



9 December 2025

Dear Parents & Families,

In advance of next week, we would like to share with you some key information to keep everyone up to date with our plans.

Festive Christmas Jumper Day- Tuesday 16th December

On this day, students will be allowed to wear either a Christmas/Festive Jumper or a Favourite Jumper. In order for this day to be a success we ask parents and students to read the guidance below carefully-

- Students can pay a voluntary £1 donation at the school gate upon arrival. All donations will go to Save the Children.
- This is **not a Non-School Uniform day**. Students will be expected to wear uniforms as usual. Normal expectations around shoes and jewellery apply.
- The jumper can be worn **instead of a blazer and a tie**. Students can continue to wear a blazer or full school uniform if they wish to do so.
- All jumpers must be suitably age appropriate and for a school setting. This means there should be no inappropriate slogans or motifs that would be considered offensive or not age appropriate. The school reserves the right to ask students to remove any item it does not deem to be acceptable.
- Students who opt to wear a favourite jumper **should not wear a hoodie or hooded jumper**. We advise sweatshirts or woollen jumpers as a sensible alternative.
- This is a normal school day. Students will be expected to uphold our high expectations for behaviour and conduct in lessons and around the school site.



Christmas Dinners

We will be making some slight changes to the school day in order to provide every year group with the opportunity to have a Christmas meal with their friends. Each year group will be given a staggered time slot between 12:00 pm and 13:10 pm for their meals. We will share these timings with students in advance of the day. The cost of the meal is £3.40 and there is no need to pre-book this year. There will also be a selection of cold food such as sandwiches and snacks for students who wish to have something different.

Final day of Term

Our final day will finish at 3:15pm as usual. During the day students will attend our end of term celebration assemblies and timetabled lessons. There will also be an extended tutor time in the afternoon.

If you have any questions or queries regarding the day, please feel free to contact the school.

Yours sincerely



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