

2 December 2025

Dear Parent and Student

Congratulations go to:

- The following Lower School pupils who have achieved their **Bronze Merit Awards**:

James Burrell 7C	Max Leighton 7S	Guy Moody 7S
Isabella Wright-Wattam 7S	Baillie Boxall 7T	Rory Pick 7T
Skye Little 8S	Leo Tomlinson 8S	Abigail Wilson 8S
Tilly Chapman 8T	Finlay Cone 8T	Myla Makinson 8T
- The following Middle and Upper School pupils who have achieved **25 Merits**:

Francesca Clarkson 9C	Joel Lock 9C	Leo Millership 9C
Millie Simpson 9C	Frankie Bee 9S	Jason Li 9S
Maisey Webster 9S	Robert Knowles 9T	Mercy Teklit 9T
Joey Sun 10S	Zaid Agha 10T	Ella-Mai Twomey 10T
Alexandra McConville 11C	Kacie Lomas 11S	Isabella Victory 11S
Isla Willows 11S	Juana Jamil 11T	Lauren Trow 11T
Samuel Doore 12S	Isaac Li 12S	Shrika Danda 13T
- The following Lower School pupils who have achieved their **Silver Merit Award**:

Stanley Bryan 7C	Erik Burnett 7S	Noah Tucker 7S
Erika Seagrave 7T	Harry Shoubridge 7T	Poppy Collingwood 8C
Sebastian Squires 8C	Bradley Rudd 8S	Eliza Coxon 8T
Max Huckstepp 8T		
- The following Middle School pupils who have achieved **40 Merits**:

Fearn Willow 9C	Sophie Foster 9C	Hannah Perrin 9C
Matilda Simpson 9C	Lilly Vine 9T	Amelia Van Zyl 10C
Dominic White 11S		
- The following pupils who have attained their **Subject Leader's Commendation**:

Business Studies	Sarah-Jayne Carpenter 10C	Alex McConville 11C
Combined Science	Harvey Read 9T	Grace Parson 10C
	Sorsha King Jackson 10T	
DT: Product Design	Tazmin Kidd 12C	Alex Roberts 13S
	William Taylor 13T	
Economics	Ella Toyne 13S	
English	Madeleine Rack 7C	Kennii Santini 7T
	Skye Little 8S	
French	Charlotte Skitmore 8T	
Mathematics	Ellis Richardson 7C	Maryam Karkar 9S
	Harvey Read 9T	
Religious Studies	Daisy Steele 10S	



Well done Felix, Thomas and Beatrix on your achievements! Keep reading ...



- Felix Bristow 7S who passed his Grade 3 Piano and Grade 3 singing exams.
- Thomas Sweetman 7S who has been selected as one of the judges' favourites. for his Association for the Study of Animal Behaviour (ASAB) Infographic Poster. which we would like to share with you.
- Beatrix Unsworth 7T who has passed her Grade 4 Cello exam.
- Cedric Lane, Ollie Mowbray and Truman Woodhall who made and sold candles at the Alford Christmas Market, donating their proceeds of £62 towards a Foosball table for the school.

Thank you to all who visited our Sixth Form Open Evening, please complete an [Application Form](#) if you would like to register for a place and check out the links below; links are included at the foot of this page.

Our Christmas Festivities are now underway. The **Christmas Fayre** is on **Friday 12 December** from 3.50 pm to 5.30 pm and the **Christmas Concert** is on **Tuesday 16 December** at **6.30 pm** in the main school Hall, with a request for a retiring donation on the evening. **Christmas Dinner** will be served on **Wednesday 17 December**, please ensure that your child has enough credit on their ParentPay 'School Lunch Fund' should they wish to join in with the festivities. A Christmas Dinner menu is attached for your perusal, please return indicating if your child wishes to participate.

The **Year 9 Td/IPV & Men ACWY** vaccinations will take place on **Monday 2 February 2026**. Please read the attached letter and either give or decline your acceptance for this vaccination to be administered.

Citizens Advice Lincoln and Lindsey are offering free, confidential, impartial advice to residents of the community. These sessions are drop-in, so no appointment is necessary, and are a great way to get out to those in the community who may not be able to access their advice via other routes. The attached poster offers more information.

Every year, our students create **Christmas Hampers** in their form groups to share with elderly members of our local community who attend the **Alford Day Centre** each week. These hampers are beautifully decorated, and forms think creatively about how to make them special for individuals who may not receive any other gifts this Christmas. In previous years, students have contributed items to their own form's hamper. However, this year we are collecting donations centrally so that gifts can be shared fairly among all hampers. We would very much welcome contributions from our wider community to help make these hampers truly special.

Gifts could include the following items and should be dropped off at the school reception:

- *Festive treats (biscuits, chocolates, sweets, mince pies)*
- *Warm winter accessories (hats, gloves, scarves)*
- *Toiletries (hand cream, soap, shower gel, lip balm)*
- *Puzzle books or magazines*
- *Hot drink sachets (tea, coffee, hot chocolate)*
- *Small decorations or Christmas ornaments*
- *Socks or slippers*
- *General tinned groceries*



Thank you in advance for your generosity and support.

In support of our local community, we are pleased to announce a **Non-uniform Day** will take place this **Friday 5 December**, and instead of the traditional £1 contribution, we would very much like to request **donations of food** particularly along Christmas lines, to be distributed locally.

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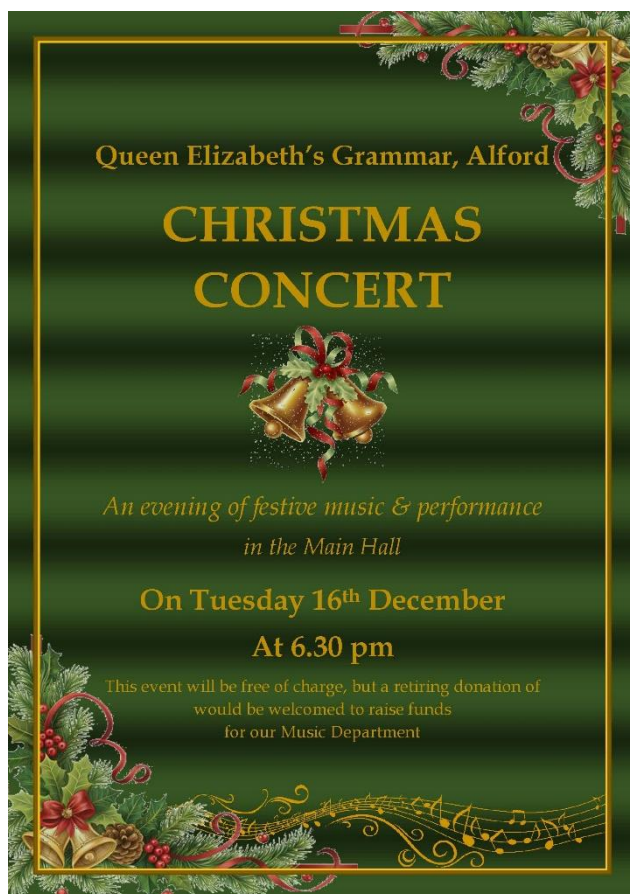
May we ask that if driving to school you **park sensibly along the main road outside school**, avoid parking on both sides either side of the school entrances, and never on the zigzag yellow lines. It causes difficulties for school buses and large vehicles to pass, and it is potentially dangerous for pupils who need to cross the road as visibility is poor. Your understanding on this matter is appreciated.

Finally, could we kindly ask parents **not to use the forecourt at Hunt's coaches** to manoeuvre their vehicles, this is posing a serious safety risk.

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Mr G Thompson
Headteacher



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