



27th March 2023

Dear Respected Parent/Guardian, Assalamu alaikum - Peace be with you,

RE: Ramadan Gift Hampers for Local Elderly Care Homes

Ramadan Mubarak!

As you are aware, our parents, pupils and staff raise thousands of pounds for charity during the holy month of Ramadan. During the past year we have sadly noticed an increase in the number of homeless people around our local area as well as the elderly in care homes and key workers not receiving enough love they deserve. Our charitable giving is vital to tackle these social issues.

We are writing to you with details of how your daughter, and you can help improve these issues during this holy month of Ramadan. Ramadan is a month for giving and gaining extra donations as the reward for each good action is multiplied by 70. It is a month to purify your soul and take advantage of its benefits. A hadith narrates: **“The Prophet (peace be upon him) was the most generous of people, and he was most generous during Ramadan” (Hadith, Bukhari)**. As Muslims we should try our best to implement the actions of the Prophet **(peace be upon him)** to please Allah and gain reward by being generous and contributing towards this fundraiser.

Ramadan Gift hampers for local elderly care homes

This year, we are working towards making Ramadan Gift Hampers for local elderly care homes. Think about the amount of reward you will gain by donating, especially in this sacred month. The care homes we are hoping to support are **Windmill Care Home** and **Oxford House Care Home**. The staff are hard-working, supportive and are a massive help to our community. We encourage pupils to be generous this Ramadan and therefore **we are aiming for £1** to be donated from each pupil, but of course the more you donate the more reward you will receive. During Ramadan, the reward will be multiplied by 70.

In addition to the Ramadan Gift Hampers, we are also feeding the homeless. We have managed to secure donated food and are pleased to announce we will be handing it out to the local homeless shelters during Ramadan.

How can you donate?

The Faithful Star Ambassadors will be collecting money during form time for the gift hampers project- they have until Monday 3rd April. Please note all the money will go towards the hampers and we are extremely grateful for your generosity. **Parents can also donate via ParentPay.**

Yours faithfully,

Bahaa Kaleem and Ayesha Qureshi (Year 10 Geography Ambassador and STAR Pupil Council)

