

11 December 2019

Dear Parent/Carer,

As part of our festive activities we will be holding a Christmas Jumper Day, in support of the charity Save The Children, on the final day of term, Thursday 19 December 2019.

Students and staff can wear Christmas/festive jumpers for a contribution of £1.00 which will be collected on the doors as students arrive for school. All proceeds will be donated to national charity Save the Children.

If your child decides to join in then a Christmas/festive jumper These should be worn with academy skirt or trousers and school shoes. Hoodies are not allowed. If your child does not wish to join in then their blazer must be worn. Students who do not have a Christmas jumper may wish to wear another Christmas item, for example, a Santa hat, a Christmas headband or badge.

We reserve the right to ask students to remove any jumpers/items which are inappropriate.

Yours faithfully,

Cara Ackroyd
Principal

Frequently Asked Questions

Q. Is this a non-uniform day?

A. No.

Q. Can we wear tops that have lights / sounds?

A. Yes – its Christmas!

Q. I do not have a Christmas jumper. Can I wear a Santa hat, reindeer ears, flashing Christmas badge?

A. Yes! We appreciate that not everyone has a Christmas jumper and that it can be inconvenient and expensive to buy one.

Q. Do I have to get involved?

A. No, there is no expectancy that any student should wear a Christmas jumper, nor is there any expectancy that they should donate to charity.

Q. Can I wear any type of Christmas jumper?

A. It must be appropriate for school. For example, inappropriate slogans/images would not be allowed.

Q. Can we donate more than £1.00?

A. Yes, of course, although this is not expected.

Q. What items of my uniform must I wear?

A. Academy trousers or skirt must be worn with your Christmas jumper. School shoes must also be worn by all students.

Q. Is jewellery allowed?

A. The only jewellery permitted is the usual wristwatch.

Q. Is this event only taking place on Thursday 19 December?

A. Yes, uniform must return fully to normal when students return to the academy in the new year, Monday 6 January 2020.