## **SOUTHEND HIGH SCHOOL FOR BOYS**

## **ACADEMY GRAMMAR SCHOOL**

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Dear Parent(s),

## Re: Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night Time, Troubadour Theatre

Firstly, I want to thank you for all of your support of our drama students over the past few years. Not only have they faced many challenges when completing exams and practical work, they have also missed out on seeing Live Theatre!

On **Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2021**, KS4 and KS5 drama students will be going to see the production of **Curious Incident of the Dog in Night-Time**, the touring production from Frantic Assembly and The National Theatre. We were very lucky to get these tickets as there is a limited run. Your son/daughter will be attending as part of their examined set texts and practitioner research, so it is essential that they attend the production.

The show begins at **7.00pm** at the **Troubadour Theatre in Wembley** and we have coaches booked to take the students there and back. The final details will be organised nearer the time, but students are expecting to be ready to depart the school at 4.00pm. The production running time is approximately 2 hours and 30 minutes, including an interval, and our anticipated return to school is 11.00pm. We will however keep in touch on the night to give an updated time of return.

The cost of the trip is £35.00 including ticket & travel. I have been very lucky to have been given a school rate, so the price of tickets is a lot cheaper than general public price. The total trip cost is payable via Wisepay, you will find it under the "trips and visits" section. We request that this amount is paid by the deadline of Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> September. Should you have any difficulties in accessing your account, or any concerns about making the payment due, please contact Mrs Howley in the Finance office at your earliest convenience.

In order for your son/daughter to attend this visit you <u>must</u> complete the school's offsite visit form. This is available via the hyperlink below. Please ensure that this is completed by Friday 12<sup>th</sup> November 2021. <a href="https://forms.office.com/r/JCdabSvf4T">https://forms.office.com/r/JCdabSvf4T</a>

My email address is <u>AHA@SHSB.org.uk</u> if you have any questions of queries. The link to the performance is here: <u>https://www.troubadourtheatres.com/wembley-park/whats-on/the-curious-incident-of-the-dog-in-the-night-time</u>

Finally, please review the school's code of conduct for offsite visits below: <a href="https://www.shsb.org.uk/attachments/download.asp?file=1070">https://www.shsb.org.uk/attachments/download.asp?file=1070</a>

Many thanks for your support of the arts!

Miss A Hackett Subject Leader of Drama













