



CENTRAL FOUNDATION BOYS' SCHOOL

Dear Parents and Carers,

16th December 2022

I think this week has reflected the year in microcosm. It has presented many challenges - the rail strike, the snow and freezing weather, COVID and other pathogens. But as with the whole year, through all of this we have continued to provide rigorous and rewarding lessons, and we have seen showcased so many areas of excellence and opportunity. The drama showcase, the Jack Petchey public speaking competition, the house football competitions, and the Winter Concert have all provided wonderful opportunities and experiences for the students; and at the same time demonstrated what our continued care, commitment and instructional excellence provides for our young people.

At the heart of successful education is the relationship between the students, the teachers and the parents, and carers. I am deeply grateful for the high level of engagement and support that we receive from your all. This was illustrated by this week's Year 11 parents' evening, where over 90% of families were represented. This level of engagement is so powerful for the students and the school.

I extend to you all my very best wishes for the holiday period and the new year.

Our new term starts at 8.50 a.m. on the Wednesday 4th January.

With best wishes,

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