



5th March 2020

Dear Parent/Carer,

Live Performance of *Macbeth* at The Globe Theatre
Tuesday 24th March 2020

As a school, we like to give students the opportunity to build on their cultural capital and ensure that enrichment opportunities are available in both KS3 and KS4.

Therefore, to compliment the KS4 curriculum and the study of Shakespeare – as *Macbeth* is a GCSE English Literature set text - your son has the opportunity to visit The Globe Theatre in London to watch a live production of *Macbeth*.

Few students from Birmingham schools have the opportunity to visit The Globe and so this is a fabulous opportunity for your son to experience a live performance allowing him to develop his understanding of Shakespeare's stagecraft.

There will be a small cost to students, to cover the cost of transport, however this is a valuable opportunity in terms of experience and academia. The details of the trip are as follows:

Date: Tuesday 24th March 2020
Time: Performance: 2pm – 3.30pm

Students will leave school at approximately 9am (arriving in London around 12.30pm and depart from The Globe at 3.45pm arriving back at school at approximately 7pm). Your son should be collected from school by a parent/guardian where possible. If no-one is able to collect your son, you will need to give permission for them to make their own way home.

Location: The Globe Theatre, London
Transport: Coach
Cost: £20 to be paid via ParentPay by Friday
Lunch: Students should bring packed lunch with them on the day. Lunch will be provided for students who receive free school meals.
Clothing: Students must wear their **full** school uniform. They are also advised to wear a warm coat as The Globe is an open-air theatre. Where possible, students should take a **small** bag with them due to the restricted space at the theatre.
Staffing: Predominantly the English department as well as other staff, yet to be confirmed.

Should you have any difficulties in making the payment, please contact the school to see if an alternative arrangement can be made.

Please sign and return the consent slip below to Reception by **Friday 13th March 2020**.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours faithfully,



Miss D. Thomas
Second in English
Whole School Literacy Lead

CONSENT SLIP: (please return to Reception by **Friday 13th March 2020**)

I give permission for my son (name) _____ (form) _____
to attend the performance of *Macbeth* at The Globe Theatre, London on Tuesday 24th March
2020.

Please tick as appropriate:

- I confirm that a parent/guardian will collect my son from school at the appropriate time
- My son will be making his own way home.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Headteacher: Mr D Clayton

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