



# Burnt Mill Academy

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Dear Parent/Carer,

With only three weeks to go until our Easter break, I would like to take this opportunity to remind you of some key events in March and April.

Mrs Conlon, Assistant Head Teacher for Key Stage 3 and A\*ll Stars is arranging trips to universities to ensure our young people are able to make informed choices about the university they want to go to. If you feel your son or daughter needs further guidance about university, then please feel free to contact either myself or Mrs Conlon. It may seem a long way away but choices made now and grades achieved in school will have a massive influence on whether your child gets to the university of their choice.

Year 10 students will have their parents' evening on 24<sup>th</sup> March. We expect every parent to attend either the evening or make an appointment to see us at another time if it isn't convenient. This is a crucial stage in a child's education, especially as our Year 10s have public examinations in May and June this year. The feedback parents receive at this evening will be invaluable.

Art, Design and Performing Arts students have prepared and contributed to the Gibberd Gallery Exhibition, which opened on 13<sup>th</sup> March. This runs until 25<sup>th</sup> April so there is plenty of time for our families to visit and see how creative our young people are.

We will also hold a Year 7 and 8 musical performance called Dreams and Fantasies on 26<sup>th</sup> March at 7.00 p.m. It promises to be a real treat.

As always at Easter, the school will be open for revision sessions for Year 10 and Year 11. A detailed programme is attached. If Key Stage 3 students need to pop in and collect reading material or use the ICT facilities then they are very welcome. Parents just need to let Mrs Fletcher or Mr Tooley know.

I would like to thank parents for their support as always. Attendance is fantastic because of all the effort you make to ensure your sons and daughters come into school every day. Uniform is almost perfect too, we still have an issue with skirts riding up or being rolled up. I am working with Top Form on a new design of skirt for September 2014. All skirts from September 2014 will be worn just below the knee. If parents have any suggestions, feel free to email me. As soon as the governors have agreed a design, I will let you know.

Please remember to contact us if you have any concerns about your son's or daughter's education. Your son/daughter should be set one piece of homework per subject per week, amounting to 10 hours. If you feel your son/daughter isn't receiving sufficient homework, then please let Mr Blaney know.

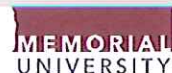
Finally, just a reminder that term ends on Friday 4<sup>th</sup> April at 12.10 p.m. We will be working very hard for the next few weeks and expect this to continue through the holiday, as all year groups will have summer term exams.

Yours sincerely,

Helena Mills  
Head Teacher



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### Easter Holiday Revision 2014

The library is open from 9am to 3pm each day. It will be supervised by a senior member of staff at all times. Senior staff will be available to support students with Maths revision throughout the day should they have no other subjects to attend. ICT facilities are available. Light refreshments are available. Students can borrow and return reading books from the library at these times.

	Monday 7 <sup>th</sup> April	Tuesday 8 <sup>th</sup> April	Wednesday 9 <sup>th</sup> April	Thursday 10 <sup>th</sup> April	Friday 11 <sup>th</sup> April
Morning session – 9am to 12pm	Dance WIL Science Btec L1 GIL Year 10 GCSE Science exam preparation L2 Year 11 GCSE Science sets 2-3 personal revision 38 History BRA 33 All students PE OHA 23 All Year 11 and early entry Year 10 Maths Targeted BED 4 ADT and Art & Photography WAS technology area All students	History BRA 33 All students Geography TRA 33a All students Dance WIL Dance studio Music RUB 28 Sociology A*/A BLN LIB Maths A/A* Target SCO 1	Citizenship FLE 24 All students PE COS 23 All Year 11 and early entry Year 10 Maths A/A* Target SCO 1	Maths Targeted DAW 4 GCSE Business Studies A*/A 24 Media Btec 22 BUD	GCSE ICT BAK 24 All students GCSE H&SC JON 37 All students
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	Monday 14 <sup>th</sup> April	Tuesday 15 <sup>th</sup> April	Wednesday 16 <sup>th</sup> April	Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup> April	Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> April
Morning session – 9am to 12pm	Science GCSE 11M1 & B1 L1 JAC/ROD Maths targeted LEV 4 History HLL 34 All Stars	Maths targeted LEV 4 English Literature and Language targeted carousel of targeted activities meet in room 21 at 9am. Drama DS1 WAT	RE JON 36 All students OCR ICT WILL 24 Drama DS1 WAT Maths A/A* Target SCO 1	Sociology JON 36 All students Maths Targeted CON 4 Drama DS1 WAT	Bank Holiday
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