November 2023

Dear Parent/Carer,



Christmas Celebration Day Thursday 14th December 2023

Following our previous successful and enjoyable Christmas Lunch/Christmas Jumper days at Lord's Hill, this year we would like to expand our offer to all students. On Thursday 14th December we would like all students to experience a school Christmas lunch in a 'family' style with their tutor groups. For this reason, **we will not be charging any student for lunch on this day**, so that everyone can be part of the Christmas celebrations. We have all experienced difficult times over the last couple of years and we feel that this will be a nice way for us to all share a Christmas experience with our Oasis Family.

Each year group will have their Academy Christmas lunch during an allocated time slot. There will be timetable changes on the day to facilitate this. The menu is on the reverse of this letter. All students with allergens will have a dinner made up for them separately, so that they too can join in the festivities. Please note **there will be no other hot or cold food options on this day** and all students will be expected to sit with their tutor group until they have all finished eating and are dismissed by their tutor. Their tutor will sit with them and join in the festivities.

Christmas Jumpers:

To get us into the festive spirit on that day we are inviting students to wear **Christmas jumpers** on **Thursday 14th December 2023** as our way of supporting the **National Save the Children Christmas Jumper Day**. If your son / daughter would like to wear a Christmas jumper on this day we would appreciate it, as it adds a fun festive element to our day. If students choose to wear their Christmas jumpers they will not be expected to wear their usual school blazers, tie and shirts but the bottom half of their uniform remains the same. If students choose not to wear their Christmas jumpers then they are to wear their uniform as normal. If they have PE, they must still bring in their PE kit.

Donations of £1 or more for charity should be paid via our Just Giving Page by following the link below before Thursday 14th December. <u>Students should not bring in cash as we will</u> <u>be unable to accept this on this occasion.</u> We would really appreciate your support to make **Save the Children's Christmas Jumper Day** a success. Click <u>here</u> to donate to our Christmas Jumper Day on our Just Giving page.

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May I take this opportunity to wish you all a very peaceful, safe and restful Christmas period.

Yours sincerely

David Spratt Assistant Principal

Christmas Dinner Day Oasis Academy Lord's Hill Thursday 14th December 2023

Roast Turkey or Festive Quorn

Roast Potatoes Pigs in Blankets or Quorn sausage Sage & Onion Stuffing A selection of vegetables Gravy Cranberry Sauce

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Ice Cream

## No other food will be available on this day

Students will not be charged for their Christmas Meal