



Parent Bulletin Friday 5th May 2023

Dear Parents and Carers

It's been a short week in school which has really flown by. Our Year 11 and 13 students are really feeling the pressure as we count down towards the start of the formal exam period on 15th May. Please make sure they are working as hard as they can at home. There are a range of exams next week including MFL speaking exams, Art and Photography exams and Year 11 Motor Vehicle assessments.

Student President Elections

As well as local elections on Thursday our students had the opportunity to vote for next year's Student President. Year 12 students who put themselves forward shared a campaign video which students could review and discuss before voting in a secret school election. I'm very impressed with the students who put themselves forward and we will share the results as soon as we can.

The King's Coronation

Today students had the opportunity to discuss this and learn more about it on our *Get Talking Friday* feature. This will be a significant constitutional event on Saturday which I hope you will encourage your students to watch. Please remember we have an additional Bank Holiday on Monday meaning school is closed to all students. Everyone is back in school as usual on Tuesday.

Next week our Year 10 students are on work experience. They are either in school for a virtual experience or on a placement with an employer. A great deal of effort has been put in by staff and students to make sure next week is a success and I hope the students enjoy it. We also have an enterprise day for Year 8 and Year 7 Parents' Evening on Thursday from 4-7pm.

Have a good Bank Holiday weekend.

Best wishes
Mr Collins
Headteacher



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<https://www.uxbridgecollege.ac.uk/news-events/events>

This week's Collective Worship reflection is:

Dear God, thank you for the gift of friendship. Thank you that you have created so many different kinds of people who all have the potential to help each other out, and enjoy friendship with each other. Please help me to not only care for my friends, but also that together we use our friendships to make a positive difference to those around us.