

Key Diary Dates

Wednesday 16 December	Sixth Former for a Day—Year 11 Students
Friday 18 December	Final Day of Term— School closes at 12:30pm—Please wear mufti
Monday 4 January	Inset Day
Tuesday 5 January	Start of Term (All Students)
Thursday 14 January	Year 11 Subject Evening
Thursday 21 January	Year 13 Subject Evening

THANK YOU!



For your generous donations

Congratulations to all students, parents/carers and staff for raising a spectacular amount of £1,538 for Children in Need and £641.49 for Red Card Day!

A fantastic amount, which shows how amazing our school community is.

Thank you for making this possible and supporting your children and school!



Show Racism the Red Card



Important—Electric Scooters

Do not bring your E-Scooter to school.

Although Bristol e-scooter trials are taking place, it is still against the law to use a privately owned e-scooter on UK public roads, cycle lanes and pavements.

Please make sure your children are aware of the regulations, implications and severity of this. Students should not be commuting to school on e-scooters and we will not allow them on site. For more information please follow the link below.

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/powered-transporters/information-sheet-guidance-on-powered-transporters>



Well Done Year 11!

We are so proud of you all for completing your mock exams.

You have shown excellent maturity and support to others throughout the whole process.

Well done for being fantastic role models to the younger students!

**Virtual Live Lounge –
Thursday 17 December**



On Thursday 17 December, the Music Department will be hosting a virtual "live lounge" Christmas concert featuring performances from students across the school.

If you would like to get involved, please film yourself playing a piece of music (Christmassy or otherwise!) and email it to d.pate@bristolfreeschool.org.uk.

The performance will be broadcasted live on YouTube! You can watch it here: <https://youtu.be/Sj3zFxtfyzQ>



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If you develop one or more symptoms:

- a high temperature
- a new, continuous cough
- a loss or change to your sense of smell or taste

Get a test and self-isolate until you get your test result.

The Language Ambassador Scheme—Updates



Thank you to all students who enquired about The Language Ambassador Scheme. We had so many applications - It's fantastic that we have a community full of ambitious linguists!

While we wait for the launch, Ms Rowden is encouraging all students participating to:

- Enter the MFL Christmas Card Competition
- Create some items or resources to be put on display in the MFL corridor. The theme of the display will be **“Why should we learn languages?” / “Why are languages important?”**
- Please submit to a.rowden@bristolfreeschool.org.uk



We look forward to seeing your designs!

BFS MFL DEPARTMENT

Christmas Card Competition!!

We would like students to design a Christmas card which shows the Christmas traditions and language of another country of their choice.

- Please pass entries to Ms Rowden in DF15. There will be some prizes available for successful entries!
- Please write your name, tutor group and the language/culture you have chosen on the back of your entries
- **DEADLINE:** Friday 11 December 2020— Winners will be announced the following week