

12 December 2023

Dear Parent/Carer,

I am delighted to be writing to you with information about activities during the last week of term.

We are supporting the **Whale Hill Food Bank** again this year and invite all students to bring food or household items to support local families and our community over the Christmas period. We welcome and appreciate all contributions, which students can pass to their tutor before Tuesday 19 December.

Students are selling raffle tickets to raise money for **Zoe's Place**, with fantastic prizes such as Project Escape voucher, Putter Chaos voucher, Tazerz Tag voucher, signed MFC merchandise and many more available for lucky winners. Raffle tickets are 50p each and available during tutor time each day.

Our Christmas Jumper Day is on Thursday 21 December 2023, with voluntary contributions in aid of **Teenage Cancer Trust**. There is no obligation to wear or purchase a jumper and students may wish to get into the festive spirit by wearing a Christmas hat, headband or socks. Please note that any additional Christmas item must be worn in addition to full academy uniform. Jewellery and makeup are not allowed.

Our **Christmas dinner** is also planned for Thursday 21 December 2023. If you would like your child to have Christmas dinner then please complete the form (this has been shared by text previously). If you normally pay for your child's lunch, please make sure your child has sufficient funds (£3.28) in their iPay account.

Thank you for your continued support for our school community.

Yours faithfully,



Mark Robinson
Principal