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Dear Parent/Carer,

Y7 Christmas Church Service – Friday 15th December

We are pleased to be able to share with you that our Year 7 students will be taking part in a special Christmas service at the Church of St Mary and Cuthbert, on Friday 15th December.

As part of this spiritual and cultural experience, students will experience the story of Christmas, enjoy singing carols and some will take part in readings. Due to the size of the year group, the service is for students and accompanying staff only.

We are arranging for students to be well supervised walking to and from the church, with special mini bus provision for students with medical needs. Students are expected to wear full school uniform (Christmas jumper is permitted), including tie and school shoes. However, students may bring a spare pair of shoes in their school bag for the walk if they wish.

In addition, due to the time of year, it is essential that students wear a warm coat and, if they have them, come to school with hat and gloves.

Students will be able to leave their bags in school. Furthermore, the use of mobile phones will not be permitted at the venue, so if you allow your child to bring one to school, then it should be switched off and left in their school bag.

We would be grateful if you could complete the attached consent form by no later than Tuesday 5th December. This needs to be returned to your child's Form Tutor.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs S Howard
Head of Achievement Year 7

Mrs S Ford-Hutchinson
Character Development Champion

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Name of Child _____ Year group/Form _____

I give consent to my child attending.

Signed (parent/carer):

Date: