December, 2019

Dear Parent/Carer

As 2019 comes to an end on behalf of the students, staff and Governors we would like to thank you for your continued support so far this term. Much has happened during this term to improve standards and outcomes for students at Hanson School. Your support and feedback is highly valued.

During the last two weeks we have been able to celebrate the achievements of our students with rewards assemblies, certificates and trips. It is with great pride that we are able to celebrate and recognise such achievements involving huge numbers of students. Students continue to represent our school well both in sport and within the community as well as in specific events.

**Arrangements for the end of this term are as follows:**

Friday 20th December 2019 is a non uniform day for all students. Students are asked to donate £1 towards the Bradford Deaf Community Association (BDCA) the students chosen charity. Please note students are still expected to wear their lanyard for identification and safeguarding purposes. Students should also arrive at lessons fully equipped with their planner.

The school breaks up on Friday 20th December 2019. On this day, students will be dismissed at 12:15pm. Any students who have free school meals will be able to collect a grab bag from the canteen.

**Arrangements for the beginning of next term:**

School will re-open for all students at the usual time on Monday 6th January 2020.

May I take this opportunity to remind you to top up using ParentPay for Monday 6th January as we no longer accept cash for break, dinner money, trips or music lessons. This can be done online using a very secure website called ParentPay or in cash at local stores where you see the PayPoint logo – please refer to the letter that we previously sent. If you have any problems or queries relating to ParentPay please email us at parentpay@hansonacademy.org.uk

In closing, I would like to thank you again for your support this term and for your continued support over the rest of the academic year. Together we can continue the excellent work that has taken place and continue to drive Hanson forward. On behalf of all the staff and Governors I wish everyone a very Merry Christmas and a prosperous New Year.

Yours faithfully

Richard Woods
Headteacher