

June 2026

Year 7 Cycle 3 Enrichment Day – Humanities

Dear Year 7 Students and Families,

The Humanities team are excited to inform you that Year 7 will be developing their knowledge of Religious Studies, Geography and History of our local area as part of their Cycle 3 Enrichment Day, which takes place on **Thursday 9 July 2026**.

In the morning, students will walk from Dixons McMillan Academy to the Guru Granth Sahib Gurdwara where we will have a tour of the building and a talk from the local Sikh community. Students will also visit Bradford Cathedral to understand more about Christian places of worship. In the afternoon, students will visit City Park to develop their geographical and historical skills using our local community as the basis. Students should be at school for the **normal time of no later than 07.55** and will return to the academy by 15.00 for our usual dismissal at 15.10.

There will be a **cost of £2.00 for this trip** to cover the cost of admission to the various sights we will visit. This can be paid on ParentPay or by cash at reception.

Students must be in full school uniform and should bring a head covering to enter the Gurdwara. This must not be a hat (for example a baseball cap or woolly hat) as this is a place of worship. A bandana or prayer cap would be suitable. There are a limited number of head coverings available to borrow from the gurdwara but ideally students should bring their own.

The trip will involve walking from schools to these locations, so please ensure students have an appropriate coat or jacket in case the forecast is rain. **Students must wear their usual school shoes only. Trainers will not be permitted. As usual with all trips, mobile phones are not permitted and will be confiscated from students if they are seen with them.**

If you have any questions, please contact me on dgilderoy@dixonsma.com.

Yours faithfully,



Mr D Gilderoy
Head of Humanities