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As we come to the end of a busy and rewarding half-term, I would like to commend everyone in our school community for their contributions. Our students have made a delightful start overall, with the vast majority attending well, giving 100% in all they do and seizing opportunities to *be more*.

Thank you to you as parents for your support, and I am sure you will join me in showing appreciation for the work of our staff team.

**Year 7 Mass**

Year 7 had the privilege of welcoming Fr Martin Stempczyk to Cardinal Hume recently, who celebrated our Welcome Mass. The young people were exemplary, and it was joy to see them coming together to celebrate the Eucharist.

**Year 6 Open Evening**

It was a delight to welcome so many families from our local communities to Cardinal Hume on Wednesday 15th October, including those of you who have current siblings in the school. Our student ambassadors were exceptional – they really are the best advert for our school.

Many thanks,

Mr Robson

**Important information:**

Government awareness campaign

The UK government has launched a new drugs awareness campaign to alert young people to the dangers of taking drugs.

If you would like to support this messaging at home as a parent/carer, please follow the link below for further information and advice:

The full press notice is available here: [Young people given stark warning on deadly risks of taking drugs - GOV.UK](#)

**Forthcoming Events: Save the Dates!**

**Calendar limitations mean alternative dates or arrangements for parent/subject staff consultation are not possible**

<b>All Years</b>	<b>W/B 10<sup>th</sup> November:</b> Module 1 assessment week <b>Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> November</b> , all <b>school will finish for all students at 2.15pm.</b> School buses will run at normal times and students not making their own way home on this day will be supervised in school until 3.15pm.
<b>Y9</b>	Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> December, a School Cloud based parents' evening with a range of subject teachers.
<b>Y11</b>	20 <sup>th</sup> November. Sixth form Open Evening (more details to follow) W/B 9 <sup>th</sup> December, Mock exams
<b>Y13</b>	25 <sup>th</sup> November, Parents' Evening. A face-to-face event from 2.45pm to 5.45pm for parents to drop in and see student subject teachers.