**Christmas Information/Reminders**

There are lots of Christmas activities coming up at Hale Academy as we head towards the end of term:

**CHRISTMAS LUNCH AND CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY**

Christmas Lunch will be served on Weds 11th December. It is also Christmas Jumper Day!

**CAROLS AROUND THE CHRISTMAS TREE**

Parents are invited in to school at 3.00pm on the following dates for carols around the Christmas Tree:

Friday 13th December - Year R and Year 1

Monday 16th December - Year 2 and Year 3

Tuesday 17th December - Year 4

Wednesday 18th December - Year 5

Thursday 19th December - Year 6

**CHRISTMAS POST BOXES**

Christmas Post Boxes will be out from Monday 9th December in the KS1 building foyer by the main hall and outside the Year 3/4 block. Please ensure that any Christmas cards clearly state the name and class of the recipient.

**ELF RUN**

The children will be taking part in the Elf Run on Weds 18th December to raise money for Phyllis Tuckwell Hospice Care, sponsorship forms have been sent home to be brought in on the day of the run.

**PTA CHRISTMAS RAFFLE**

Win exciting prizes, including festive family hampers and a brand-new Micro Scooter with a helmet! Don’t miss out—winners will be drawn on the morning of Thursday 19th December.

Tickets can be purchased here, £1 per ticket: <https://www.peoplesfundraising.com/raffle/hale-school-pta-christmas-raffle>

**LAST DAY OF TERM**

Last day of term is Friday 20th December and the school will be closing at 1:30pm. The Haven will not be running in the afternoon so parents will need to make alternative childcare arrangements.

Everyone back to school on Monday 6th January 2025.