



11 December 2025

Dear Year 7 Parents and Carers,

Subject: Invitation to Year 7 Christmas Celebration at St. Paulinus Church

I hope this letter finds you well. As we approach the festive season, we are delighted to inform you about a special Christmas celebration planned for our Year 7 students at St. Paulinus Church in Ollerton.

Date and Time: Thursday, 18th December.

Duration: Period 4 and 5

Transportation: Students will be walk with members of the Dukeries staff

This event promises to be a wonderful opportunity for the students to come together and celebrate the spirit of Christmas in a beautiful setting. It will also serve as a time for them to reflect on their first term at school and foster a sense of community within the year group.

As part of the Dukeries Academy integrity value, students will:

- Learn about and experience how local churches seek to serve their communities.
- Learn about and experience how local churches and communities celebrate the festival of Christmas.
- Learn about and experience what the festival of Christmas means for different people.

Opt-Out Option:

We understand that some parents/carers may have specific concerns or reasons why their child cannot attend this event. If you do not wish for your child to participate, please opt-out by sending an email to Mrs Oliver Head of Year 7 abigail.oliver@attrust.org.uk Please include your child's name and form group in the email.

We hope that the Year 7 students will fully participate in this joyous occasion, creating lasting memories with their peers. We appreciate your support and cooperation in making this event a success.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Wishing you and your family a joyful holiday season.

Kind regards,

Mrs Madher