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Dear Parent/Caregiver

**Special Religious Education Participation**

A feature of the public education system in NSW is the opportunity to provide time in class for education in ethics, faith and morality from a religious or non-religious perspective at the choice of parents.

The school website [www.farrer.nsw.edu.au](http://www.farrer.nsw.edu.au) provides information on these options to support parent/carer choice.

A parent/carer may at any time notify the school in writing that they wish to change their decision. Students will continue the same arrangement as the previous year, unless a parent/carer has requested a change in writing.

For more information about Special Religious Education (SRE), including the list of approved providers, please visit:

<https://education.nsw.gov.au/teaching-and-learning/curriculum/learning-across-the-curriculum/religion-and-ethics>

Students not attending SRE are given supervised alternative meaningful activities.

Yours faithfully



Clint Gallagher  
**Principal**

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The following options are available at Farrer MAHS. Please select one.

Please tick this box **if you wish** for your son to attend the Christian Special Religious Education classes (delivered by the Anglican Diocese of Armidale).

**OR**

Please tick this box if you **do not wish** for your child to attend SRE. Your child will participate in alternative meaningful activities.

Student name: \_\_\_\_\_ Year: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of parent/carer: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_