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Dear Parents and Carers,

Year 7 Mass of Welcome

It was lovely to welcome our Year 7 students and their families to our Year 7 Mass on Thursday night. Many thanks to Father Wilson, Mrs Ulvaer and Mr Coombs for making the Mass such a special event. We are really proud of the students who took part in the Mass. Special thanks to the students from other year groups who sang so beautifully and to our Head Girl Monica for her memories of her first year at Holy Family and her warm words of welcome.

Arts Trip

Some of our Key Stage 4 students have visited The Hepworth Gallery in Wakefield today. They visited the exhibitions and took part in a photography competition with prizes! The winners will also be awarded a Headteacher stamp next week.

Army STEM Activity

In July, one of our Year 8 classes missed out on the Army STEM day due to the heatwave. We are really grateful to the Army team for coming back in this week to lead this session with them. They really enjoyed all the activities.

Restart-a-Heart day

Our Year 7 and Year 8 students have been taking part in workshops today led by the Yorkshire Ambulance Service. The Ambulance workers were very impressed with our students and their lifesaving skills.

Harvest Appeal

We have sent a text message today about collecting **long life** food items for our annual Harvest Appeal. Please send in items next week which will be distributed to local foodbanks. Thank you

Reminders for next week...

Y11 Parents Evening is 'in school' on Wednesday 19 October. Emails have been sent for parents to make appointments. There will be revision information packs given out on the night. Our Careers Advisor and the Well-being in Mind Team will be there to meet anyone who would like some advice.

School finishes for the half term break on Thursday 20 October. There is a staff training day on Friday 21/10/22. School returns on Monday 31 October.

Have a great weekend everyone,

Mrs D. Mitchell
Headteacher