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21 March 2023

Dear Parent/Guardian

Re: Macbeth @ Shakespeare's Globe, London – Tuesday 26 September 2023

The English department are excited to announce that they have secured 32 seated tickets to see a production of Macbeth at Shakespeare's Globe theatre on the South Bank in London. This has not been performed at the Globe in this way for 8 years, so is an amazing opportunity for students to complement their study of this key GCSE text in English Literature, by seeing the play as originally intended by Shakespeare, on the stage in London.

Year 10 study the Shakespeare play 'Macbeth', in the English classroom, during the autumn term of this key GCSE year.

There are 32 places available on this trip. The cost of the trip will be £44.00 per student, which covers the costs of the tickets to the Globe, and coach travel there and back. We anticipate that this trip will be very popular, and so would like to open the opportunity to all current year 9 students.

Please complete the parental agreement form online through your Parentpay account to give consent for your child to attend this trip. You will be asked to provide your emergency contact details and any relevant medical information. If a deposit, or full payment, is required this will also need to be paid at the time. If you have not already activated your Parentpay account and require your login details please do not hesitate to contact the Finance Office at finance@wildern.org.

If you have been notified that we as a school receive Pupil Premium funding for your child, the cost of this trip will be covered. If this is the case, your Parentpay account will automatically reflect this but please complete the consent, emergency contact information and medical details through Parentpay as usual. The same procedures regarding oversubscription for the trip will apply.

If you would like your child to attend please complete the online Parentpay medical and consent forms accompanied by a payment of £44.00 by Friday 28 April 2023.

We will confirm the key information regarding times departing (approx. 8.00am) and returning from school (approx. 7pm), things to bring, and what to wear, nearer the time of the trip, to all students who are successful in securing a ticket.

In the event of oversubscription we will endeavour to take into consideration any students who may have missed out on trips previously due to oversubscription and will allocate any further places by drawing names out of a hat. In the event of a place not being allocated you will be informed and any monies received will be returned.

Teachers accompanying trips carry enormous responsibility for the students in their care. The Senior Leadership Team therefore reserve the right to refuse or withdraw a place to any student whose behaviour in school has been or becomes a problem.

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

Yours sincerely

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