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SERVICE OPPORTUNITY ASPIRATION REWARD

6<sup>th</sup> March 2026

Dear Parent/Carer,

### **SILENT THIS LENT – WHOLE SCHOOL SPONSORED SILENCE**

We are pleased to inform you that on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> March 2026, our students will be taking part in a Sponsored Silence to raise money for The Passage, a charity dedicated to supporting people who are experiencing or at risk of homelessness.

Throughout the school day, students will take part in ten minutes of silence during each teaching period. Teachers will provide a reflection slide and a short prayer to guide the students' quiet time.

Students are encouraged to seek sponsorship of 50p for each 10-minute period, with a maximum of £3 for the full day. Donations can be made via ParentPay or by sending in cash.

We are proud to support The Passage, one of the UK's leading charities working to prevent and end homelessness in London. By supporting The Passage, our students will be helping an organisation that provides practical, life-changing help to thousands of people each year.

This event encourages our students to practise reflection, empathy, and a sense of social responsibility. It is an opportunity for young people to recognise the importance of community action and understand the challenges faced by those without a safe and stable home.

Thank you for your support in helping us raise funds for such an important cause. Together, we can make a meaningful difference.

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

Yours sincerely

Ms S Loughney  
**School Chaplain**



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# Sponsored Silence – Sponsorship Form

Event Date: Friday 20th March

Charity: The Passage – Preventing and ending homelessness in London

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Class/Form: \_\_\_\_\_

## Event Details

Students will complete 10 minutes of silence in each teaching period throughout the school day. They can be sponsored 50p per 10-minute period, raising a maximum of £3 in total. Funds raised will support The Passage and their work with people experiencing or at risk of homelessness.

## Sponsor Pledge Table

Sponsor Name	Amount Pledged	Amount Paid

## Total Amount Collected

£ \_\_\_\_\_

Payment method:

ParentPay

Cash

Date: \_\_\_\_\_