



17th December 2020

Dear Parent/ Carer

As we end the Autumn term, I wish to thank you for your continued support, understanding and words of encouragement through what has been a very challenging time for us all. I would also like to congratulate the students for their exceptional conduct and behaviour this term. They have adapted extremely well to the changes and safety measures we have put in place in accordance with the Covid-19 Government guidance. These measures will be continuing in the New Year. If you need to remind yourselves of any of these then please refer to our Covid page on our website: <https://www.northallertonschool.org.uk/covid-19/>.

Contract Tracing over the Christmas holiday:

If your child tests positive for Covid-19, having developed symptoms within 48 hours of being in school, then you should e-mail response@northallertonschool.org.uk and tell us the name of the student, their year group and your contact details. We will then complete the process of tracing any close contacts they may have had at school. This e-mail address will only be accessed by our senior team twice daily: **once early morning and again late afternoon, up to Thursday 23rd December.**

If your child tests positive and develops symptoms more than 48 hours after being in school, parents and carers should follow contact tracing instructions provided by NHS Test and Trace.

On behalf of everyone at Northallerton School & Sixth Form College, I would like to take this opportunity to once again thank you for your support and wish you all a very happy, safe festive period.

We look forward to welcoming all students back to school on **Monday 4th January 2021.**

Yours sincerely

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*Seasons Greetings from the Staff and Students of
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