

## NEWSLETTER NOVEMBER 2021

## Open Evening - Wednesday 24 November



We are looking forward to welcoming prospective students and their families to our upcoming Open Evening, which is scheduled for Wednesday 24 November. This may be of interest if you have clients in the UK who are considering school options for their son or daughter for GCSE, A Level or Foundation.

As you are aware, Padworth College is a small sixth form boarding college, offering a highly personalised education, preparing students from all over the world, aged 14 to 19 years, for entry to leading universities. Since the College was established in 1963, we have helped thousands of students from the UK and overseas achieve excellent academic results and gain entry to some of the best universities in the UK. This year, 59% of grades awarded at A Level were Grades A\*-A, with c.60% of the Year 13 cohort securing offers from Russell Group universities.

Situated on a beautiful campus, close to the university town of Reading and within a 50 mile radius of 40 universities, including 7 Russell Group institutions, we are a great place for students to live, learn and thrive!

During the Open Evening, prospective students and their families will be able to meet with Lorraine Atkins, Principal and Rebecca Clyde, Deputy Principal. They will also be able to chat with our teaching staff about the various academic programmes on offer. Meanwhile, the boarding team will be on hand to share details of Padworth's extensive extra-curricular and super-curricular programme. Current students will lead tours of the campus.

Further details can be found below. Do get in touch with Clare McNally, Registrar at admissions@padworth.com if you would like further details.



## Christmas at Padworth

We are all looking forward to the upcoming Christmas festivities, which kick-off in early December, after the students have completed their mock exams! On 4 December, we are scheduled to visit the Christmas Market in the historic city of Winchester. The Winchester Christmas Market is inspired by traditional German Christmas markets with authentic wooden chalets situated close to the city's cathedral.

Other events planned for the week commencing Monday 6 November include Christmas dinner, a trip to the London museums, Christmas Jumper Day, in support of the Save the Children charity and a Christmas quiz.



## Universities Update

Following the International Student University Fair organised by BAISIS in September, we continue to provide opportunities for our students to meet with universities, as part of their preparations for higher education. This week, Jane Dunn, International Education Administrator at Aston University has been on campus, presenting to students enrolled on the NCUK IFY and Access foundation programmes on studying a degree at Aston. Next week, we welcome Cardiff University to Padworth.



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