

SOUTHEND HIGH SCHOOL FOR BOYS

ACADEMY GRAMMAR SCHOOL

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Dear Parent(s),

RE: War Horse, Olivier Theatre, The National Theatre, London

Year 10 and 12 Drama students have the opportunity to go and see **War Horse** on Thursday 9th July 2026 at 7:00pm. This is an exciting opportunity for students to see live theatre which utilises a magnificent use of puppetry throughout the show.

The show begins at 7.00pm at **The National Theatre** with a running time of approximately 2 hours and 40 minutes (20 minute interval). We will be departing school around 3:30pm and walking to **Prittlewell Station** for the 16:13pm train. This should provide students with a chance to purchase food before the show begins. As this is not guaranteed, it is advised that students should also bring some food with them. We expect to be back at Prittlewell by approx. 11pm.

The cost of the trip is **£13 for the theatre ticket only. Train tickets can be purchased online or at the station.** The total trip cost is payable via ParentPay. We request that this amount is paid by the deadline of the **30th June 2026**. Should you have any difficulties in accessing your account, or any concerns about making the payment due, please contact Miss Payagala in the Finance office at your earliest convenience.

Students are allowed to attend the trip in non-school uniform, however, will need to be in uniform for the day at school.

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

Many thanks for your support of the arts!

Yours sincerely

Mrs A Frost
Leader of Drama

