

2 December 2024

As we head into the last few weeks before we break up for the holidays, it is now starting to feel very **Christmassy** at Carrington and we've got **FIVE Festive Things** to tell you about...

### **Christmas Raffle Tickets**

On sale now on [ParentPay](#) - a great way to show your support for SOCS (Supporters of Carrington School), and be in with a chance to win a fabulous prize. We have some great hampers, vouchers and booze to win. **Ticket sales close on Sunday 15 December. The draw will take place on Monday 16 December.**

### **Antares Advent Calendar**

Our wonderful Librarians are emailing students each day with a **Festive Read Reveal** in the run up to the last day of term, and we have [created a blog of these for parents to keep track of too!](#) Parents should keep checking back each day for ideas. Reading is one of the clearest indicators for future success in life, which is one reason why we are so passionate about it!

### **Christmas Jumper Day & Christmas School Lunch**

On **Thursday 19 December**, the day before we break up, all students are welcome to wear a **Christmas Jumper**, and enjoy a traditional **Christmas dinner** at lunchtime, priced as the usual Main Meal.

### **Own Clothes for Charity**

On **Friday 20 December**, the last day of term, students can wear their own clothes in return for a **food donation to the LoveWorks food bank**. At this time of year they need as much support as possible to help local families in need. Their priority list items include tinned meat, tinned vegetables, tinned rice pudding and tinned fruit. We will also be collecting **cash donations for Sparkfish**, a charity that work with Carrington students.

### **Early Finish**

We will dismiss students on **Friday 20 December at 12:30pm**, and would like to wish all our families all the very best for Christmas and New Year 2025.

Best wishes  
**The Carrington Team**

