



1st December 2020

Dear Parents & Carers

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### Christmas at Hewett Academy

I find that I know I am getting older when I end up muttering that Christmas starts early and earlier each year. I am the kind of person who tuts when I see mince pies in October! However, having waited until the 1st December, I can now share the plans that we have to celebrate Christmas in school.

Things can't be quite the same this year because of the ongoing Covid restrictions but we hope to bring some normality to our lives with a bit of Christmas cheer at the end of term.

**Thursday 17th December** will be our special Christmas Dinner day. We can't have the traditional roast but all students will be entitled to a free meal, with some twists on the festive classic. Why not try a Christmas lasagna, or our Yuletide stuffed baguette? Everything comes with pudding, obviously! Please submit your child/ren's order [here](#). This day will also be a non-school uniform day and we encourage our students to wear their Christmas jumpers on this day - plus a certain amount of tinsel and the santa hats too! There will be a chance to donate to Save the Children at break and lunch if students choose. We are going to have two special prizes on the day - a prize in each form for the "best" Christmas jumper and the "Principal's Special Award for Sartorial Excellence at Christmas Time"!

**Friday 18th December** is the last day of term. We will be having an early lunch (12pm) and the school day will end at 12.45pm. There will be no food at breaktime.

Finally, a reminder that the 4th January is an INSET Day so school starts for students on Tuesday 5th January 2021.

Ho ho ho,

Mr A Little  
Principal