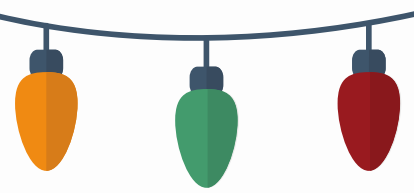


# NORTH EAST FUTURES NEWS

Your Regular UTC Update Bulletin

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## Welcome to our first Newsletter!

As we begin to prepare for the end of another calendar year here at the UTC, we thought it fitting to launch this newsletter to celebrate just some of the great achievements and events that have occurred over the last couple of months.

We aim to roll this out at regular intervals and invite all students & staff to contribute or participate in any way they see fit.

We would love to see examples of your work, awards, competition wins etc and hear your feedback on all things UTC. Please send any ideas to [jen.lorimer@nefutresutc.co.uk](mailto:jen.lorimer@nefutresutc.co.uk) or pop down to the office for a chat. Suggestions for a more catchy name for the newsletter would also be good! :)

For now, read on, and keep up the good work !



### Upcoming Events-

**Parents Coffee Morning Dec 6th 9-10.40.**

**Christmas Jumper Day Dec 13th**

**School Holidays Mon Dec 23rd- Tuesday Jan 7th**





## December Competition 100 for 100.

Throughout the Month of December we are running a great competition- 100 for 100. All students with 100% attendance from the 1st - 19th December will be entered into a draw to win £100 worth of Intu vouchers! £50 for the student and £50 for the parent/carer!! Other 'on the day' prizes will also be awarded throughout December!!

## Congratulations!

To Team Digital Blinders who presented the winning brief on Enigma Digital Day! So many great ideas were produced in such a short time and the team from Enigma made a point of writing to us the following day to praise the efforts of the students, the quality of work produced and the unique UTC qualities we demonstrated. You did us proud!



## 06. Christmas Coffee Morning

We would love to catch up with as many of our current parents as possible at our next coffee morning on Dec 6th. Hot Chocolate and mince pies will be provided to help with the festive atmosphere! Do please invite any parents you know have an interest in the school and we would be delighted to tell them a bit more about what we do. 9am-10.40am



## CHOSEN CHARITY



Last week we opened out the vote across the school & it was decided the charity we will support this academic year is Cancer Research UK.

*Well Done*



**£264.78 Raised for Children in Need. Well Done & Thank you!**

## Winter Coat Amnesty

In the run up to Christmas and as the cold weather takes hold, staff and students here at North East Futures UTC are collecting for Newcastle's homeless community. We are encouraging all who wish to get involved to take part in our Winter Coat Amnesty by bringing in any unwanted seasonal coats which we will then take to the Crisis shelter where they will be distributed to those in need. We are also collecting for their Christmas Day Lunch and will be taking down any donations of canned goods on Monday 16th December.



## The Enigma Machine comes to the UTC!

Last month we had an original Enigma Machine on show directly from Bletchley Park! (An Enigma machine is a famous encryption machine used by the Germans during WWII to transmit coded messages) The Students & guests got some hands on experience with code making and breaking and we learnt that there were Billions and Billions of coding combinations made possible by this amazing machine! Thanks to Friends, Colleagues and Governors for joining us on such a special occasion. Check out our YouTube Channel for the video!