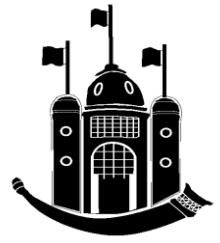




SIXTH FORM NEWS



JULY 2021

SENIOR PREFECT TEAM AND PREFECT DUTIES

A big thank you to all those who recently applied for a position on the Senior Prefect Team. We received a number of high standard applications this year that made it very difficult to choose. After some deliberation, we are very pleased to announce our 2021-22 Senior Prefect Team will be led by Head Prefects, Grace Lunn and Tarun Ravi. They will be supported by:

- School Operations Prefects - Amanda Platt and Alfie Baird
- Pastoral Prefects - Minahil Fansur, Sophie Hopwood and Ananya Chaudhary
- Communications Prefect - Olivia Flanagan
- Wellbeing Prefects - Lucy Wood and Anton Kiss

YEAR 12 GAINED SIXTH FORMER BUDDIES

We would also like to say a big thank you to the many Year 12 students who have kindly volunteered to be a Gained Sixth Form Buddy to those starting Year 12 in September from other schools. This is a wonderful way of helping to support new students settle in to life here at QEGS.

ACADEMIC TUTORS

All students have now been allocated an Academic Tutor who will meet them regularly over the next academic year to discuss their plans for the future, whether they wish to continue in education or to find employment. They will advise on personal statements for UCAS or apprenticeship applications and will pull together academic references from subject teachers to provide an overall reference for each student.

NEXT STEPS FOR STUDY

Sadly, the final step of this programme could not take place as planned on Tuesday 6th July due to the low numbers of participants in school. We therefore took the decision to postpone the trip until later in the year where we hope to give everyone on the Next Steps to Study programme the opportunity to visit Bishop Grosseteste University for a campus tour.

A-LEVEL RESULTS DAY

A-level results will be available to collect from the Sixth Form Centre from 08:30 am on Tuesday 10th August. Those awaiting LIBF results can collect from 9am but they will also be available online on their individual Portal. Staff will be available in school on results day to help students with results queries. Please note that if students are unhappy with their performance, they need to talk promptly to staff to discuss options. There will be post results forms available should they be needed and Mrs Bargh, Exams Officer, will be available to advise.

SIXTH FORM INDUCTION

The recent Virtual Sixth Form Induction on Thursday 15th July brought together our own Year 11 students and Gained Sixth Formers from other schools in the area, who would like to join us in September. We had hoped to deliver a three-day in-person induction but due to Covid measures, this was sadly not possible. However, the day still proved to be a success, giving students the opportunity to listen to both live and pre-recorded lessons in their chosen A-level subjects and ask any questions about life as a student here at QEGS during the Q&A.

TRAVELLING INDEPENDENTLY

Please be reminded that the Sixth Form need to be aware of any students who are travelling to school independently by car/motorbike. If this applies to your young person, please ask them to email Mrs Stevenson via sixthform@qegs.lincs.sch.uk for a Travel Agreement Form.

YEAR 12 CELEBRATION

On the afternoon of Monday 19th July, we enjoyed a special time of celebration in the Sixth Form Garden with our Year 12 students to praise their hard work and resilience with what has been a difficult year. The winners, as listed below, of the annual QEGS awards were presented with a certificate of excellence for high attainment in their relevant A-level subject.

- Usher Prize for Excellence in Art & Photography – Yasmeen Soliman
- QEGS Award for A-level Practical Biology – Ella Allen-James
- QEGS Award for A-level Biochemistry – Olivia Flanagan
- QEGS Award for A-level Anatomy & Physiology – Tarun Ravi
- QEGS Award for A-level Cell Biology – Chloe Pickering
- John Cadbury Prize for Business – Callum Burgess
- QEGS Award for A-level Organic Chemistry – Olivia Flanagan
- QEGS Award for A-level Inorganic Chemistry – Ella Allen-James
- Ada Lovelace Prize for Coding – Samuel Reece
- George Buchner Prize for Drama – Lucy Wood
- Adam Smith Prize for Microeconomics – Ananya Chaudhary
- John Maynard Keynes Prize for Macroeconomics – Tarun Ravi & Raghav Subramaniam
- QEGS Prize for English Language – Sophie Wickstead
- QEGS Prize for English Literature – Jazz Morris, Yasmeen Soliman & Lucy Wood
- Hirokazu Kore-eda Prize for Exploring World Cinema – Ananya Chaudhary
- Matrix Prize for Further Maths – Amanda Platt & Minahil Fansur
- QEGS Human Geography Award – Chloe Pickering
- QEGS Physical Geography Award – Anton Kiss
- QEGS Award for Geological Science – Matthew Bowes
- Adenauer Prize for German – Zara Gotts & Katherine Hogg
- Dr Robert Von Friedeburg Prize for Stuart History – Aaron Smith
- Anton Antonov-Ovseyenko Prize for Russian History – Grace Lunn
- Dr Anna J. Cooper Prize for Service to School History – Jazz Morris
- The Significant Prize for Statistics – Ananya Chaudhary
- The Connected Particle Prize for Mechanics – Madeleine Lascelles
- The Integral Prize for Pure Mathematics – Ella Allen-James
- QEGS Prize for Musicology – Zara Gotts
- QEGS Prize for Musical Performance – Eleanore Hutchinson
- QEGS Award for A-level Theoretical Physics – Minahil Fansur
- QEGS School of Design Prize – Amanda Platt
- The Beatrice Edgell Aspirational Psychologist Award – Yasmeen Soliman
- Wilhelm Wundt Emerging Psychologist Award – Zara Gotts
- The Russell Prize for the Study of Religion, Philosophy & Ethics – Sophie Wickstead

LOOKING AHEAD

While students are taking a break over the summer, we hope they will take the opportunity to plan for the start of the next academic year. Those who are thinking of university in September 2022 should already have logged on to the UCAS website. The summer is an excellent time to do research into different courses and universities and to start to put their personal statement together. Students considering apprenticeships or courses at college are encouraged to do research into what is available, what qualifications and qualities are required for the job/training they'd like to do. It may be that work experience is required and the summer holiday is an excellent time to look around and make enquiries.

DIARY DATES:

- Tuesday 10th August – Release of A-level results from 08:30am
- Friday 3rd September – Year 12 Gained Sixth Formers in School from 11:00am to 12:30pm
- Monday 6th September – Sixth Form return to school

