

5th November 2025

Dear Parents & Carers

Hurricane Melissa Collection

City Academy will be collecting accepting donations of new and unopened: toothbrushes, toothpaste, sanitary ware, shower gel and soap, toiletries, deodorant as well as baby supplies such as nappies, wipes and baby food to donate to local charities supporting those impacted by Hurricane Melissa.

If you are able to make any donations please ask your child to bring these to reception by Friday 15th November.

Fireworks

The following message is shared on behalf of our colleagues at Avon and Somerset Police, highlighting the risks associated with fireworks misuse, the potential consequences, and the appropriate channels for reporting concerns.

“The misuse of fireworks is extremely dangerous, particularly in built-up areas where large numbers of people are present. Such behaviour can lead to serious and life-changing injuries. The police will be adopting a zero-tolerance approach to anyone found misusing, unlawfully carrying, or purchasing fireworks. Should fireworks be used irresponsibly in or around the city centre - whether over the coming weekend or at any other time - officers will use the full range of available resources to identify and, where appropriate, prosecute offenders. Offences may include assault, criminal damage, and breaches of public order. Where prosecution is not appropriate, Anti-Social Behaviour legislation may be used to prevent further incidents. This could have longer-term consequences for young people, including restrictions on their ability to access and enjoy the city centre beyond the bonfire night period.

We ask that settings support this message by reminding children of the dangers associated with fireworks, the risks involved, and by strongly discouraging any involvement in activities related to their misuse—particularly in the city centre. We will also be working with local businesses to reinforce their responsibilities around the sale of fireworks, ensuring they are sold only to age-verified adults. If your setting becomes aware of any intelligence relating to the misuse of fireworks, please report this through the appropriate channels: 999 (emergency), 101 (non-emergency), or via the online reporting system.

Thank you for your continued support in keeping our communities safe.”

Pride, Honesty and Team Spirit

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If you need any further advice or support, please contact the Safeguarding in Education Team at safeguardingineducationteam@bristol.gov.uk.

Winter Showcase

Please see the information below regarding our Winter Showcase. Please encourage your pupils to sign up, and note the dates in your diaries for the performance!



CITY ACADEMY BRISTOL PRESENTS

WINTER SHOWCASE

Singers, dancers, acrobats, martial artists, jugglers, poets, musicians, magicians, comedians, actors, painters – any talent you have, we want to see it!

If you would like to be considered as part of the show, please sign up with Mrs Pearce, Miss Anderton or Mr Taylor **before 1st of December**

E09 and the Music Studio will be open at lunch for rehearsals!

DATE: TUESDAY 16TH DECEMBER
TIME: 5:30PM – 7PM
TICKETS: €3 ADULT | €2 CHILD

✨ Join us for a night of incredible talent and festive fun! ✨

Thank you for all your support,

Best wishes,



Ben Tucker, Principal, City Academy

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