

9th December 2020

Re: Christmas at Corby Technical School

I am writing to you to update you on the Christmas Celebrations which will take place at Corby Technical School. We are sure that despite the current Covid restrictions that we are still able to make the end of year celebrations enjoyable and safe for students.

Food Bank Collections:

We wanted to still donate to the Corby Food Bank this year, however, without being able to hold our usual Christmas shows we needed to do it a bit differently this year. Each tutor group has brought in food for the hamper and the students are decorating the hampers. Heads of Year will be judging the decoration of each tutor group hamper on Friday 11th December during Christmas jumper day.

Christmas Jumper Day:

We are holding a Christmas Jumper day on **Friday 11th December** to raise money for Save the Children. Students must wear uniform but can wear their Christmas jumper also. We are asking for a £1 donation from each student which can be paid via Wisepay or given to the collection tin on the day. Please do not purchase a new jumper, any jumper will be acceptable on the day.

Christmas Cards:

Each tutor group have a post-box for their Christmas cards. Students have been asked to ensure they have posted their cards for Friday 11th, the cards will be distributed on Tuesday 15th December in a Covid safe way. Students are advised to seal the envelopes without licking them.

Christmas Dinner:

Christmas dinner for students and staff will be held on Thursday 17th December and will cost £2.85. Students can wear a Christmas jumper if they wish to, they must still wear full uniform but can wear the jumper over their shirt. Following lunch there will be s activities for all students in Years 7-11. **Students who do not wish to have Christmas lunch must bring a packed lunch on the day as there will be no other lunch options.** The Christmas lunch menu is published on the school website. May we remind you that Friday 18th December is a staff training day so school will be closed to students.

We do hope the students enjoy the celebrations, we are not able to enjoy these in the usual festive manner, but staff are working hard to make the day special for our students.

May we thank you all for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,



Mrs A Reynolds
Principal