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> Jo Hawkin Headteacher

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Dear Parent/Carer,

## **Christmas at Trinity School**

We have a number of activities taking place in school in the last week of term to celebrate Christmas and want to keep you informed of events so that students know what is going on and know what to bring to school if they are involved in proceedings. All activities have been risk assessed using extra guidance from Public Health.

- The annual Carol Service takes place on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> December. You can find full details on the website.
- Students will be involved in a Christmas service on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> December
   This will operate as a live streamed event in form rooms like the Remembrance Service.
- Students in Year 7 (only) will be involved in our nativity event during Period 1 on Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> December. They will need to bring their costumes to school on that day but must come in school uniform. We will let students know what to expect and costumes can be simple a white sheet and a tinsel halo is absolutely fine!
- There are various reward treats and activities in school taking place to say well
  done to those students that have shown an excellent approach to learning.
- On Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> (Key Stage 3) and Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> (Key Stage 4) December, the dining facilities are serving Christmas lunch.
- On Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> December students are allowed to wear non-uniform.
   Students are asked to pay a contribution of £1. This year we would like students to come forward to nominate charities close to their heart. The dress code for the non-uniform day is the same as sixth form, so no cropped tops or shorts Christmas jumpers and tinsel are recommended instead! Note that school finishes at 12:30pm on the final day of term.



We are collecting donations for the foodbank through our advent calendar that keeps on giving, as we did last year. Items need to be brought to school as soon as possible to enable collection by the Foodbank. For further details of the items that are suitable to give please go to <a href="https://www.carlislefoodbank.org.uk/">https://www.carlislefoodbank.org.uk/</a>.

Finally, may I take this opportunity to wish all those in our school community a very happy Christmas and thank you all for your support this term. I will be writing again with information about the start of term testing very soon.

Yours sincerely

J. Hawkin

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