

# Year 13 Bulletin

Week Beginning  
Monday 19<sup>th</sup> April 2010

**New This Week**

# Common Room Duty

12MO

2.05pm  
(Next Week Year 13LV)

# THE BEAL PHILSOPHY GROUP

For the students who signed up for this Curriculum Enrichment session and anyone else interested:

The next session will be held on Thursday 30th April  
in Room 8 at 1.30pm.

**Theme:** To be decided by group.

Coming Soon...

# Debating Society: The Last Debate

Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> April, Room 15, 1.30pm

We hope all those who have come over the year  
will come and join us.

# Studying Engineering

If you are applying to a degree relevant to Mechanical Engineering you may be eligible for a scholarship.

For more information go to [www.imche.org/awards](http://www.imche.org/awards)

**Useful to Know**

# Crossing

- You are the role models to all younger students in the school
- It is unacceptable for you to jump over the barriers as this can be highly dangerous and you are also setting a very bad example
- Please **ALWAYS** use the underpass or the traffic lights

# Are You Applying to Hertfordshire?

If so they are running special scholarships for able students and young entrepreneurs. If either of those applies to you then see their website.

Lots of universities have similar schemes so as you are thinking about firm and insurance choices do look at scholarship and bursary information. It might mean serious money!

# ID Badges

These must be worn **at all times**

If you do not have it on you, you will be sent home to get it.

Lanyards are available in the sixth form office and cost £2 each.

# UCAS Extra

UCAS Extra is a scheme primarily for students who have been rejected by all the universities they applied for. It goes live on the 25<sup>th</sup> February. If you think you might want to use it see Mr Baker or Mr Smith.

# Science Homework/ Coursework/ Tutoring Club

Who is it for?

KS5 students (Biology only)

When?

Each Thursday Lunch 1.20pm – 2.00pm

Where?

Lab 4

Sessions will be run by Mr Chitty

# Open Days

See [www.opendays.com](http://www.opendays.com) for a complete list. This is just what has come to us through the post, there are lots of others!

- University of Bedfordshire- 3 July
- Cardiff University – 21<sup>st</sup> April
- Anglia Ruskin University-, 8<sup>th</sup> May
- University of Central Lancashire- 12<sup>th</sup> June
- University of Glasgow- 17<sup>th</sup> June, 1<sup>st</sup> September
- University of Bristol 25<sup>th</sup> June and 22<sup>nd</sup> September
- University of Bradford- 3<sup>rd</sup> July, 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2010
- University of Hull –10<sup>th</sup> July, 9<sup>th</sup> October
- University of Nottingham- 25<sup>th</sup> June, 26<sup>th</sup> June, 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> September
- Remember, you may visit 3 universities during school time. You must complete an absence form (available from the Sixth Form Office). Only visit universities that you have a realistic chance of getting into.
- Some universities have Open Days on Saturdays!

Remember you need to fill in a green form and get permission from the teachers whose lessons you are missing before you go.

To find out more about universities go to [www.unistats.com](http://www.unistats.com) as well as the Times and Guardian League Tables (links on MLE)

# Student Finance

The student finance system is now live!

Go to [www.direct.gov.uk/studentfinance](http://www.direct.gov.uk/studentfinance) to apply for grants and loans.

If you want to get your money at the start of the academic year apply soon!