

**Letter from William Bagot, Oxford, to Walter Bagot, 1619 November 7:
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Deare father, my humble duti remembred vnto you, the cause of my writeing
vnto you at this time is to certifie you that my bedfelow and I are in good
health I thanke god. I wrote a letter vnto you by Mr Challenor ~~but~~
which went vp to London with my cosin Crumpton but I cannot tell
whether you haue receaued it or no. I haue sent you by this barer
a pen knife the best that I coulde get being a smale remembrance of
my duti. My Tutor goeth to his fathers to kepe Christmas wherfore
I pray you let me cume in to the cuntrie with my cosin Crumpton
I haue neede of shute ^{a shute} if it please you to let me haue it against
Christmas for my best shute is quite out of fasion, if your pleasure
be that I shalle haue one my tutor may by it and lay out the
mony till the quarters ende. Thus with my dayly praes to god
for your health and longe I life I rest

Oxforde 7
Nouember 1619
Your dutiful and obedient sonne
William Bagott

Mr Doctor keble my tutor and
my s^e cosin Crumpton remember
there loues vnto you and my mother

leaf 1 verso

William Bagot

*William Bagot to his Father
Walter Bagot. Oxoniensis
1619*