

Friday 2nd December 2022

Dear Parent / Carer

Parent Voice Survey – Results

Thank you to the parent(s)/carer(s) who were able to respond to our first half termly Parent Voice Survey. We had a huge response and, as the pictures show, it was overwhelmingly positive. We also had some very constructive comments which have helped to formalize some decisions we are going to take moving forward. Clearly there are a small number of parents who would like some additional support or to discuss issues with us. As the survey was anonymous, I was unable to identify these parents so please email me if you would like a discussion phs-office@phs.jtmat.co.uk



Mobile Phones

I am very pleased with how our students have responded to us re-enforcing our Mobile Phone Policy. Overwhelmingly the students have responded well. Please make sure your child brings a bag to school so he/she has somewhere to store the phone, switched off, during the day. Our first bell goes at 8.27am to signal that all phones should be off and away and students should begin to make their way to lesson 1 for a prompt 8.30am start.

Upcoming Events

We are rapidly approaching the end of term and we have some exciting events coming up:

- 6th/7th/8th December – Character Award Assemblies
- 9th December – Christmas Carol Concert (parents of choir, musicians and actors invited)
- 12th December – Awards Evening
- 13th December – Mr Hipwell's - 2022 Crackerdash™
- 13th December – 6th Form trip to Birmingham Christmas Market
- 14th December – Year 7 Christmas Lunch
- 15th December – Christmas Jumper Day – food collection
- 15th December – 6th Form Christmas Party
- 16th December – last day of term; free non-uniform day; students leave school at 12.15pm

Christmas Jumper Day – Thursday 15th December

This year we are collecting food for a local charity called 'You First'. If your child would like to take part, he / she should bring non-perishable food (or other items like pet food or nappies) up to the value of £1 to £2. In return they may wear their own clothes as long as there is an item of Christmas clothing like a jumper, Santa hat or tinsel!

End of term

The end of the autumn term is always a special time at Paulet. We have carols at break times and Christmas lunches for Year 7 and the 6th Form. We wear Christmas jumpers on one day and have a free non-uniform day on another. On the last day of term, Friday 16th December, students may wear their own clothes – a free non-uniform day. Students will have lessons 1 to 3 as normal and then go to Character Development at 11.40am. At approximately 12.15pm students will be dismissed to start their well-earned Christmas Holiday. Students in receipt of free school dinners can book a grab bag from the canteen staff the day before.

School reopens to students at 8.27am on Tuesday, 3rd of January 2023.

Thank you for your ongoing support of our school community.

Kind regards,



Ian McArthur
Headteacher.
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