



Diary dates

14 January	Year 11	Parents' Evening
28 January	Year 12	Parents' Plus Evening
4 February	Year 10	Parents' Evening
11 February	Year 13	Parents' Plus Evening
12 February	Everyone	End of term 3
22 February	Everyone	Start of term 4
25 February	Year 9	Raising Achievement Evening
1 April	Year 11	Parents' Plus Evening
1 April	Everyone	End of term 4
19 April	Everyone	Start of term 5
22 April	Year 13	Sixth Form UCAS Evening

News update

Congratulations go to Jude Rawlins and Alisha Fewell for being a big part of the Frome Christmas Get Together with Active and In Touch. Both Year 12 students gave up their Christmas Eve to pack hampers for 150 isolated, and vulnerable people. The hampers were delivered on Christmas Day by volunteers from all over the community. Christmas can be a hard time for many people, and the unprecedented difficulties caused by the pandemic have only served to magnify the isolation felt by so many. The Frome Big Christmas Get Together lunch usually provides an opportunity for both guests and hard-working volunteers to celebrate the spirit of Christmas together, and to be part of what is usually a very lively and special community event. However, this year, the event could not be run as the inclusive social gathering at Frome Football Club in the way planned, so the hampers were organised as an alternative. Active and In Touch this year celebrates 10 years since its formation, primarily to provide year-round support to residents such as those for whom the event was originally conceived. Their volunteers visit, support, and befriend those people who have become out of touch with their communities in the surrounding area. For Further information, please visit www.activeandintouch.org

Free school meal hampers each Monday during lockdown

If your child receives free school meals, from Monday 11 January you can collect a weekly hamper for each eligible child in your household from Aspire in the Leisure Centre car park from 1.00-2.00pm. This will substitute the meals your child is entitled to when in school. Each 5-day meal hamper comes with a mixture of fresh fruit, vegetables, dry ingredients, and a recipe book. The collection point at Aspire each Monday, will follow government guidelines on social distancing. You are permitted to leave home to collect these as you do for groceries.

BTEC Dance

Hoodies are now available for students studying BTEC Dance to purchase until 28 January via this website www.michaelhope.co.uk/products/school-shops/frome-college

For information about the advertising opportunities on offer in our news areas, and the up to date discounted rates available, please contact Jane.Davis@fromecollege.org

You can also find Frome College on **Facebook** at www.facebook.com/fromecollege
Twitter at www.twitter.com/fromecollege

For more news and update, please visit our website via www.fromecollege.org

The Frome College monthly double page **News Desk** is in the *Frome Standard* on the last Thursday every month.

For more information regarding this project or if you would like to become a Frome College student reporter, please come along to **F5** in Futures, or email via Jane.Davis@fromecollege.org

Year 11 Options Evening

We have had to postpone this event which was planned for 25 January.

This will now become a virtual event at a later date.

More information will follow soon.

Donations flood in from the Frome College Virtual Concert

Thank you to everyone who has donated so far to our concert. We have raised £665 including gift aid and have nearly 1,400 views on YouTube.

If you missed the concert, there are links from the College website and Facebook page, and you can view it on YouTube at www.youtube.com/watch?v=EpHU7K H4zM&t=8s

The donations link is still open via <https://localgiving.org/fundraising/frome-college-christmas-concert-virtual/>

Well done to everyone involved in producing another outstanding Frome College event!

Diary Dates for parents

More information and dates relevant for each year group are on our website [here](#).