

Wednesday 9th December 2020

## Arrangements for the final day of term

Dear Parents and Carers,

## **Christmas Jumper Day**

Friday 18<sup>th</sup> December will be the final day of term and as I stated last week we will be having our annual Christmas Jumper day. To reduce the need for students to bring cash into school and to help keep everyone COVID safe we are requesting that donations be made online via WisePay with all monies raised being given to Poole Food Bank. The payment link will be under the General Products section entitled 'Christmas Jumper Day 2020'. Students wishing to support this can then come in wearing a Christmas Jumper in place of their school blazer, with the rest of their uniform being worn as usual.

## **Departure times**

Parents and carers are already aware of the early close to allow siblings at St Mary's to travel home via the shared coach. We will therefore be dismissing students as follows:

12.20 - Year 8 and Year 9 12.30 - Year 7 and Year 10 12.40 - Year 11 and Sixth Form

Any student needing to wait for a sibling or student in another year group can gather on the artificial grass outside technology as they are currently requested to.

## Food

Lunches will be available by pre-booking; however, these will need to be collected during morning break and not during lunchtime as they are currently.

Any questions about the end of term can be directed to your child's form tutor. Thank you for your ongoing support.

Yours sincerely,

Mr. C Farrow Assistant Headteacher