

9th February 2024



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Congenital Heart Disease



Dear Parent/Carer

**Open Heart Week and Great Ormond Street Hospital Charity Non-Uniform Day - Friday 16th February 2024**

In support of our charity fundraising ethos in school, we will be having a non-school uniform day on Friday 16th February 2024, to support Open Heart Week and the Great Ormond Street Hospital Charity.

Great Ormond Street Hospital is in London which specialises in children's care and its charity raises funds to make a difference supporting families and children, research into children's health, create patient centred spaces and purchasing lifesaving equipment.

Students and staff alike are encouraged to give £1 to support this fundraising event. All donations for this non-uniform day should be made online **via our Just Giving Page**. Please use the link below. If you require a link code please contact Mrs Webb our finance officer [finance@acle.norfolk.sch.uk](mailto:finance@acle.norfolk.sch.uk)

<https://www.justgiving.com/page/acleacademygosh2024>

Please make sure donations are made before Friday 16th February. We ask that pupils wear something with hearts, red or even a hint of red to celebrate 'Open Heart Week.'

Through the week we will be focusing on 'Open Heart Week.' We will be raising awareness of congenital heart disease and the importance of this charity too. We will have assemblies, subject focused lessons, form presentations, a healthy heart relay competition, a dissection of a real heart in Science, lunch time activities including arts and poetry, a valentine sweet sale on Wednesday 14th and Doughnut sale on Friday 16th February and an incredible performance of 'Romeo and Juliet' by the Royal Shakespeare Company featuring some of our students!

We are extremely proud of our students who are always willing to engage enthusiastically in charity based events. More information about Congenital Heart disease can be found through the link below;

<https://www.bhf.org.uk/informationsupport/conditions/congenital-heart-disease>  
or Great Ormond Street Hospital Charity can be found via <https://www.gosh.org/>

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May we take this opportunity to thank everyone at home for your donations.

Yours sincerely

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