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Dear Parent/Carer

Re: Year 7 Cathedral Service of Welcome – Friday 17 October at 2.00pm

On Friday 17 October Year 7 will be going to Carlisle Cathedral for the Year 7 Welcome Service at 2.00pm.

As a Church School, our link with the Cathedral is very important. This is where we hold our Carol Service and our Leavers events for our Years 11 and 13 students, plus our Year 9 Awards event. It is a place we encourage our students to get to know and to use for themselves as they grow and develop.

Our links with the Cathedral are a visible sign of our connection to the life of the Church and of a commitment to providing a full and rounded education for our students. We believe that to encounter history, beauty and prayer is good for young people. The Cathedral staff are equally committed and delighted to make space and time for us. You are also very welcome to the service on 17th October, and we hope that as many of you as possible will join us. Unfortunately, there is no parking available in the Cathedral grounds but there are always spaces in West Walls car park.

Students will be back in school for the end of the day, so there is no change to your child's normal leaving school routine. If you decide to join us, I'm afraid that you will not be able to take your child home with you from the Cathedral as all belongings will be left in school.

Please be aware of weather conditions on the day of the service and send appropriate clothing i.e. coat, as students will be walked to and from the Cathedral with form tutors and staff.

If you are unhappy about your child taking part in this service, please contact the Year 7 office.

If you any questions about this visit or the Welcome Service, please contact your child's Year group office.

Yours sincerely

Tim Burdon
School Chaplain