St John Bosco
ARTS COLLEGE

Sept 2026

Dear Parent/Carer

We are pleased to inform you that we will be hosting our **Year 7 Retreat Day**. This will be an important year for our Year 7 students as they embark on their new academic year at St John Bosco.

The retreat day gives them the opportunity to enjoy being with their form class and teacher, building relationships and getting to know more about our Salesian school.

The Retreat will take place during school hours and will include workshops at school and our Salesian Sisters house, Mansion Dr, Croxteth, a short walk from school.

The day is a very important part of the spiritual, moral and social development of our students and is an important part of the school programme for **Year 7.** Therefore, all students are expected to attend, and we appreciate your support in encouraging your child to make the most of this opportunity.

The retreat day will be held: Tuesday 22nd September

To cover the costs of the day we are asking for a contribution of £5 for each student. This should be paid via ParentPay. 'Yr7 retreat'

Students should arrive at school as normal. On this day, students are **not required to wear school uniform**. They should wear **comfortable, appropriate clothing and suitable footwear.**

Lunch and breaks will differ in time to the school day; therefore, a packed lunch will be necessary. Please indicate on the slip below if your child requires a school-provided packed lunch.

We would appreciate the return of the acknowledgement slip by **Friday 11th September**

Thank you for your cooperation and support.

Yours sincerely,

Miss M Murphy

KS3 RE and Retreat Co-Ordinator

Students Name: …… Form: ……

I have been informed that my daughter will be attending a Retreat Day and will pay via parent pay app.

☐ **My child requires a packed lunch.**

☐ I give permission for images of my child taking part in the retreats to be used on school and Salesian sister's website and social channels.

Please advise of any medical information:……

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Signed …… **Date**……..

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