

Dear Families,

Please find below the parent bulletin for week commencing 1st December 2025.

All Years



Christmas Food Bank Appeal

Our CREWs are busily collecting food, toiletries and Christmas-related items for the local food bank. It would be great to exceed last year's fantastic effort. Please can any remaining donations be brought to school by 9th December.



Christmas Dinner / Jumper Day - Wednesday 17 December, is Christmas Dinner day. Please note, this is the only option available on the day so please ensure a packed lunch is provided if you did not pre-order a meal. There will be no food served at break. Students in receipt of free school meals will automatically be allocated a meal. Students are also able to wear a Christmas jumper with their school uniform for a donation of £1.00 with all funds going to the 'Save the Children' appeal.



Grab Bag Order Form

Beat the Queue. Order your cold food grab bag via the online link by 9am on the day required. Collection from the hut at lunchtime - [Grab Bag Order Form](#)



Independent Learning Timetable

If your child is directed to work at home, the Home Learning Timetable can be found on our website. It is important that when students are not at school, they keep up with the work their teacher has set for them - [Independent Learning Timetable](#)



Opportunities Programme

At Ibstock School, we are committed to provide an education that extends beyond the classroom. As part of this commitment, please see our [opportunities programme](#)



Seneca Learning Guide

We have put together a 'Seneca Learning – How to guide' to support students if they experience any difficulties accessing their account. Please refer to the guide for clear, step-by-step instructions to help support your child. Thank you for your continued support - [Seneca Learning – How to guide](#)

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Movember

A big thank you to the staff who took part in **Movember** this year! They've been growing (and proudly styling!) their moustaches throughout November to help raise awareness and funds for men's health. Take a look at the photos below to see their Movember efforts!



If you would like to support the cause, donations can be made through our fundraising page:

[ibstock School Movember Fundraising Page](#)

Thank you for your kindness and support, it really does make a difference.

Year 11
Year 11 Progress Evening

Year 11 Progress Evening is now live on Arbor for parents and carers to book appointments. This will close on Tuesday 9 December at 9am. We look forward to welcoming you to this important opportunity to talk about your child's progress and how we can work together to secure their success at the end of Year 11. On the evening, there will also be opportunities to drop in and speak to:

- Careers advisors
- SEND Team
- Wellbeing support
- Ms Bateman as Pastoral Manager

Dates for your diary...

Friday 28th November 2025 – SCHOOL CLOSED – TRAINING DAY

Thursday 4th December 2025 – Year 11 PPE Mock Results Day

Thursday 4th December 2025 – Christmas Concert

Friday 5th December 2025 – Year 11 Geography Fieldwork Trip

Thursday 11th December 2025 – Y11 Progress Evening 4 – 7pm

Wednesday 17th December 2025 – Christmas Dinner Day / Christmas Jumper Day

Friday 19 December 2025 – Last Day of Term



Current Vacancies

Our website has more information on current vacancies we have at school - [ibstock school Current Vacancies](#)



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