

Friday 9th December 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

Re: End of Term Arrangements

We are now approaching the end of the first term of this academic year. It has been a busy term, with a number of key events happening in school. We have held a parent consultation evening for Year 7, Progress Evenings for Years 10 and 11, our Winter Music Concert, Year 11 mock examinations, as well as a number of Kelvin Experiences events to recognise and celebrate students who have received rewards in lessons.

Looking ahead to the final day of term, the school day will be altered as follows:

- Year 7 and Year 8 students will go to Period 4 instead of having their lunch in school.
- Year 9 and 10 students will leave school before their lunch time.
- The school day will finish early with students leaving at the below staggered times
 - Year 11 12:50
 - Year 10 13:00
 - Year 9 13:00
 - Year 8 13:05
 - Year 7 13:05

As a reward for their exemplary behaviour during their exams and excellent attitude towards their studies, Year 11 students will have a special celebration lunch during Period 4. All Year 11 students can have a free lunch on us and celebrate the end of exam season with their peers and teachers.

On Friday 16th December, Kelvin Hall School will be taking part in Save the Children's Christmas Jumper Day. This is a lovely event for a great cause. We know times are tough, so please remember that donations are optional and any amount you can spare - 10p, 20p, 50p, £1 makes all the difference.

This year, whatever anyone donates will make double the difference because **the UK government will match all donations to Christmas Jumper Day** between 1st December and 1st March! All proceeds will go towards a wonderful cause, helping 200,000 families in Kenya get the food and medicine they need.

Pupils will be allowed to come in non-uniform, and encouraged to wear their best Christmas jumper. Remember, there's no need to buy a new jumper. You could upcycle an old jumper, get crafty, or head to a local charity shop. If you want to get creative and decorate a jumper, the Christmas Jumper Day website contains lots of fun craft ideas. We'd appreciate your support to make Save the Children's Christmas Jumper Day a success.

As with any other school day, attendance is essential on this date and therefore, please ensure your child is in school by 8:40 as normal.

Yours sincerely,



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