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Dear Parents, Carers, and Students,

As we approach the end of another successful term, I would like to take a moment to reflect on the many achievements and contributions of our exceptional students here at Landau Forte Academy Amington.

We are immensely proud of the students who continue to embody our Academy's core values: Ambitious, Brave, and Kind. For example, Ava Merc in Year 10, who represented England in football—a remarkable accomplishment that fills us all with pride. Similarly, Year 9 student Kyle Phillips recently achieved a stunning feat by piloting a plane for the first time, showcasing the courage and ambition we strive to nurture in all our students. These are just a few examples of the many outstanding young people in our community who continue to inspire us with their achievements. We eagerly look forward to their continued success.

This term also marks the farewell of Ms Matthews, who has made a significant impact during her time at the Academy. We thank her for her dedication and wish her the very best in her future endeavours. We are also excited to welcome Ms Forbes, our new Head of Art, and Mr Carter, who will lead Key Stage 3 Science. Their fresh energy and expertise will undoubtedly enhance the learning experience for our students. Rest assured, the Academy remains fully staffed across all subject areas, and we are eager to continue building on the strong start to this academic year.

To maintain our momentum, we will continue to focus on our six key priorities: Show Me Boards, Cold-Call Questioning, Retrieval Practice, Uniform, Punctuality, and Being Equipped for Every Lesson. Our students have responded enthusiastically to these expectations, and we are committed to ensuring consistency in every lesson as we move into the new year.

I would also like to commend our Year 10 and Year 11 students, who have recently completed their first round of mock examinations. Their conduct and attitude during this period have been exemplary, and we are excited to review their results to identify areas for further improvement and revision as they continue their academic journeys.

This term, we have been heartened by the kindness and generosity of our students and their families. I want to extend my deepest gratitude for your contributions to our Reverse Advent Campaign. Your donations will be shared with the Tamworth Foodbank, providing vital support to families in need during the holiday season.

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You should now have received an email inviting you to sign up for our new communication system, *My Child at School*, as we transition away from Edulink. Please follow the instructions to sign up, which will allow you to track your child's progress, communicate with staff, and access many other resources. If you encounter any issues with *My Child at School*, please email post@lfata.org.uk for support.

As we approach the festive break, I would like to wish everyone a restful, joyful, and well-deserved holiday. I hope you have the opportunity to spend quality time with your loved ones, and I look forward to welcoming all students back to the Academy on **Tuesday, 7th January**.

Best wishes,

Mr. A. Deen
Principal