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Dear Parent/Carer,

The first full term is drawing to a close and I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your continued support as our Academy continues to make significant progress.

I am so proud of the achievements and efforts of so many of our pupils. Each week it is a delight to see the hard work of our pupils celebrated and it is most pleasing to see the growing number of pupils taking part in extra-curricular and character-building activities. Make sure you follow us on Twitter, Instagram and Facebook to keep up to date with all that goes on. It has been lovely to welcome many of you back into the school this term to watch our talented pupils perform, alongside discussing your child's progress.

The Academy will close for the Christmas holiday at midday on Friday 16th December 2022. Pupils who are entitled to a Free School Meal can collect a packed lunch from the catering team. This day will be a non-uniform day for staff and pupils. We encourage anything festive, or the colours red and green.

There have been several incidents recently where dangerous manoeuvres have taken place in the carpark, including parents driving out of the wrong gate. Please could I ask that you are considerate when on site and adhere to road markings and the speed limit.

A full return to normal lessons for all pupils is anticipated from 8:35am on Wednesday 4th January 2023. Pupils should arrive in good time and be ready to learn. Any pupil arriving after this time will be marked late and there will be a series of escalating consequences for persistent lateness or absence. Whilst we appreciate that children often wish to let school friends see their Christmas presents, especially mobile devices, smart watches and electronic devices, please could you remind your child of the Academy's policy which clearly states that such items should be left at home where possible, and under no circumstances should they be used during the school day as they distract from learning. Standards of uniform will be checked upon the return to school so please ensure your child arrives in the correct uniform. If you have any uniform concerns, please contact your child's pastoral team.

Staff return to the Academy on Tuesday 3rd January 2023 to prepare for the term ahead and we will be working hard on our plans to further improve the Quality of Education and support at our academy.

Finally, if you have changed any of your personal details, please let us know either in writing or via email to admin@westonfavellacademy.org

Thank you for your continued support and I wish you and your family a very Happy Christmas and best wishes for the New Year.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'T. Johnson', with a small flourish at the end.

Todd Johnson
Principal