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Dear Parent/Carer,

Year 7 Cultural and Skills Development Day

Next Thursday, January 18th, Year 7 will have a drop-down day focused on developing our young people's cultural awareness and life skills. Following the regular academy timings, the day will incorporate a carousel of workshops designed to provide pupils with opportunities to experience different cultures and practice essential skills through a diverse range of activities.

Workshop carousel components:

1. Cultural dance
2. First aid skills
3. Taekwondo
4. Misconceptions throughout history
5. Road safety

In preparation for the day, please ensure students:

- Come dressed in their full PE uniform.
- Have a fully charged iPad.
- Bring a soft item for practising CPR in first aid – this could be a cushion, an old teddy, a jacket inside a rucksack etc.

This day is part of the Personal Development programme we offer young people at the academy and believe it is important that they are all offered the same opportunities and experiences.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to contact me at barrygrimes@universityofkentacademiestrust.org.uk.

Yours sincerely,

Barry Grimes
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