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Dear Year 13 Parent/Carer

I hope this letter finds you and your family well, and that your son/daughter has had an enjoyable and productive first half-term of the academic year. I would like to take this opportunity to share some information with regards to Future Choices support for your child/ren, along with key dates.

Personal Statements

Your son/daughter should now be well underway with writing their personal statement on Unifrog. All students should complete this, irregardless of whether their intentions are to apply to university, apprenticeship, training or employment. They should also have completed the Competencies and Activities sections. Sixth Form tutors have been working with their tutees on this and students have been encouraged to take up the opportunity for a drop in with our Careers Manager, Mrs O'Brien in B30 on a Wednesday lunchtime. Please do ask your son/daughter where they have got to with writing their statement and encourage them to get it finished over half term, if required.

Please see [Personal Statement advice from UCAS](#) for advice on how to write a university personal statement and [Personal Statement advice for Apprenticeships](#) for applying to apprenticeships.

University UCAS applications key dates

Please find the [key dates here for applications via UCAS](#) and further information on the process involved.

Please do get in touch via sixthformoffice@theweald.org if you have any queries.

Yours faithfully,



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