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Dear Parents/Carers

This week draws to a close our first full week of school after the summer break and it has been a relief that the temperature has dropped a little. It was a pleasure to welcome you in large numbers to the Year 7, Year 8, Year 9 and Year 13 Parents Evenings over the last week. We are confident that these events help get the year off to the best start in terms of communication and clarity.

I really must tell you that the reverence at our opening year Masses this week has been incredible and bettered only by the fantastic singing of the hymns. There was a tangible sense of community bringing together different year groups and delivered in large part by the students supporting the visiting priests.

The Staff and Senior Leaders of the school joined me this week in visiting lots of lessons and it has been unanimously reported that students' engagement and behaviour for learning has been excellent. Getting off to a good start is important and we need to build on this in the week.

Have a restful weekend, we look forward to seeing Year 10, Year 11, and Year 12 parents/carers at the remaining Information Evenings.

Yours faithfully

Eoin Kelly
Acting Headteacher

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Highlights of the week

Engagement in lessons and being prepared for class.

Uniform standards remain consistently high.

Year 7s reflecting on their first day at school, please enjoy the video testimony from some students.

[Year 7 First Day Experiences - Ursuline High School](#)

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Focus areas for next week

Make sure the Planners are being used correctly and recording homework diligently.

Signing up for Clubs and Enrichment Activities. (Link Below)

Year 7s need to support to ensure they don't carry all their books around in their bags. Practical use of Locker to be encouraged and assisted.

Parents News and announcements

- Parents should be aware on which evening the remaining Year group Parents Information Evening is being hosted. If you have any questions or concerns about the timing, please contact your daughter's Form teacher or Head of Year.
- Reminder that all students need to proceed directly home in uniform following the agreed route. Students must not congregate or visit shops or retail outlets.
- Signing up for Enrichment Activities and Clubs. More details below
KS3 and KS4 Enrichment Link on Website

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