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Dear Parents and Carers of year 11 students,

RE: Year 11 Leavers Celebration - Wednesday 18th June

As we approach the end of an important chapter in your son/daughter's school journey, I am writing to inform you about the leaving celebrations that we have planned in school.

On **Wednesday**, **18**th **June** we will celebrate our students' time at St. Cuthbert's with a leaving Mass. As our year 11 students prepare to move on to new opportunities, it is fitting that we take time to come together in prayer and thanksgiving, asking for God's blessing upon them as they embark on the next stage of their journey. **The Mass will begin at 11:30am, after the Design Technology GCSE exam has finished. Students should arrive to school through the Main Reception no earlier than 11:15am unless they are in the exam.**

After the Mass, there will be a time of celebration in our Gym where students can enjoy shirt signing and photographs, refreshments and maybe some short speeches! This will be a wonderful opportunity for them to reflect on their time at school and to say farewell.

It is important that all students **arrive in full school uniform**, which must be worn for both the morning exam (if applicable) and the Mass. Whilst all students are welcome at Mass, they will not be allowed entry unless in full school uniform. Students will also not be allowed into the celebration in the Gym unless they have attended Mass. Students are welcome to wear their leavers hoodie after Mass. We respectfully request that all students leave the school premises after the celebrations are complete.

We look forward to sharing this meaningful occasion with our students and we thank you for your continued support as we celebrate the Class of 2025.

Kind regards.

Yours faithfully

Mr S Holland **Headteacher**

















