

December 2021

Dear Parent(s)/Carer(s)

As announced in Mr Hill's most recent parent/carer letter, we are planning a **Non-uniform or Festive Jumper Day** on the last day of term, Friday 17th December. Students will be asked to make a donation of £1.00 for this privilege. Students who wish to participate do not have to wear school uniform on this day.

As a result of student voice, the money raised will be divided equally between three charities: the Runcorn and District Foodbank (covering Frodsham), West Cheshire Foodbank (covering Helsby and Elton) and Chester Aid to the Homeless.

£1.00 donations will be collected as students enter the building on Friday morning. I am sure you will agree the charities are a very worthy cause and they are very appreciative of our donations at this time of year. If any parent/carer would like their child(ren) to take part and feels they cannot as the family are in financial hardship please email me in confidence at jcooney@helsbyhigh.org

To ensure the **Non-uniform or Festive Jumper Day** goes smoothly we ask that students avoid extremes of fashion and make sure that they are wearing clothes that are suitable and comfortable in which to work. Festive jumpers can be worn of course on this occasion. *Please can you remind students to bring their smart cards and face coverings with them on Non-Uniform Day and not leave them in blazer pockets.*

I know we can rely on your co-operation.

Yours sincerely

James Cooney
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