



Collective Worship

The statutory requirement

At Heathcote we recognise the need for our young people to develop morally and spiritually as well as academically and socially. Consequently, all students participate in a weekly assembly and a daily act of collective worship or "Thought for the Day" with their tutor and tutor group. Additionally, RE is taught by experienced teachers who recognise and reflect the importance of Christianity in our society, whilst respecting the teaching and practices of other principal religions.

Rights of withdrawal from Collective Worship lessons

Parents or carers have the right to withdraw their child from all aspects of Collective Worship not specified by the National Curriculum. To do so, parents or carers must put their request in writing to the Head Teacher.

Further information

Further information can be obtained from the Heads of Year/Learning Managers who will also be pleased to discuss the matter in more detail with you.