

# Stormont House School Matters



**STORMONT HOUSE SCHOOL**  
achievement for all

## Our vision

Achievement for all in a unique world-class school

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## Christmas Jumper Day - Monday 17 December

On Monday 17 December Stormont House School will be celebrating 'Christmas Jumper Day' - if your child would like to take part they are allowed to wear a Christmas jumper instead of their green uniform sweatshirt or jumper. Take a look at a selection of the jumpers from last year.



## Christmas Lunch at Stormont House School

On Tuesday 18 December staff and students will be enjoying a wonderful Christmas lunch with all the trimmings. A report and pictures will be in next week's newsletter and on the website. Please make sure you take a look.

## Jack Petchey Award Winner - November

Marco has been awarded the Jack Petchey Award - November for his consistent positive contribution to the Sixth Form and school life. Marco is respected by all his peers and never has a bad word to say about anyone or anything.

Marco is consistently well behaved and works to the best of his ability in everything he does. He is always polite and gets involved in all aspects of Sixth Form. He is the first to hold a door open for someone and never forgets his manners. Marco has been at the school since Year 7 and has grown in confidence immensely, he is now able to share his take on the world in a positive, insightful way. He is someone that everyone wants to be around and we are so proud of Marco. Well done Marco!



**The Staff and Students at Stormont House School would like to invite parents / carers to attend our annual Christmas Carol Concert on Friday 21 December 2018 @ 10am  
If you would like to attend please arrive by 9.50am**



**Joy to the World!**

### **Year 8 and 9 Virtual Reality Careers Insight Walk**

Over the last year, Years 8 and 9 have been taking part in Careers Workshops with Prospects. In the workshops the students learn about the world of work and the multitude of different Career sectors that are available to them. In the students most recent session with Prospects they got the opportunity to experience the virtual world of Hospitality and Catering, a sector which has one of the highest employment growth rates and an area a lot of our students are interested in. Students wore Virtual Reality headsets and were able to experience a virtual professional restaurant kitchen, as well as a working Hotel. Year 8 and 9 said they really enjoyed the experience using Virtual Reality headsets and feel they now know more about what it would be like to work in Hospitality and Catering.



### **Term Dates for your Diary**

**Christmas Jumper Day**  
**End of Autumn Term**  
**Spring Term Start**  
**Spring Half Term**  
**Staff Training Day**  
**End of Spring Term**  
**Staff Training Day**  
**Summer Term Start**  
**Summer Half Term**  
**End of Summer Term**

**Monday 17 December 2018**  
**Friday 21 December 2018 - School closes at 1.15pm**  
**Monday 7 January 2019**  
**Monday 18 to Friday 22 February 2019**  
**Monday 18 March 2019 - School closed to students**  
**Friday 5 April 2019**  
**Tuesday 23 April 2019 - School closed to students**  
**Wednesday 24 April 2019**  
**Monday 27 May to Friday 31 May 2019**  
**Friday 19 July 2019**