



Welcome to the end of the academic year for some of our students. We continue to work in a Covid safe and secure environment and within government guidelines both from the Department of Education and the Football Association for our training and match play. We are encouraging all students to continue to observe good practice with regards to social distancing, wearing of masks and hand sanitisation.

EDUCATION: As you may be aware GCSE and BTEC Exams have been cancelled for this Summer series 2021. Centre assessment grades will be used to replace these exams. The grades given will reflect progress and attainment towards target grades in class, during remote learning and with all in-house assessments. Students are well aware of this and understand the grades they are working towards. Students have already been assessed for progress to date, but we cannot stress how important it is to complete all tasks given within the submission date required. Students have access to extra support sessions within maths & English and work is set through Firefly on a regular basis. Those students with minimum engagement or little/no evidence have work to complete prior to the May deadline.

THE DEADLINE FOR ALL WORK THIS CURRENT ACADEMIC YEAR IS FRIDAY MAY 28th.

Some of our year 13 and level 2 students have completed all their work and qualifications for this academic year. These students have had 1-1 tutorials with tutors to assess predicted grades and have been given an end of year report. These results are not final until BTEC result day in August. These students have also accessed a careers and destinations interview with their tutor to determine their next steps with education, training or employment. All our year 12 level 3 students will return after half term to access teaching and learning of new units, complete UCAS applications and undertake coaching qualifications.

EXTERNAL MODERATION & COURSEWORK: We have been allocated External Examiners for all elements of our coursework for Levels 1-3 Sport. These moderate the work and marks given to students by all tutors. Examiners will ask for work to be sent to them from February half term onwards. This affects all students in Everton College. We are extremely robust in our approach to work and standards throughout all sites and our external reports reflect accurately the grades allocated and the hard work and excellent support and feedback our tutors provide to all students. We have just been given the names of our students who are being examined and are in the process of sending this work to the exam boards.

EXTRA SUPPORT: All our students are offered extra academic support and pastoral support if required. They are able to book 1-1 sessions with their tutor via teams for coursework support. In addition, GCSE Maths and English run extra support sessions through the week that all students have access too. Individual students have also been highlighted to attend these sessions. We cannot stress how important these next 3 weeks are in terms of academic progress. Lack of engagement and completion may affect a student's place at college next September

WORK EXPERIENCE ARUBA

8 of our students have been picked by Everything is Possible to undertake work experience in Aruba this June. This is an opportunity for them to gain new skills and experience and put their coaching into practice. What a way to end the first academic year with us!



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Please note these important dates and events:

27 th May	Completion of all work for GCSE/Sport courses across all levels and year groups
28 th May	Break up for May half term
7 th June	Return to college
Summer term	<p>Yr 12 Level 3 will return to complete coursework in preparation for Yr 13. They will also complete UCAS applications.</p> <p>Work experience (where permitted) will take place this term.</p> <p>We are also hoping that students will have access to complete coaching courses such as Playmaker which is a pre-requisite to complete FA Level 1. Level 1 Football and Multisports coaching awards will also be offered to students subject to them running due to Covid restrictions and implications. These coaching awards are open to all students. It is likely that there will be a cost to these which may be partly funded by college.</p>

FOOTBALL FIXTURES

We have a busy end of season upon us and there are numerous football fixtures still to be played. The table below highlights these fixtures. They are all provisional dates which are subject to change but will help in giving you an idea of how many games are left!

Division	Date	Day	Time	Home Team	Away Team
North East Championship	12/5/2021	Wed	13:30	Newcastle United NEC	Everton FC NEC
North West Championship	12/5/2021	Wed	13:30	Chesterfield FC NWC	Everton FC NWC
Midlands Premier Division	12/5/2021	Wed	13:30	Everton FC MP	Rochdale AFC MP
Midlands Premier Division	14/5/2021	Fri	13:30	Everton FC MP	Stoke City /Steven Gerrard Academy
North West Championship	19/5/2021	Wed	13:30	Everton FC NWC	Burnley FC SYT B
Midlands Premier Division	19/5/2021	Wed	13:30	Northampton Town FC MP	Everton FC MP
North East Championship	21/5/2021	Fri	13:30	Everton FC NEC	Bolton Wanderers FC NEC
Midlands Premier Division	24/05/2021	Mon	13:30	Everton FC MP	Solihull Moors FC U19s Academy
North East Championship	26/5/2021	Wed	13:30	Everton FC NEC	Barnsley SYT NEC
North West Championship	26/5/2021	Wed	13:30	Mansfield Town FC NWC	Everton FC NWC



Midlands Premier Division	26/5/2021	Wed	13:30	Everton FC MP	Mansfield Town FC (Brooksby)
Midlands Premier Division	28/5/2021	Fri	13:30	Everton FC MP	Northampton Town FC MP
Midlands Premier Division	02/6/2021	Wed	13:30	Liverpool FC/FEFA	Everton FC MP
North East Championship	09/6/2021	Wed	13:30	Sunderland AFC FOL NEC	Everton FC NEC
North West Championship	09/6/2021	Wed	13:30	Everton FC NWC	Mansfield Town FC NWC
Midlands Premier Division	09/6/2021	Wed	13:30	Stoke City /Steven Gerrard Academy	Everton FC MP
North West Championship	11/6/2021	Fri	13:30	Everton FC NWC	Leeds Utd NWC
Midlands Premier Division	11/6/2021	Fri	13:30	Carlisle United PV NFM	Everton FC MP
North East Championship	16/6/2021	Wed	13:30	Rochdale AFC NEC	Everton FC NEC
North West Championship	16/6/2021	Wed	13:30	Carlisle United PV NWC	Everton FC NWC
Midlands Premier Division	16/6/2021	Wed	13:30	Everton FC MP	Liverpool FC/FEFA
North East Championship	18/6/2021	Fri	13:30	Sunderland AFC FOL Durham	Everton FC NEC
Midlands Premier Division	18/6/2021	Fri	13:30	Everton FC MP	Tranmere Rovers FC MP
North West Championship	23/6/2021	Wed	13:30	Everton FC NWC	Chesterfield FC NWC
Midlands Premier Division	23/6/2021	Wed	13:30	Everton FC MP	Carlisle United PV NFM
Midlands Premier Division	25/6/2021	Fri	13:30	Chesterfield FC	Everton FC MP
North East Championship	30/6/2021	Wed	13:30	Everton FC NEC	Bradford City FC NEC
North West Championship	30/6/2021	Wed	13:30	Leeds Utd NWC	Everton FC NWC
Midlands Premier Division	30/6/2021	Wed	13:30	Solihull Moors FC U19s Academy	Everton FC MP

AOB

Female development programme – We have partnered with the Women’s Development squad to teach a female only education programme from Simpson’s FA hub from September 21. We already have a full cohort of students interested in this and are looking forward to meeting them all and developing potential in our upcoming taster sessions.

Kit – An office 365 form for extra kit has been given to all students if they wish to purchase additional items this term. This needs to be completed and items paid for by Friday 14th May so that they may be ordered and delivered in time for May half term.



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Higher Education students – Congratulations to our first cohort of degree students who are in their final week of study with us! Results are out in June and we are looking forward to our very first graduation ceremony this July! Well done everyone! For those level 3 year 13 students who still do not know what they want to do next year, they may still apply through UCAS clearing for our FdSc foundation degree Sport Development & Coaching in partnership with LJMU. They can then also combine study with playing for our U23s Everton College team in the National Youth League.

Support – As always, we ask for your support in encouraging your son/daughter to attend regularly, complete all work to the required standard and display a 'nil satis nisi optimum' attitude to all they do within college. We have discussed destinations with our leavers and those students who wish to progress to next year with us. This will be dependent on attendance, attitude and work completion.

Sports Psychologist – we are fortunate this coming term to work with Professor Joanne Butt and her students at LJMU. Our students will be able to access sport psychology tips and strategies to help their playing performance with some students profiled to help them with the mental edge they may need to become a better player.

Website – we have launched our brand new website which is up to date with all the news you may need! www.evertonfootballcollege.com You will also find all our newsletters and any important information you may need

That's all for now,

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