



Nugent 2026 Christmas Card Competition

Have your design featured
on Nugent's 2026 charity
Christmas card!



together we are
nugent



**Information Pack for
Secondary Schools**

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About Nugent

We have been helping people for over 140 years! Since 1881, we've been caring for children, families, and communities by providing support, education, and safe places for those in need. We give hope to people in times of need. We want to make life better for everyone by keeping people safe, healthy, and happy. Inspired by the kindness of Father Nugent, we continue his important work to help those who need it most.

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Nugent has been supporting people since 1881, that's over **145 years!** We've been around longer than cars and airplanes.



Father James Nugent, who started the charity, was known as the "Father of the Poor" because he dedicated his life to helping those in need.

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In 2025, we provided care and support for 154 people across our children's and adults' homes within the North West.

How Your Support Makes a Difference

Taking part in our Nugent Christmas Card Competition is a great way to help raise funds for Nugent. You can help us give hope to the people we support.

Help Anyone Who Needs Support

Nugent helps anyone struggling to provide the basics for themselves and their families. The money raised through Nugent's Christmas cards can help buy beds, clothing, or food for them.



Make Your Community Better

Nugent helps lots of people, including those who are struggling to afford food or find a safe place to live. The money raised through Nugent's Christmas cards means more people can get the help they need!



Making Memories

Happy memories are like little treasures we keep in our hearts. They make us smile when we think about them. Nugent believes that everyone should have happy memories.



Feel Grateful and Happy

Helping others reminds us to be thankful for what we have. It feels great to know you're making someone's day brighter!



About our Christmas Card Competition

We're inviting local schools to get creative and design a Christmas card for Nugent!

One winning design from the **'Local Secondary Schools'** category will be selected to feature in Nugent's 2026 charity Christmas card pack.

The winning design will be professionally printed as part of a pack of four Christmas cards, which will be available to buy in support of Nugent.

What does this mean for pupils?

It's a chance for children to:

- Get creative and show us what Christmas looks like through their eyes.
- Have their artwork featured on a real Christmas card.
- Win a small prize!
- Help make a difference to children, young people, adults and families supported by Nugent.



How to take part

Getting involved is easy!

1. Register your school

Complete our short registration form or scan the QR code to let us know your school would like to take part or visit:

<https://forms.cloud.microsoft/e/vLX6K5GWJR>



2. Share the competition

Tell your pupils about the competition and encourage them to get creative.



3. Create a design

Pupils can create their own original Christmas card design, no bigger than A4. Designs can be created at school or at home.



4. Add the details

Please write the child's name on the back of their design. The school's name should be clearly written on the front of the envelope when submitting entries and please include the school's contact details

5. Submit your entries by Friday

9th October 2026

Place all entries in an A4 envelope and post them to:

Marketing Team

Nugent

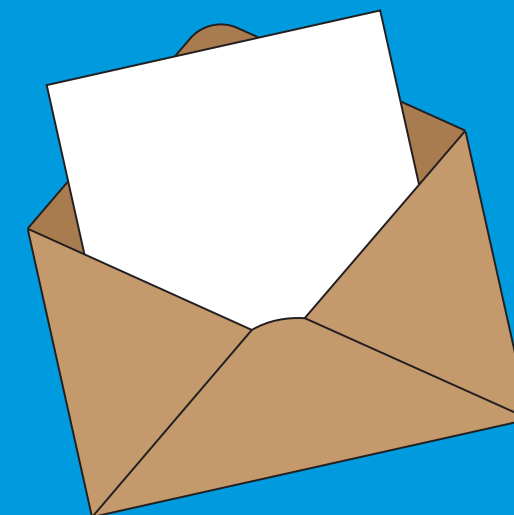
No. 99 Edge Lane

Edge Hill

Liverpool

L7 2PE

Please make sure the school name is clearly marked on the front of the envelope.



6. Wait for the winner!

Nugent will select a winning design from the **Local Secondary Schools** category to feature in our 2026 charity Christmas card pack. **The winning school will be contacted by the end of October to arrange delivery of a prize and cards.**



Ready to get involved?

We'd love your school to take part in Nugent's Christmas Card Competition!

Design Guidelines

- Designs must be no bigger than an A4 sheet of paper.
- Each design must be the pupil's own original artwork.
- Please submit physical artwork only, no digital artwork or designs created using digital tools.
- Please write the child's name on the back of each entry.
- The school name must be clearly marked on the front of the envelope.
- There are no other restrictions, so encourage pupils to get creative!

Please note: Unfortunately, we will not be able to return artwork submitted to the competition.



Key Date

Entries close: Friday 9th October 2026

Please make sure your school's entries arrive at Nugent by the closing date.

Questions?

For more information about the competition, please contact:

marketing@wearenugent.org

We can't wait to see your designs!



Share Your Designs!

We'd love to see your pupils getting creative! Share your school's designs and competition journey on social media and tag **@weareNugent**, **#WeAreNugent**. Find us on Facebook and Instagram.



Register
your school
today!



Examples

Need some inspiration? Here are a few ideas to get you started. Your design can be as colourful, creative and Christmassy as you like!





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For further information please contact Nugent's Marketing Team:
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