



Year 12 Spring Newsletter

Dear student,

Key dates:

Spring Break:– Monday 3 April - Monday 17 April

Y12 Assessment Week: Tuesday 2 May – Friday 5 May

Last Day of teaching for Y12 : Tuesday 11 July

Spring Break

Please remember you should continue to access your progress on the CEDAR platform. This provides details of your 'On Course to Achieve' OCTA grade for each subject and your attendance. Updated OCTA grades are available now.

A few important things to remember:

College premises is closed over the Spring break. However, some staff may be providing extra teams support, please check with your teacher.

Spend an equal amount of time reviewing all your subjects. Don't avoid the subject that you like least or prioritise the one which sets the most work or has the most tests. All your grades are important.

Prioritise key revision areas – don't waste time going over areas that you can already do but focus on your own personal development needs.

Make sure you prioritise good quality sleep. For your brain to function at its best, sleep is vitally important, and this means establishing good routines, avoiding screens in the hour before sleep and not getting over-anxious and stressed.

Build in some relaxation time!

Y12 assessment week

From Tuesday 2 May – Friday 5 May, there will be a timetable change for all students. During the 3-hour sessions, some subjects will be running longer assessments. Teachers will inform students regarding assessments in each of their subjects.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Lesson 1	Bank Holiday	E Block	D Block	F Block	C Block
Lesson 2					
Lesson 3		B Block		A Block	E Block

Lesson 4				F Block
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What's new! We always aim to prioritise safeguarding of our students, staff, and our environment. To increase the level of security, turnstiles are being installed and will be in place on your return on Monday 17th April. **Please remember your lanyard.**

Work Related Experience and Progression week: 12th-16th June 2023

All Year 12s will take part in the colleges HE preparation, employability and work-related experience week which takes place on 12th of June to the 16th of June (all lessons are suspended for this week). All Year 12 students are expected to attend, and it will take place at the college. Any further questions on this event please email Elizabeth.Dark@bilborough.ac.uk or Work Experience support joanna.zielinska@bilborough.ac.uk

We look forward to welcoming you back after the break.