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Year 12 – The Year Ahead

Miss A Cheshire, Mrs C Hill & Mr M Simon



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The Purpose of this Evening

- Key Dates
- Expectations
- The Study Programme
- Assessing and Reporting
- Support and Guidance



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Key Dates

Date	Event
15 th October 2026	Option Change Deadline
November 2026	Data Collection Point 1 (DCP1)
March 2027	DCP2
June 2027	DCP3
12 th May 2027	Parents' Evening
12 th –13 th April 2027	Prelim Exams
July 2027	UCAS Presentation



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How is KS5 different from KS4?

Treated as
Young Adults

More
Independence &
Responsibility

Non-Contact
Periods &
Supervised Study

Individual
Learning Plans
(ILPs)

Google
Classroom &
Daily Notices

Work Experience

New
Opportunities

4 hours per
subject, per week,
as well as lessons

Common Room
& 6th Form Cafe



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Student Expectations

Independent &
Active Learners

Future Pathways

Attendance &
Punctuality

Supervised
Study Sessions

Community
Service

Positive Role
Models

Responsibility
for 6th Form
Environment

Enrichment
Opportunities

Sixth Form
Dress Code



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Dress Code

Blue, black or grey normal business style trousers / tailored skirt or dress (stretch or short skirts are not permitted).

Plain shirt or smart top – vest tops, strappy/spaghetti strap tops or crop tops are not permitted.

Students can if they wish wear a suit jacket or smart jumper over their smart plain top/shirt.

Jumpers should be plain, without a logo or writing, and without a hood of any description. Sweatshirts and hoodies are not permitted.

Plain black, navy or grey abaya.

Ties are optional.

Lanyard – must be worn around a student's neck and be visible at all times.

Sikh students may wear the Five Ks only if it has been agreed with the Headteacher.

PERSONAL APPEARANCE - SIXTH FORM

Well-groomed hair/facial hair (no extreme styles).

Long hair tied back for practical subjects. Simple/discreet ear and/or nose piercings only. Other jewellery may be worn if simple and discreet and removed if wearing it poses a risk. Natural coloured hair.

No extreme make-up.

No visible tattoos.

SHOES – SIXTH FORM

Students should wear black or brown leather shoes. Boots may be worn but must be below the knee. Shoes must not have a visible sports brand. Shoes/boots should be sensible, i.e. not have thick soles or high heels/wedges.

Trainers, canvas shoes etc. are not appropriate and students should not wear them (including Vans & Converse).



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Expectations of Us

Regular
Communication

Treated as
Individuals

Wellbeing

Enrichment

Transparent

Collaboration

Mrs Hill – Mon/Tue
Mr Simon –
Wed/Thu/Fri

mesyear12@maiden-erlegh-trust.org

Post-18 Options



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Support & Guidance

Tutors are the first point of contact for students

Tutor Group	Tutor	Email Address
12M1	Dr L Tindall	L.tindall@maidenerleghtrust.org
12M2	Miss M Thomas	Ma.thomas@maidenerleghtrust.org
12M3	Mrs C Candler	C.candler@maidenerleghtrust.org
12M4	Mr T Stewart	T.Stewart@maidenerleghtrust.org
12M5	Mrs I Sunthareswaran	I.Sunthareswaran@maidenerleghtrust.org
12E1	Mr G Thomas (Mon-Wed) & Mrs S Thomas (Thurs-Fri)	G.Thomas@maidenerleghtrust.org S.Thomas@maidenerleghtrust.org
12E2	Mrs K Mills	K.Mills@maidenerleghtrust.org
12E3	Ms N Aziz	N.Aziz@maidenerleghtrust.org
12E4	Mr A Stringer	A.stringer@maidenerleghtrust.org



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Support Available

- Department surgeries, appointments, mentoring, revision sessions
- MET Careers Advisor
- UCAS Coordinator
- Head of Year – mesyear12@maidenerleghtrust.org
 - Mrs Hill (Mon–Tues), Mr Simon (Wed–Fri)
- KS5 Assistant Headteacher – a.cheshire@maidenerleghtrust.org
- Mental health & wellbeing support



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Mental Health





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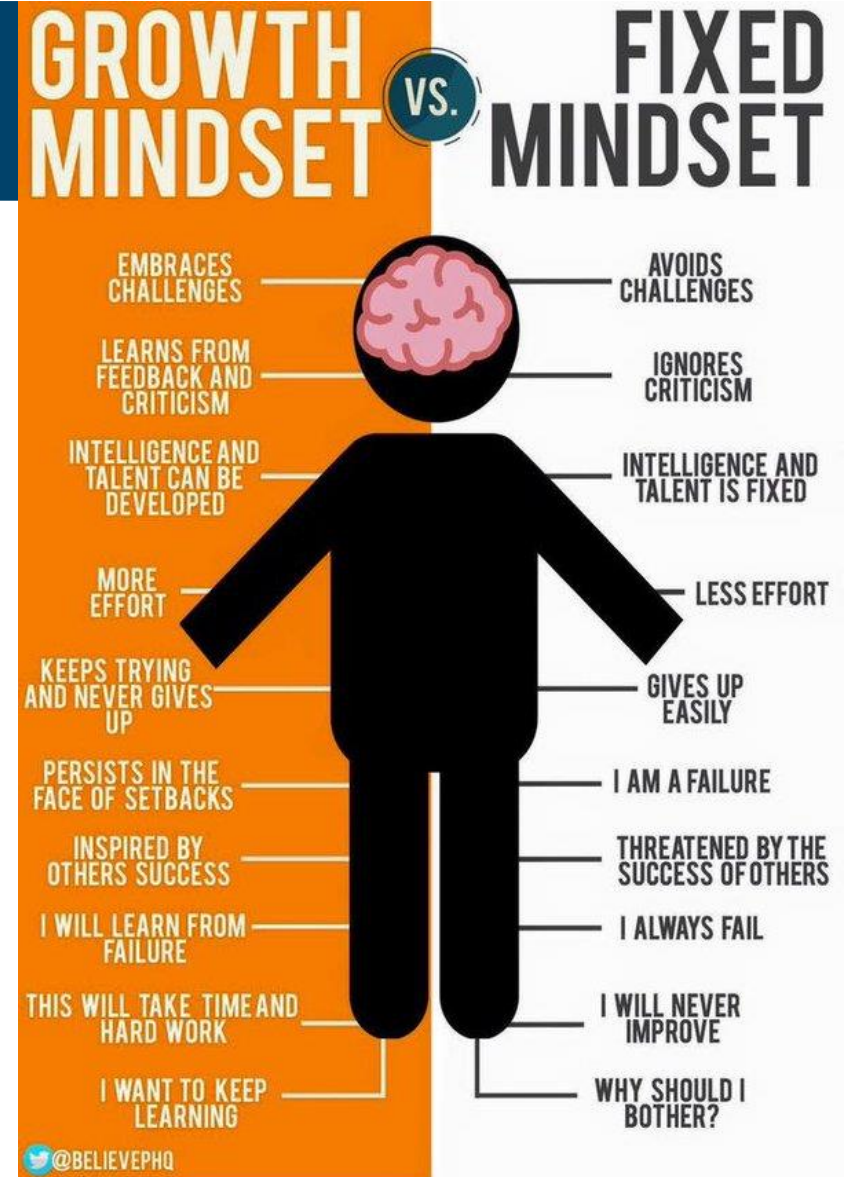
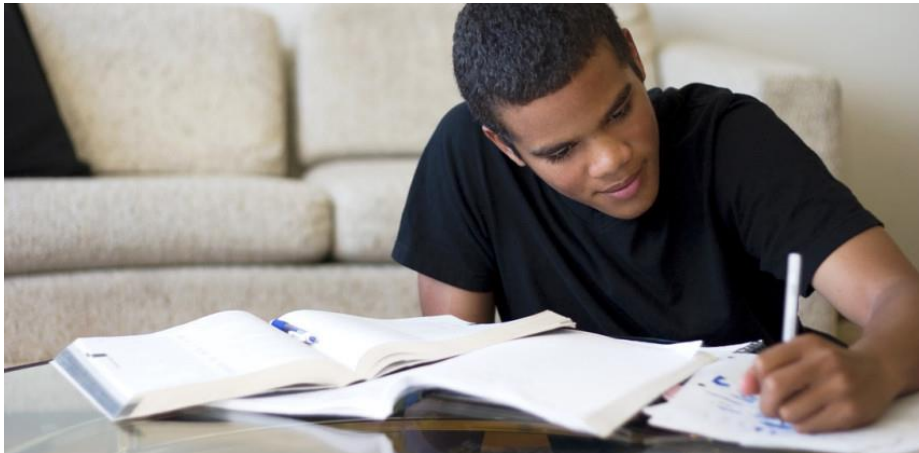
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Growth Mindset

**“Being challenged in life
is inevitable;
being defeated isn’t”**





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16 – 19 Bursary

The 16–19 Bursary fund is a scheme made available from the government for 16 to 19 year olds to provide assistance to students for whom access to, or completion of, education is inhibited by financial constraints or barriers.

The screenshot shows the Maiden Erlegh School website. The browser address bar displays the URL: <https://www.maidenerleghschool.co.uk/page/?title=Post-16+Bursary+Funding&pid=104>. The website header includes the school logo and navigation links: HOME, ABOUT US, NEWS & CALENDAR, CURRICULUM, PARENTS, STUDENTS, **SIXTH FORM**, COMMUNITY, and VACANCIES. A search bar and a 'CONTACT US' link are also present. The main banner features a group of students in formal attire with the text 'SIXTH FORM' and a breadcrumb trail: HOME > SIXTH FORM > POST-16 BURSARY FUNDING. Below the banner, the section is titled 'POST-16 BURSARY FUNDING'. The text states: 'Applications for the academic year 2025 to 2026 are now open for new Year 12 students and for those students moving up from Year 12 to Year 13.' It further instructs: 'Please see below for the Bursary Application Pack. Please read this carefully before completing the application form and returning to Mrs Sandhu in Supervised Study by 3pm Friday 19 September 2025.' A sidebar on the right, titled 'IN THIS SECTION', lists: ADMISSION ARRANGEMENTS, PROSPECTIVE SIXTH FORM STUDENTS, and **POST-16 BURSARY FUNDING**.

Deadline: 3pm Friday 25th September



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What Can You Do To Support Your Child?

- Contact the relevant member of staff if you have any concerns
- Read the Parents' Guide and use the 6th form section on the MES website
- Attend Parents' Evening
- Support with the student's attendance to school
- Monitor part-time jobs – no more than 8 to 10 hours a week
- Students should not say they have 'nothing to do'