



Our Ref: ZCO/RNE/CharityWeek

Date: 2nd December 2022

**Re: Charity week 5th December – 9th December 2022**

Dear Parent or Carer,

During the week of the 5th of December 2022, the Academy will be holding events to raise awareness and money for some local and international charities, and to have some fun and celebrations with our students, staff, and community before the end of the year. During this week, staff have volunteered to take part in activities such as I'm a Huxlow celebrity, get me out of here, Lip Sync battle and the annual Staff arm wrestle. Students can buy tickets for these events at a cost of 50p each from the pod in the quad during each break time. All proceeds for these events will go to Nanna's animal shelter in Irthlingborough.

As well as these events, on Tuesday lunchtime there will be an extended lunchbreak, where Christmas lunch will be served. This will run from 13.30 – 14.30.

On Thursday 8th December, the Academy will be participating in Christmas jumper day. Students are to wear uniform on this day but can replace blazers and school jumpers with their own Christmas jumper. We are asking, if you are able, for donations of £1 for Save the Children for this event, which should be paid online by heading to the Save The Children website [here](#)

In addition to all of this, the sixth form leadership team are also creating hampers for those in need and, if you are able, are asking for a tin of food, packet of biscuits, pasta, or other non-perishable items to add to these hampers. They are planning to take these hampers to the local church for these to be distributed to families and people in need. Students should bring these to form where they will be collected.

Thank you for your continued support. All the events planned will promote the Huxlow values of Ambition, Pride and Respect. We hope that our students enjoy the events, and we know that our community and chosen charities will certainly appreciate the kindness from our students and the support from you, our parents and carers at this time.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Zoë Correa  
Assistant Headteacher