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Dear Parents/Carers

Year 7 International Day – Friday 8 July 2016

As part of our specialisms in Humanities and The Arts we are offering all Year 7 students a fantastic opportunity to participate in an International Day themed around the countries of the World to celebrate Global Diversity and learn about different cultures and traditions from around the world.

This event is taking place during the school day on Friday 8 July. Throughout the course of the day there will be numerous outside specialist groups who will be coming into school to work in workshops with the students.

Your child will follow a carousel of activities and will work in four different workshops to celebrate diversity and experience the theme of Internationalism. Some of the workshops that are taking place include: Hip Hop Dancing, African Dance Workshop, Circus skills, Drumming Workshops, Indian Dance, Salsa Dance, Cooking, and other similar Arts and Culture based activities.

All students will be assigned a country and to add another dimension to the day, we are encouraging the students to dress up in the colours of the country or national dress assigned to them. They do not have to wear school uniform and training shoes are advised.

In order to hold this event, we are asking if parents could contribute £8 towards the cost of running the day. Many of the workshops are run by external workshop leaders and in order to keep events like these running at the school we are asking parents for a contribution. The preferred method of payment is via ParentPay.

This is an exciting programme for all staff and students involved and we hope that the students enjoy the day and learn from their experiences.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me at school.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Joy
Head of Humanities

