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Dear parent/carer,

Macmillan Coffee Morning - September 26th

As you may know, September 26th is this year's Macmillan Coffee Morning. This is an annual event run by Macmillan Cancer Support (registered charity no.261017) to raise money for their work. I am pleased to say that Year 9 are again organizing this year's Macmillan Coffee Morning at Northgate.

Last year, as Year 8, students raised over £350 for Macmillan, and we want to see if we can beat this figure this year.

We are asking each student in Year 9 to produce some baked goods (e.g. cake for slicing, cupcakes, fridge cake, biscuits) for this event. On the 26th, we will have two cake sales. First, at breaktime, a cake sale will be held in the staff room for teachers and other staff in the school. This will be followed at lunchtime with a cake sale for students of all year groups.

We hope to make this a rewarding opportunity for Year 9 to be able to support the work of this important charity. As well as providing the baked goods themselves, Year 9 students will also be able to volunteer to help with the student bake sale at lunchtime and the promotion and decoration of the event as a whole. A prize will also be awarded to the form group bringing the most baked goods.

Your support as parents will also be vital to this event's success, as it was last year. Please support your child in producing their baked goods and labelling them with key ingredients. With an event such as this, we cannot screen for food allergens, so those with any serious allergies will be advised that allergens may be present. Please also ensure that any tins, boxes etc. are labelled with your child's name so we can ensure they can be returned to you.

If you have any questions about this event, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

D. Guy

Head of Year 9























