

15 December 2025

For the attention of the Parent/Carer



Dear Parent/Carer

Christmas 2025

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all the staff, pupils and parents at our school for all their support during 2025. Your hard work really shines through when I speak to pupils every day. In particular, I would like to congratulate the Year 7 pupils and their parents for all their efforts since September. It is not easy moving to 'big' school and I have been very impressed with their resilience.

During the final weeks of term, we will have many excellent events including trips, the non-uniform day, the upper school Awards evening and our annual Christingle Service at St Mary's Church. Christmas is a time for reflection and this service not only allows us to reflect on the year that has gone by, but also to look forward to the coming year.

Campion has had an excellent 2025 - not only have our pupils performed brilliantly in examinations but I feel that we are developing resilient, hardworking, rounded young people who can face the challenges of the changing world. I recently attended two events where our pupils were able to show off their musical skills. Some of the performances were outstanding and I look forward to seeing more of these next summer at Campion's Got Talent.

I would also like to congratulate our sixth form pupils for their excellent work this year. They make a really positive contribution to school life including studying hard and supporting lower school learning in many different ways. I know that many of our sixth form pupils have already applied early to Oxford or Cambridge, dentistry and medicine courses but I would encourage others who have not yet finished their personal statements to take some time over the Christmas holidays to submit their applications.

In 2026, our Year 11, 10 and 13 pupils will face some very challenging examinations. I am pleased to report that they have been preparing very well and mock examinations have been positive. The school will continue to support all of its pupils so they can fulfil their potential.

The school has continued to grow over the past few years and this has come with many challenges. We now have more than 1200 pupils and Campion is larger than it has ever been. I am pleased to report we have recruited many fantastic staff and continue to support them so they can ensure your children are safe and well educated. I would like to thank all the staff for their hard work this year.

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Finally, I would like to wish you all a Merry Christmas and a happy New Year as we look forward to 2026.

Please note that school closes at 12.20pm on Friday 19th December. Pupils will be able to attend school in non-uniform as we will be raising money for local charities (£1 non-uniform day).

Pupils and staff return to school on Monday, 5 January at 8.40am. In order to ensure that all pupils are fully prepared for the start of the term, please see the link below, to the Parent Guide, for information on the following:

- Uniform list
- PE Kit list
- Attendance information
- 2026 term and holiday dates.

[Campion School Parent Portal - Campion School Parent Guide 2025-2026](#)

Yours sincerely

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