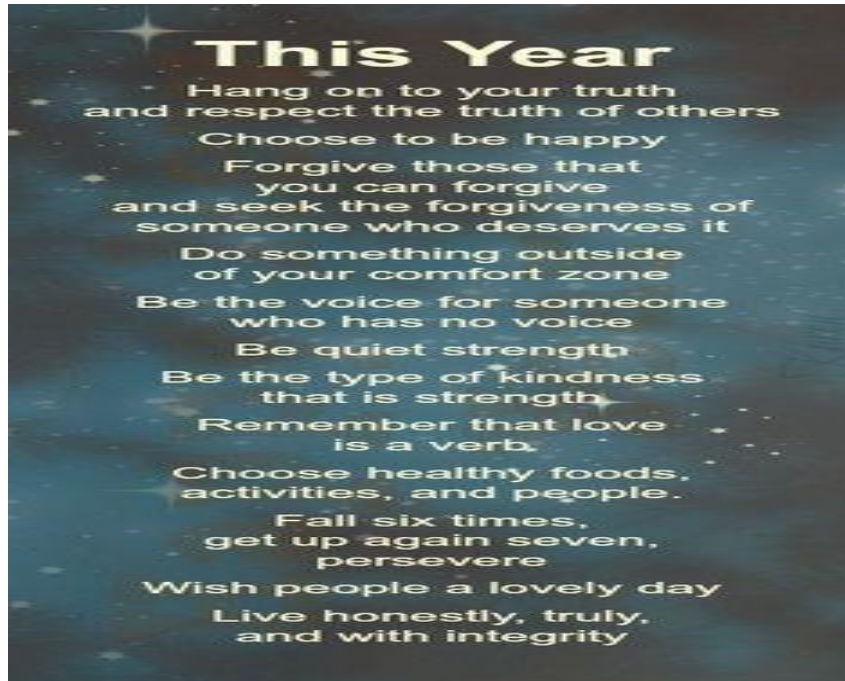










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religion, reason and kindness are at the heart of our ethos through
Education.



-  **A belated Happy New Year to you all!**
-  **Christmas carol service-** We ended last term and year with a beautiful and reflective Advent service of carols and readings in Dockhead Church on the 21st December
-  **Christmas charity hamper appeal-** students generously donated items of non-perishable food and drinks and together with a local charity 106 “goody bags” and a record 44 large hampers were distributed to local needy pensioners. In addition, 4 large hampers were given to unemployed families. The remaining produce was given to All Saints Church in New Cross to be given to the needy (see pictures at the back)
-  **Charity carol singing at Hays Galleria –** the Music department took the choir and a year 7 class to Hay’s Galleria to sing Christmas carols during lunchtime. They raised £151 for CAFOD (see pictures at the back)
-  **Catholic Music Festival -** over 40 of our students were involved in music performances at the Sacred Heart Church in Camberwell (15th December-see pictures at the back))
-  **Friday Morning Mass –** As always, Mass is celebrated at 8am in our chapel every Friday morning. Many thanks to 7RO and 9BR for leading the last two Friday Masses.
-  **Lightfever –** Once a month we hold a special prayer time in the chapel. Students and staff are invited to come and pray and light a candle in front of “The Blessed Sacrament” (Jesus). The next Lightfever is the on **Friday January 27th**. All staff and students are welcome. **12.30 – 1.15pm**
-  **Christian unity week-** The Week of Prayer for Christian Unity involves Christian communities across the world and from almost every denomination. The week of prayer starts on the 18th of January and finishes on the 25th of January. Please remember Christian unity in your prayers

Students were very generous with their donations of non-perishable items for the Christmas hampers



Students from the choir raised £151 for CAFOD by carol singing at Hays Galleria



CafodSouthwark posted: "The echos of voices and musical instruments filled Hays Galleria this lunchtime when the choir and band from St Michael's Catholic College, Bermondsey, took to the stage, led by their head of music Mr Lawrence. A mix of modern tunes and all time favourite"



Over 40 of our students were involved in the Catholic Music Festival at Sacred Heart Church

