 students, and encourage you to contact us at the Sixth Form should you have any queries about these.

Assessment Results

Year 12 students completed their second formal assessments of the academic year prior to the Easter break, and the results of these assessments are enclosed with this letter. We hope that you will find this information helpful in understanding the current progress that your child is making, and where further improvements can be made. Please do not hesitate to contact individual teachers, subject leaders or the Sixth Form Leadership Team should you have any concerns about progress.

Year 12 Review Evening:

We would like to invite you to our Year 12 Review Evening, and strongly advise attendance at this face-to-face event, which takes place in the main academy halls on:

- **Wednesday 10 May 2023: 5:00pm-8:00pm**

This will provide an excellent opportunity for you to speak to curriculum staff regarding progress, and we will also be joined by representatives from Higher Education, who will be on hand to support students as they consider their options beyond their A Level studies.

Appointment bookings for the evening should be made via the SchoolCloud booking system, available via the Sixth Form website. This enables you to choose your own appointment times with teachers. You will need to log in with the following information:

- Student's First Name:
- Student's Surname:
- Student's Date of Birth:

Please note that in order to create a log in on the SchoolCloud, you must have parental responsibility on our system and your personal details must match the data we hold.

The appointment booking window will open at 9:00am on Friday 28 April, and will close on Tuesday 9 May at 5:00pm.

Should you encounter any issues making appointments, please contact the main academy office by e-mailing enquiries@tollbaracademy.co.uk with the title 'Year 12 Review Evening', or calling on 01472 500505, and asking to speak to a member of the Sixth Form Leadership Team.



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Year 12 Examination Information:

Year 12 students will be involved in end of year examinations for two weeks from Monday 19 June 2023. It is essential that all students are present for these examinations, as the results that students achieve will be used to help decide upon predicted grades, which students rely upon for applying to university or other post-A Level pathways. An examination timetable will be issued nearer the time, and we remind you that we do not authorise holidays during term-time, and any unauthorised holidays scheduled during this examination period will be particularly disruptive to studies.

Exploring Future Options:

As part of their Tutorial Programme, Year 12 students have already had opportunities to explore their future options, with a focus on university, apprenticeships, and employment. We encourage all students to equip themselves with as much information as possible in this area, and not to worry if they are as yet undecided on what they wish to do following completion of their A Level studies. Appointments with our Careers Advisors are also available upon request for any students in need of further guidance

In the summer term, we will be focusing on university applications in particular, and all Year 12 students will have the opportunity to attend the **UCAS Discovery Exhibition at Leeds Beckett University on Wednesday 14 June**. It is also worth noting that many universities are beginning to offer open days, which students may wish to attend independently, or with parents/carers.

All applications for university are made through the UCAS portal, and parents/carers can sign up to receive regular updates from UCAS via their parental newsletter - <https://www.ucas.com/parents-signup>.

We are very happy to support with any queries or questions you may have regarding the UCAS application process, and look forward to assisting students as they plan their future beyond Sixth Form.

We would like to thank you for your support so far this year, and look forward to working with you over the remainder of Year 12.

Yours faithfully

Mrs C Hook
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