

5th December 2025

Dear Parent/Carer

We are looking forward to this year's **Charities Day** which will be on **Friday 19th December 2025**. This is a fantastic opportunity to raise money for our chosen House charities and for the students to gain PLEDGES experience. As a reminder, the House charities are:

Etheldreda – Power2Inspire

Equiano – East Anglia Children's Hospice

Franklin – C9 Teenage Cancer Trust Ward at Addenbrookes

Seacole – Ely Food Bank

Scott – Arthur Rank Hospice

Turing – Sibling Support

Bishop Laney – Cambridge Cancer Hub

On the day, there will be games, craft and food stalls running in the college which students will "pay" for using vouchers. The House that collects the most vouchers will win the Charities Day Cup and gain points in the SuperLeague. This year we are also running our first inter-house quiz where all forms will compete to help their house be crowned the Quiz Champions of 2025.

Rather than asking adults at home to purchase vouchers, we will give all students the same number of vouchers on the day. Please may we ask that you make a donation through MCAS which will go to the House charities. We suggest a donation of £5 per student but recognise this may not be possible for all our families given the current economic climate.



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To make a donation, please log into MCAS via your app or the MCAS webpage. In the app please look for the store icon at the bottom of your screen or via the 'school shop > tickets and events' link on the webpage, there you will find the option called 'Charities Day 2025'. Please donate before Friday 19th December 2025.

The day will be a non-uniform day with a festive theme and students do not need to donate to take part in this. Please can you make sure that students are appropriately dressed for a school environment with no offensive logos on tops, etc.

If you have any questions about this event, please contact your child's House Office in the first instance.

Yours faithfully,

Lynn Anderson

Assistant Principal



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