

# College Bulletin: W/C Mon 30th & 07th Oct

# **INCLUSION FOCUS BOOK:**

Hidden Figures tells the story of a group of African-American women who, over a period of over 25 years, made major contributions to the US space program. Working in the American South during the Civil Rights Era, they overcame both race- and gender-based discrimination to launch brilliant and storied careers as mathematicians and engineers.



# THOUGHT OF THE WEEK NEVER BE LIMITED BY OTHER PEOPLE'S LIMITED IMAGINATIONS. -Dr. Mae Jemison



# **ROLE MODEL OF THE FORTNIGHT**



Nadiya Hussain Winner of The Great British Baking Show 2015 helps break down the misconceptions surrounding anxiety disorders and documents her own journey as she undergoes cognitive behavioral therapy (CBT) — exploring the root causes of her anxiety and how it has affected her personal and professional life in her documentary 'Anxiety and me'.

### **WELLBEING SUPPORT**

## **Bedford Borough Wellbeing Hub**

https://localoffer.bedford.gov.uk/kb5/bedford/directory/site.page?id=R\_ScQfl CiWk

# Mental Health & Anxiety

www.calmharm.co.uk www.clearfear.co.uk www.kooth.com

### Gender Identity/Sexual Orientation

www.theproudtrust.org

### Bereavement

www.cruse.org.uk www.winstonswish.org

### Staying Safe Online

https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/14 plus/

### **Eating Disorders**

www.beateatinadisorders.ora.uk

# Substance Misuse Support

https://aquarius.org.uk/

REMINDER: Our Student Health Guide can be found here: Student Welfare I kimberlevcollege



# **KEY DATES/ REMINDERS:**

Mon 30<sup>th</sup> Sept: Volleyball & Badminton Club – Postponed Tues 1<sup>st</sup> Oct: Maths Challenge in Lecture Theatre 9am

Tues 1st Oct: Netball Fixture at Bunyan Centre (See netball teams page for further information)

Wed 2<sup>nd</sup> Oct: Read2Lead at Bedford School 1pm-4pm (12pm meet in atrium (Those involved – see Ready2Lead teams page)
Thurs 3<sup>rd</sup> Oct: Bedfordshire Fire & Rescue - Young Driver

Awareness Team onsite 12pm-2pm (see Slide 2)

Thurs 3<sup>rd</sup> Oct: Y12 Parent/ Carer Information Eve 4.30pm – 7.15pm Tues 1<sup>st</sup> / Thurs 2<sup>nd</sup> & Tues 8<sup>th</sup> Oct: Film Crew onsite, students involved will have been communicated with directly Tues 8<sup>th</sup> Oct: Young Enterprise launch in 2s04 3.10pm (See slide 2)

**Please note:** The above events may be postponed depending upon travel conditions – please monitor your teams pages for further updates.

# **CELEBRATING THE STEPPING STONES TO**

# **SUCCESS**

Outstanding Attitude to Learning

Y12: Tristan G, Ollie F, Alaina M,

& Mea C

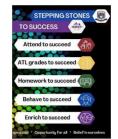
Y13: Ella M, Colette F, Isabelle H, Sophie N & Cadence D

# **Enrichment**

**Biology Cake Competition** 

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Vanessa R 2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Zuzia G

3rd Place: Lauren M & Sianna K





# **KEY COLLEGE CONTACT DETAILS**

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Attendance: <u>6formattendance@wootton.beds.sch.uk</u> **Bursary:** bursary@wootton.beds.sch.uk

ANONYMOUS RERPORTING SYSTEM: SELF-REFERRAL FOR SUPPORT:

https://forms.office.com/r/ADxircgSWf

https://forms.office.com/e/hkK8RggG7g

# **EQUALITY, DIVERSITY & INCLUSION CALENDAR:**

OCTOBER IS BLACK HISTORY, ADHD AWARENESS & DYSLEXIA AWARENESS MONTH

8<sup>th</sup> Oct – Dyslexia Awareness Day 10<sup>th</sup> Oct – World Mental Health Day

11<sup>th</sup> Oct – Coming Out Day 18<sup>th</sup> Oct – Pronouns Day



# **TUTOR SESSIONS in the Lecture Theatre**

|                                   | Year 13                        | Year 12                                       |
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| (W1) w/c<br>30/09/24              | Next Steps<br>Focussed Session |   |
| <mark>(W2)</mark> w/c<br>07/10/24 |                                | Positive & Negative<br>Relationship Awareness |



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# College Reminder

We are carefully monitoring the social area in the canteen:

- Please be respectful of those in lessons by keeping the noise down in the social area – especially when playing table tennis & table football.
- We don't want to ban these activities during lesson times but will have to do so if students are unable to keep the noise down to a minimum.

Thank you for working with us ©

# Bedfordshire Fire & Rescue Service: Young Drivers Campaign

On Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> October, the Fire and Rescue Service will be onsite at Kimberley College between 12pm – 1.40pm.

They will be bringing a Fire Truck, a Rescue Truck a Virtual Reality machine and several staff from the emergency services to highlight young driver awareness.

Please pop out to visit them in the staff carpark during lunch time!!

Vision VR | Bedfordshire Fire and Rescue Service (bedsfire.gov.uk)

Young Drivers | Bedfordshire Fire and Rescue Service (bedsfire.gov.uk)

What every driver should know | Bedfordshire Fire and Rescue Service (bedsfire.gov.uk)

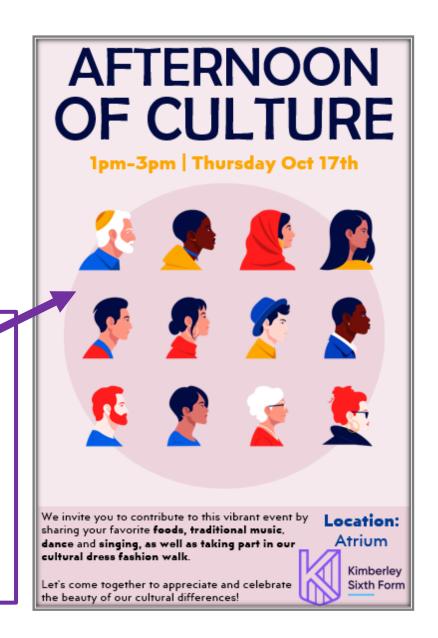
# Young Enterprise 2024

Young Enterprise helps young people develop the life skills, knowledge & confidence they need to succeed in the changing world of work. They do this through setting up and running their own business. If you are a budding Entrepreneur and would like to take part the first meeting will be Tuesday 8th October in room 2S04 at 3.10pm. Students from all subjects are welcome. Mrs Maguire

# Kimberley Sixth Form Afternoon of Culture Thursday 17th October 1pm-3pm

Please keep an eye out on teams for further information, we will be asking students to sign up to get involved by:

- Wearing their traditional & cultural dress
- Bringing in cultural food to share
- Performing traditional/ cultural dances and songs
- Taking part in our Cultural Fashion Walk.





# **UCAS**

# **UNIVERSITY OF THE FORTNIGHT - YORK**



- Part of the Russell Group
- GOLD for teaching
- campus university set within 500 acres
- Over 250 societies you can join
- Ranked 17th in the UK
- Over 250 courses to choose from
- You can apply for catered accommodation here

# **UNIVERSITY PATHWAY - FURTHER INFORMATION**

# Y13

- Have you completed all sections of your UCAS application apart from choices and personal statement?
- Have you been working on your personal statement using UNIFROG?
- Have you emailed Mrs. Stewart to book an appointment for personal statement support?
- Have you booked open days?
- Early Entry- have you uploaded your personal statement to UNIFROG and UCAS?

- Have you started to research universities which may interest you?
- Have you started to explore Degree Apprenticeships?

# Next Steps Information

# CAREERS / APPRENTICESHIPS

# **CAREER OF THE FORTNIGHT – Economist**



# As an Economist, you could:

- Research information & analyse statistics
- Create models to forecast economic developments
- Advise on the potential economic impact of policies & commercial decisions
- Monitor past & present economic issues & trends
- Write reports & present findings

# **FURTHER INFORMATION - Economist**

# How much can I earn?

The average salary ranges from £28,000 - £60,000.

## What it takes -

You'll need:

- Knowledge of maths, economics & accounting
- Analytical thinking skills
- Excellent written & verbal communication skills
- The ability to think clearly using logic & reasoning

# Entry requirements -

You'll usually need 2 or 3 A levels, or equivalent, including maths & economics to study at University.

You'll usually need 4 or 5 GCSEs at grades 9 to 4 and A levels, or equivalent, for a degree apprenticeship.