

Thursday 16th December 2021

Dear Parent/Carer(s),

I am writing to let you know about our end of term arrangements. We finish for Christmas on Wednesday 22nd December. This is a half day, finishing at 12pm. We will have lunches ready for any students who get Free School Meals and we have been in touch with Nottingham City Transport, so they are aware of the changes to the school day for anyone who takes the bus.

We return to school on Monday 10th January. Many of you will be aware that we need to conduct Lateral Flow Tests in school before we can return to the classroom. We are coordinating with Bluecoat Aspley to set up a testing facility in the Sports Hall. Our slot is at 11:00am. Therefore, if you have consented to the Lateral Flow Test please send your child to school at 10:50am. We will conduct the test and await the result over break time. If any are positive they will return straight home and need to isolate. For those who test negative and anyone who hasn't consented to the test, lessons will start at 11:30am - period 3. This follows the Government instructions and is designed to keep us all safe in school following the holiday.

We know the Christmas break can be difficult for some families so if you do have anything you can spare at home please send in any donations to the Academy and we will make sure it gets to the local food bank. They tend to prefer the following items: cereal, soup, pasta, rice, tinned tomatoes, pasta sauce, lentils, beans and pulses, tinned meat, tinned vegetables, tea or coffee, tinned fruit, biscuits, UHT milk, and fruit juice. Equally, if you are struggling, please let us know and we can arrange for a parcel to help you through the festive period.

Thank you for all your continued support.

Yours sincerely,



Miss C McManus
Principal