



Beths Grammar School

an 11 – 18 selective school with academy status

Headteacher: Mr R J Blyghton

9th December 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,

Christmas Carol Service

On Friday 13th December 2024, our Key Stage 3 students will attend the Christmas Carol Service held at Christ Church, Bexleyheath on the Broadway in Bexleyheath. This is an annual tradition of the school and part of the curriculum.

Students will be walking from school to the church after their lunch break has finished, along with their Form Tutors, Heads of Year, Senior Leadership staff and Sixth Form Prefects.

The service is due to start around 2pm and will be finished by 3:10pm. Students will then be dismissed from the church to go home. If you wish for your son to return to school to make his way home from there, please let us know (via the Admin email address) by **Wednesday 11th December 2024**. We will have members of staff walking back to school to escort students should this be required.

Students who require the Orpington coach will be collected from the church at 3:15pm and driven back to the school to collect others who catch the coach.

Students arriving to school in their PE kits are allowed to wear them to the church service.

We appreciate that the Carol service in church may not meet everyone's **religious or cultural beliefs**, therefore, if you **do not** wish your son to attend because of their religious or cultural beliefs, please complete this online form <https://forms.office.com/e/PJT1ixbT5A> by **12noon on Wednesday 11th December 2024**. If this is the case, your son will remain in school, working supervised in the LRC until the end of the school day.

Please contact admin@beths.bexley.sch.uk if you have any queries regarding this.

Yours sincerely,

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