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SCHOOL AIM

“To provide a Christian environment in which young people are safe, secure, cared for and happy, and are able to develop into articulate, confident and well-qualified citizens of the world.”



Year 11 Mock Examinations

The series of mock examinations for our Year 11 students commenced at the start of this week. As students missed out on sitting any exams last year due to the COVID-19 pandemic, it is more important than ever that students have the opportunity to sit mock papers under examination conditions before the GCSE exam season starts in Summer, 2021. Our students have been working hard in lessons and with their revision. The ‘sixth period’ initiative and tutoring opportunities for our Year 11s have also been introduced this year in order to support students with their studies. We have been impressed the mature approach students have shown in their exams this week and hope that it continues.

Christmas Book Fair

The Christmas Book Fair will be in school for the last two weeks of term, 7th - 18th December. It's the perfect opportunity to pick up some Christmas gifts whilst supporting the school, as every purchase is a step towards free books for Trinity's library and classrooms. Over recent years, our book fairs have earned us more than £2000-worth!

There's a brilliant selection of books, including Diary of a Wimpy Kid and the latest Hunger Games and Liz Pichon titles, along with posters and stationery too.

To limit contact as much as possible, we're using an order system. The full book list and order form is available online by using the following link:

<https://www.trinityhigh.com/download/5667/>

To minimise the use of cash, you can pay securely by phone **0333 305 2963** using **School ID 11906633** (ensure you record your transaction code on your order form), or you can buy Scholastic book vouchers online here:

<https://book-fairs.scholastic.co.uk/gift-vouchers>.

Please make sure you submit your orders to Mr Richardson.

PRIZE DRAW

There are also five £5 vouchers up for grabs. Place an order before Friday, 11th December to get your name in the draw for a voucher to spend in the final week.

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Year 12 and 13 Parents' Evening

Last week, our Year 12 and 13 parents' evening took place through our newly introduced telephone appointment system. It was great to hear about the number of positive and productive conversations that took place between parents and our staff in relation to the progress of our Sixth Form students.

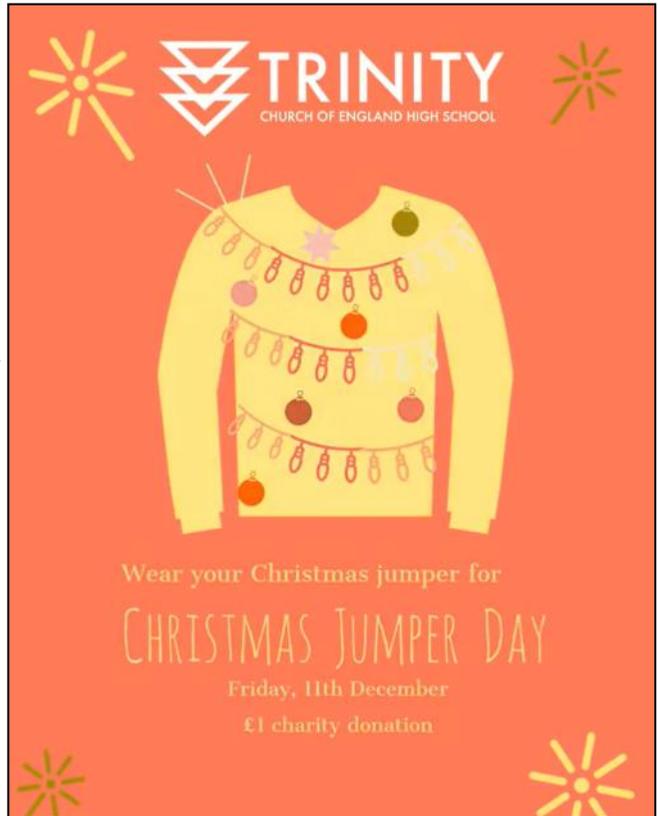


Our next parents' evening is for Year 9 parents and is scheduled for after the Christmas break - Wednesday, 20th January, 2021. More details will be sent out to parents nearer the time.

Christmas Events

Don't forget that Friday, 11th December is our annual Christmas Jumper Day. For a £1 charity donation, students can choose to wear a Christmas jumper (in place on their usual school jumper) with the rest of their usual school uniform. Photos will be in the final newsletter of this half term!

To replace our usual carol services at St Ann's Church and Manchester Cathedral, we will be releasing a special recording of a carol service after 4pm on Wednesday, 16th December - note details next week!



And finally...

...good news on the battle against Covid-19. You as parents, and we as employees of the school, are delighted that the number of confirmed cases of Covid-19 has reduced significantly in recent weeks. As I write, we have no students isolating as a result of covid cases in school.

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