



SCHOOL UPDATE

Diary Dates

December

Mon 1st - Wed 3rd
Year 11 Careers Interviews

Wed 3rd
Years 10 & 11: Flu
Vaccinations.

Thurs 11th
Years 11 & 13: Parents Evening
4pm -7pm

Wed 17th
Whole School Christmas
Lunch

Christmas jumper day

Expressive Arts Showcase
6pm - 7pm

Term Dates

December

Friday 19th
Last Day of Term
1 pm Finish

January

Monday 5th & Tuesday 6th
Inset Day

Wednesday 7th
Students Return



December 2025						
M	1	8	15	22	29	
Tu	2	9	16	23	30	
W	3	10	17	24	31	
Th	4	11	18	25		
F	5	12	19	26		
Sa	6	13	20	27		
Su	7	14	21	28		

January 2026						
M	5	12	19	26		
Tu	6	13	20	27		
W	7	14	21	28		
Th	1	8	15	22	29	
F	2	9	16	23	30	
Sa	3	10	17	24	31	
Su	4	11	18	25		

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Friday 28th November



Dear Parents and Carers,

We have an exciting few weeks ahead as we approach the end of term!

Year 11 and Year 13 Parents' Evenings will take place on Thursday 11th December.

Details on how to book time slots with subject teachers will be sent out shortly, so please keep an eye on your emails.

Today our school Christmas tree has gone up and is looking fantastic!

We held a house competition to design and decorate Christmas tree decorations to feature on our tree this year and with thanks to the premises team, Mrs Brooker and her wonderful group of year 12 students the tree stands proud overlooking our atrium.

Our whole school Christmas lunch will be held on Wednesday 17th December, students can enjoy a traditional Christmas feast including:

- *Roast Turkey with roast potatoes, peas, carrots, gravy, and cranberry sauce.*
- *Vegetarian option: Sweet Potato Twist with trimmings*
- *Festive desserts: Christmas tray-bake with cream*
- *Drinks: Juice and water*

The cost of the Christmas lunch will be our normal meal deal price of £2.75, please make all payments via ParentPay, all payments must be received by Friday 5th December to secure your child's place.

If you have any questions or require assistance with payment or registration, please do not hesitate to contact our school admin support at

twa-admin@twa.ascendlearningtrust.org.uk.

Christmas Jumper day will also be held on Wednesday 17th to raise money for 'Save the Children' we kindly ask for a suggested donation of £1, students are to wear their normal school uniform with a Christmas jumper, if students don't wish to partake then normal school uniform will be required (including blazer).

To end the day we will be holding our end of term Christmas Showcase, performed by our Expressive Arts department, tickets for the evening are £3 pp and will shortly be available on ParentPay, please keep an eye out as tickets will sell fast!

Thank you for your continued support, and we look forward to celebrating this wonderful season with you.

Warm regards,

Jennifer Moore

Senior Deputy Headteacher