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Dear Parent/Guardian,

### **Celebrating Diversity Day**

On Friday 8<sup>th</sup> July 2016 all new Year 9 students will be involved in 'Celebrating Diversity Day'. Normal Year 9 lessons will not take place and instead, students will be taking part in a range of creative activities designed to enhance their understanding and appreciation of diversity in society. We will look at key stereotypes to challenge: sexism, racism, lookism, prejudice against disability and homophobia.

We are pleased to offer five activities on the day, each being run by different subject areas: English, Humanities and Science. These activities have been designed to explore the key themes of diversity and living in a richly diverse society. Each form group will get the chance to spend one hour on each activity throughout the day. Please note that although it is a non-uniform day for Year 9 students, students are expected to wear appropriate clothing and to come fully equipped to school.

We hope that your child will have a fun and educational day and that it will help them develop their self-confidence and a greater appreciation for the diversity in the world around them.

Thank you for your support.

Yours faithfully,

Miss G Mackey and Mrs N Stephenson