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CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY

Dear Parent/Carer,

Once again, Hamstel Junior School will be asking the whole school to join together to raise money for *Save the Children* by taking part in **Christmas Jumper Day**.

On **Thursday 7th December**, we are inviting the children and staff to come to school in a Christmassy themed jumper and to make a **donation of £1** to this very worthwhile cause. We will also be giving the children the option of wearing a Christmas hat instead of (or as well as) a Christmas jumper. For those children who take part and make a contribution, there will be no need to wear school uniform.

Please do not feel that you are expected to buy a new Christmas jumper; it may be that your child would like to make your own. Listed below are some ideas that have been used in the past to customise an existing jumper:

- ✿ Cut out Christmassy pictures and attach them to the front of a jumper
- ✿ Attach bells or baubles to a jumper
- ✿ Decorate a jumper with cotton wool snowballs
- ✿ Trim your jumper with tinsel around the neck and cuffs
- ✿ Create tin foil accessories (stars, snowmen, snowflakes or trees) and add them to a jumper
- ✿ Make some pom-poms in Christmassy colours

We are looking forward to seeing everybody in their festive knitwear and hats and making Thursday 7th December a festive day to remember.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Farrell
Headteacher