



St. John Fisher

CATHOLIC COMPREHENSIVE SCHOOL

"Deo Reddite Dei"

"Give back to God what belongs to God"

Dear Parent(s)/Carer(s)

RE: Culture Day 17th April 2024

Our Cultural and Diversity Ambassadors are excited to announce that they will be hosting a Culture Day event on Culture Day 17th April 2024 from 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm. This event will showcase music, dance, poetry, and food from various cultures around the world including those of England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Island, providing a vibrant and enriching experience for all attendees.

Throughout the evening, guests will have the opportunity to taste a diverse array of culinary delights from different countries and enjoy performances that celebrate the cultural diversity within our school community. The highlight of the event will be a cultural dress fashion show, where students will showcase traditional attire from their respective cultures.

To attend this event, all parents are required to purchase tickets online at the following address: <https://pmx.parentmail.co.uk/> Tickets are priced at £2 per person, and all students must be accompanied by an adult. However, 6th form students attending our school are exempt from this requirement and can purchase tickets independently and only for themselves.

Additionally, we encourage students to participate in the cultural spirit of the day by wearing traditional cultural dress for a donation of £1. For those who prefer not to wear cultural dress, they can opt to wear the colour(s) of their national flag for a £1 donation.

We kindly ask for your cooperation in ensuring that all students dress appropriately for this event to maintain a respectful and inclusive environment for everyone.

To help guide your child in selecting their attire for Culture Day, please note the following dress code guidelines:

1. **Cultural Attire:** Students are encouraged to wear traditional cultural clothing that represents their heritage or background. However, if students prefer not to dress culturally, they may choose to wear a colour that corresponds to their national flag as an alternative.
2. **Footwear:** Students are not permitted to wear footwear with heels over 1 inch high for safety reasons. Flat shoes or sneakers are recommended for comfort and ease of movement during the event. Sliders and crocs are not permitted.
3. **Modesty:** In order to uphold our school's dress code standards, students must ensure that their outfits do not show their midriff, wear vests with shoestring straps or any other clothing that exposes bare shoulders or bare back. We ask that all students dress modestly and respectfully to promote a positive and inclusive atmosphere on Culture Day.

It is important that all students adhere to these guidelines to ensure a successful and enjoyable Culture Day for everyone. In the event that a student is dressed inappropriately, they will be kindly asked to return home to change into more suitable attire.

We look forward to celebrating the rich tapestry of cultures within our school community and creating lasting memories together at the Culture Day event. Thank you for your support and participation in this special occasion.

Kind regards
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