



Windsor Park CE Middle School

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Dear Parents/Carers

Last Day of Term – Friday 20 December 2024

Following on from its success last year, it is with great delight that we will be allowing the students to mark the end of the autumn term with a 'Santa Dash' and a non-uniform day, (with a Christmas theme where children can dress up as Christmassy as they like for a friendly house competition).

Santa Dash

All staff and students will take part in a 'Santa Dash', which will involve running, jogging or walking around the school field to get active and fit before the festive season and all of those mince pies!

- This will take place during the afternoon and will be an exciting and energetic way to end the school term. If the weather is extreme, alternative arrangements will be made on the day but the non-uniform day will still stand.
- Students and staff alike will hopefully get fully involved in making this a whole school event to remember.

Non-Uniform Day

The students can wear non-uniform.

- As students will be running/jogging or walking in the afternoon. We ask that students wear something in which they can move freely – please avoid clothes/costumes/accessories that may cause a trip hazard.
- Students are invited to wear Christmas costumes (deemed safe to run in) and Christmas jumpers on top and sportswear on their legs and feet. If wearing a costume/jumper, please ensure that students have a T-shirt underneath in case they get hot when running.
- Please do not feel the need to purchase a costume/jumper if your child does not have one – sportswear and a Christmas accessory would be enough.
- In a separate bag, students should also bring with them their football boots to run in on the field. They should not arrive in their boots. They can wear different sports footwear (trainers) during the day and then get changed.
- If students have PE on this day, they will complete PE wearing the sportswear that they have come to school in – they need not bring a separate PE kit unless they have a costume on that means they could not take part in PE.
- It will very likely be cold on this day, so please ensure that your child/children bring with them a warm coat which is waterproof. We will be completing the event if it rains!

Please contact the school office if you have any queries.

Yours sincerely

Heads of House

