



June 2023

Dear Parent/Carer

**GCSE Drama Residential Visit to London (Current Year 10, Year 11 in September)
Thursday 23 & Friday 24 November 2023**

As part of the GCSE Drama course, your child/ward is being offered the opportunity to take part in an optional residential theatre visit to London from Thursday 23 until Friday 24 November 2023.

The visit will consist of return coach travel to and from London, one night's accommodation with breakfast in a central hotel, an evening meal on the Friday evening in Covent Garden, two performances in the West End, a practical workshop with theatre professionals and a backstage tour at the National Theatre plus insurance. This is an excellent opportunity for students to develop their knowledge and understanding of theatre.

The anticipated cost will be approximately £220 (depending on numbers). If you are happy for your child/ward to attend, please pay online, a deposit of £70 (non-refundable) by Friday 30 June 2023 (if this is likely to cause any financial difficulties, please contact Mr S Clarke, Headteacher, in confidence by email to office@wkgs.net). This will enable us to confirm numbers for the trip. Please ensure you give consent and provide any appropriate additional information on the electronic consent form when paying online.

Future payments can be made in three further instalments, (payments of £50) before the trip date, alternatively you could pay the balance of £150 in one lump sum.

I will send further details of the final cost and an outline of itinerary plus contact numbers as soon as available.

If you require any further details, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

J Halliday

Ms J Halliday
Head of Drama Department

The School has a blanket School Journey Insurance policy in place to provide appropriate cancellation, curtailment, medical and personal possessions cover. This policy also carries very limited personal accident insurance cover for pupils. As the School will not be liable for any injury arising from incidents beyond our direct control, parents/carers may wish to consider purchasing their own personal accident cover to enhance the limited protection of this policy.