

INFORMATION SHEET – MONDAY 6th MARCH 2023

S6 YASS Students

This is a reminder for students to ensure that they are logging into the Open University YASS courses on a regular basis and meeting the deadlines. If you are struggling or falling behind, you should contact your YASS tutor or the YASS Student Support Team on 0131 226 3851 (8.30-17.00 Monday to Friday) without delay. The YASS courses can be excellent preparation for future university studies and pupils are very welcome to use the library facilities to log on during free periods. Failure to meet deadlines could result in a fail on your record.

Please note that there have been recent messages put onto the S6 Assembly Team about the following courses:

- Contemporary topics in science SXM150, who have their End of Module Assessment (EMA) due on 08 March 2023.
- Making your learning count: YXM130, who have an assignment due on 09 March 2023
- T192: Engineering: origins, methods, context: who have an assignment due 09 March 2023

It is very important that you meet the deadlines set.

If you are having any difficulties, please contact your Open University tutor. Alternatively, you can contact the **Student Support Team:** +44 (0)131 226 3851 (08:30–17:00 Monday to Friday).

Mrs. MacGregor

Scripture Union

How can we find true happiness and purpose in life? Come along to the Scripture Union meeting on Wednesday lunch time in Mr McCleary's room, English Department. We'll watch the Shine video together and discuss this vital question. All welcome.

Mr. Gill

Careers Information

Apprenticeship Week, 6th-10th March – Anyone interested in hearing about apprenticeships and careers info relating to the NHS, should drop by the front entrance on Monday morning where a representative from NHS Tayside will be available to answer any questions you may have and to provide information. On Monday afternoon, the Army will be in the quadrangle and will provide information and answer any questions you may have about apprenticeships in the Army.

Those pupils who put their names down to visit SSE's Training Centre on Tuesday (7th) should be at the school minibus zone at 09:00. Those who put their names down for the visit to Sidey's premises should be at the school minibus zone at 11:00.

On Thursday morning, a representative from Perth & Kinross Council will be in school to any questions you may have about apprenticeships with the council.

Apprenticeship Job Fair, 28th **March** – For S4-S6 pupils intending to leave school this summer and who wish to hear about apprenticeships in the locality, give your names to your Guidance Teacher or to Mr Letford in room 19A asap if you wish to attend this event.

It will be held at the Salutation Hotel after lunchtime on the 28th. There will be lots of businesses in attendance and you can network and hear about their current apprenticeships. Perth College and Dundee & Angus College will be there, too.

Mr. Letford

<u>Higher Drama and NPA Acting & Performance Showcase Evening - Reminder</u>

A reminder that Higher Drama and NPA pupils are performing some of their pieces in the Joan Knight Studio at Perth Theatre **tonight**. Performances include scenes from 'Things I know to be True', 'Medea', 'August: Osage County' and more. Tickets are **free** and the performances start at **7.30pm**. It would be great to see lots of you there supporting your peers as they tread the boards!

Ms Ramsay