



Dear Parents/Carers/Students,

We would like to start by thanking our wonderful students and staff at Seahaven Academy for such a positive end to the term.

We share with great pride that the overwhelming majority of students have shown great maturity and consideration for each other and have been a real credit to themselves, their parents/carers and the school this term and especially since we introduced our new routines earlier this month. We have unapologetically high standards and expectations at Seahaven – for the students, ourselves and each other. We expect the students to be both well-presented and well-mannered at all times. Again, the vast majority of students are now doing this – every day. This has led to the school becoming calmer and more productive, allowing us to deliver our objective of genuine disruption-free learning in every lesson, every day. When these routines become secure habits across the whole student body, we are confident the school to move from strength to strength – something I am sure we can all agree is important.

THE CLASS OF 2024

A special 'well done and thank you' to all our Year 11 students who have recently completed their winter mock exams - the next two terms at school will be especially significant in shaping these students' futures and the hard work they put in now will almost certainly pay dividends for the rest of their lives. For now, please enjoy a well-earned break with friends and family, and ensure you come back to school in January with the academic maturity you will need to be successful next summer.

UNIFORM EXPECTATIONS (REMINDER)

As we head into the festive break, we would like to remind parents and students of our uniform expectations. False nails, facial piercings and false eye lashes are not allowed in school. If any of these are seen in school from January students risk facing consequences until removed (please do not spend money on these over the break as they will have to be removed in time for the start of next term).

END OF TERM ARRANGEMENTS

As a reward for the positive and mature behaviours recently displayed by the vast majority of students, Friday will be a non-school uniform day (festive jumpers/accessories are strongly encouraged and welcomed). Students will be dismissed from school at 11.45am.

START OF TERM ARRANGEMENTS

Term commences for all students on Thursday 4th January 2024; usual timings for all year groups.

AND FINALLY

Once again, may we take this opportunity to thank parents and carers for all your support this term. As well as school, the impact individuals and groups of people inside and outside the family have on a child's life are immense. Our New Year's wish is that we can <u>all</u> work effectively and positively together and alongside each other next year and in the future in the very best interests of all the students that attend Seahaven Academy, and in doing so, achieve our shared goal of preparing them all for adult life in the very best way we can.

Best wishes and a very Happy New Year,

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Christmas Festive Fun



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Winter Showcase Performance Starts at 6pm Tickets £2 available via ParentPay ⋇



Christmas Quiz 3.10 - 4.10pm Meet in the Main Hall for some Festive Fun -



Food Bank Hamper Donations The school will be donating a number of festive hampers to the local food bank and families.



Community Bake-Off Competition At breaktime - Items will be 20-50p each. Money raised will go to Newhaven Baptist Church Food Bank

Last Day of Term

