

Sixth Form Weekly News

w/c 30 September 2024

Key Dates

Date/Time	Event	Year Group	Additional information
Monday 30 September	Oxbridge Internal UCAS Deadline	13	
Friday 4 October	Car Free Friday	All years	
Wednesday 9 October	Oxbridge Conference	13	
Friday 18 October	Wear It Pink Day	12 and 13	Sixth Form Only
Sunday 20 October	Hopewalk	All	Details to follow
Wednesday 23 October	Sixth Form Open Evening		Harrogate Grammar School event tickets from TicketSource.

Key Information

Shelter in Place

We have no indication that there is any particular threat to our school or any other school, but we feel that it is important to respond to national advice by preparing thoroughly for events that could threaten the safety of our staff and students. Although such an event could be related to a terrorist event, it is also possible that events such as a gas leak or chemical escape could cause us to sound the bell. Shelter in place is a safety procedure that covers extreme hazards such as a smoke cloud, local chemical leak or an intruder on site.

A series of normal bells will signal shelter in place.

The bells will stop ringing when it is all clear.

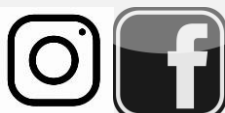
During form this week, your form tutor will talk to you about the actions below that you should take in the unlikely event of hearing a series of normal bells.

During lessons:	During break or lunch:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> You must follow the instructions of your class teacher and remain in the classroom. If you are walking on a corridor, you must enter the nearest classroom and follow the instructions of the class teacher. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> You must quickly and calmly enter the school and go to the next lesson on your timetable. You must follow the instruction of your class teacher. If you do not have a lesson, shelter in G2

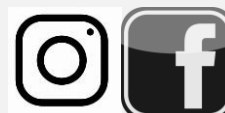
Weekly Revision Sessions

Date	Lesson	Room	Location
Mondays	Business	S27	3.30-4.30pm
Tuesdays	Year 12 AS, A Level, Further Maths	S21	12.55-1.45pm
Thursdays	Economics	S27	3.30-4.30pm
	Year 12 Core, Year 13 A Level & Further Maths	A13	3.30-4.30pm

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Medics, Dentist & Vets Meeting Year 12 – Wednesday 2 October lunchtime

This will be to discuss face to face volunteering at the hospital. The session will take place on Wednesday 2 October lunchtime in **S27**. For more information, please speak to Mrs Winters.

Year 12 Subject Change Request Forms

Deadline for entry is **3.30pm Monday 30 September**

Post-18 visits

Students can sign up for their Post-18 University or Apprenticeship visit from 6pm on Monday 30 September on Arbor. Students need to only sign up for one trip and the deadline is Wednesday 9 October at 6pm. Please click [here](#) for more information.

Kindness Week

Food Bank collections will take place on Friday 4 October and crates will be by the door in Sixth Form Reception. Please can everyone bring in one item!

Super-Curricular and Career Opportunities

Each week we will be updating the progression and careers section of our website with any new and exciting super-curricular and career opportunities for our students.

This week we have the Lucy Cavendish Academic Attainment programme, on campus talk at the University of Leeds and work experience with Lab Corp.



[Top ten apprentice providers of 2024](#)

PwC [full-time school and college leaver programmes](#) help develop your business skills through real client work, while also completing formal training and studying towards qualifications.

Degree Apprenticeships [Flying Start degree programmes](#) offer the opportunity to kick-start your career and go to university.

Please [click here](#) to view all current and new opportunities.

Sports Fixtures

Date	Sport	Age	Opposition	Home Away	Meet Time	Start Time	Return to HGS
Tuesday	Football	U18 boys	St Aidan's	Away	3.30pm	4pm	5pm from St Aidan's
Wednesday	Netball	U19 1 st	St Peter's School	Away	12pm	1pm	3pm
	Netball	U19 3 rd /4 th	Woodhouse Grove	Home	1.45pm	2.30pm	4pm
Friday	Rugby	U19 1 st and 2 nd	Yarnbury	Away	4pm	5.30pm	TBC

Car Free Fridays – Dates for your diary

Friday 4 October is the first Car Free Friday for this academic year.

Get active whilst helping combat climate change.

By choosing a more sustainable form of transport, you can do your bit to help protect our communities and our planet by tackling climate change. Even if you live too far from school to walk or cycle all the way, you could use another option like taking the school bus, catching public transport or 'Park and stride' – this is where you are dropped off further from school and walk the final section to school. All these options means fewer vehicles on the road, and helps lower our carbon footprint. House points will be awarded.

Choose a sustainable method of transport and make every mile count.



Future Car Free Friday Dates

22 November, 7 February, 28 March, 23 May, 27 June

Well-Being and Mental Health support



Please click [on this link](#) to access more information.