

Dates for the Diary

Year 10 & Year 12 AP2 Assessments
Monday 26th - Thursday 6th July 2023

Student Work Celebration Event
Thursday 29th June 2023: 3:45pm - 6:30pm

Year 11 Prom
Friday 30th June 2023: 5:30pm - 10:00pm

Year 9 Transition to Upper Academy
Monday 10th July 2023

Last Day of Summer Term
Thursday 20th July 2023

Student Value of the Term

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House Points - Week Ending 16th June



46,476
HAWKING



45,336
ALI



45,246
AUSTEN



43,702
SEACOLE

Year 10 AP2 Assessments - Week Commencing 26th June 2023

The Year 10 exam series will begin on Monday 26th June and continue until Thursday 6th July.

This exam series is vitally important for all Year 10 students and will provide information on progress made throughout Year 10 and identify any gaps in knowledge.

A copy of the exam timetable is shown below, your child will also get a personalised copy of their timetable with dates, venues and seat number next week. They need to keep a copy of this safe to ensure that they know what exams they have each day.

	AM (8:30am start)		PM (1:00pm start)	
Monday 26th June	Biology	1hr 15 mins	English Language Paper 1	1hr 45 mins
Tuesday 27th June	Maths Paper 1	1hr 30 mins	History Paper 1 (America)	1hr
			Geography Paper 1	1hr 30 mins
Wednesday 28th June	English Language Paper 2	1hr 45 mins	Chemistry	1hr 15 mins
Thursday 29th June	Physics	1hr 15 mins	Maths Paper 2	1 hr 30 mins
Friday 30th June	Health PSA Task	1hr	Computer Science	2hrs

Monday 3rd July	Maths Paper 3	1hr 30 mins	Childcare PSA Task	1hr
Tuesday 4th July	English Literature Paper 2	2hrs 15mins	French Reading	45 mins
			French Writing	1hr
Wednesday 5th July	English Literature Paper 1	1hr 45 mins	History Paper 2 (Medicine)	1 hr
			Geography Paper 2	1hr 30 mins
Thursday 6th July	Statistics	1hr 15mins		

To support students through this mock exam series, we will be providing breakfast for all Year 10 students from Monday 26th to Thursday 6th July from 7.45am. Revision resources will be available in the restaurant for students to access during breakfast.

SEND Department Coffee Mornings

We are delighted to offer our parents/carers the opportunity to meet with members of our SEND Department to discuss your child's progress. Coffee mornings are held at the Upper Academy from **11am – 12pm every Wednesday**.

To book an appointment please visit the [Contact Us](#) page via the Basildon Upper Academy website and select the option for General Enquiries.



Wellbeing Centre

The Upper Academy Wellbeing Centre offers support for our students in times of need. Dealing with your own issues such as anxiety, mental health, wellbeing, self-regulation, or bereavement can be a barrier to success. Our Wellbeing Centre aims to ensure you are not alone.

The Upper Academy Wellbeing Centre is a safety net for students who are not currently able to engage with lessons fully, and offers short and long-term interventions that are flexible for all.

The Wellbeing Centre has resourced learning zones where students can access a curriculum of pre-recorded lessons, recorded by subject specific teaching staff, if they are unable to access their lessons for small periods of time.

If you have any concerns regarding your child's mental health please submit your information via the [Contact Us](#) page on the Basildon Upper Academy website, making sure to select the 'Wellbeing Centre' option.

For further information re visit:

www.basildonupperacademy.org.uk/wellbeing-centre



School nurse drop-in



If students are worried about their health, would like a confidential chat or would just like to find out more about how our school nurse can help them, the nurse can be found:

Every Monday Breaktime, Location: The Upper Academy Wellbeing Centre

PRIDE DAY

ON WEDNESDAY 28TH JUNE
THE DINING HALL WILL BE
SELLING CAKES & COOKIES
AT BREAK & LUNCHTIME



RAINBOW CUP CAKES
RAINBOW COOKIES
SLICES OF RAINBOW CAKE
50P EACH



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Home Learning

If you have any queries regarding home learning, including access issues or, to celebrate the work your child has completed at home, please visit the [Contact Us](#) page via the Basildon Upper Academy website and select the option for General Enquiries.

Students of the Week

Congratulations to the following students who have been awarded Student of the Week for week commencing 19th June 2023.

★ Year 10 - Tristan.H (R10Z2)

★ Sixth Form - Ellie.A (R1213)

Safeguarding

Safeguarding our students is at the forefront of everything we do. Parents and carers can access information via the following link www.escb.co.uk which offers guidance and signposts to resources on various safeguarding issues. Please contact our safeguarding officers if you have any concerns about your own child or another student at the Academies.

www.basildonupperacademy.org.uk/safeguarding

Free Online Counselling Service

www.kooth.com is a free, confidential, safe and anonymous way for young people, aged 11-26, to ask for help from a team of highly qualified and experienced counsellors and support workers.

Kooth is a well-established, award winning online counselling agency and is accredited by The British Association of Psychotherapy and Counselling (BACP).

Spotlight on: Politics - A Level



Politics is about compromise; it's about power; it's about government. Politics develops your critical awareness, independent thinking and understanding of complex structures and political systems.

This course is designed to encourage you to obtain a balanced education in politics, to allow you to examine key themes in political analysis and to provide you with the opportunity to specialise in both UK and USA politics.

Full course information can be found by visiting the following link on our website: [A Level Politics](#)

Year 11 students wishing to join our Sixth Form can apply via the following link: [Apply to join](#)

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HAPPY PRIDE MONTH

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