



Church of England School  
Executive Head and CEO: Dr Hilary Macaulay

8<sup>th</sup> December 2022

Dear Parent/Carer,

**Years 10 & 11 Theatre Trip – Buggy Malone**

As part of the GCSE Expressive Arts subjects specifications, it is necessary that each student visits and watches a live theatre performance in order to complete the qualification. In the Drama and Performing Arts exams it is required that each student to review in detail, the performance and production elements of a play that they have been to see. The Music course requires to observe and hear live Music in action.

This year, we would like to offer your child the opportunity to go and watch 'Buggy Malone' performed at the Alexandra Palace Theatre at 7.00pm on Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> January 2023. We feel that not only will students benefit for educational purposes, we also encourage attendance to see live theatre as an enriching and personal experience.

We will be travelling by coach to and from the Theatre and you will need to provide information on whether your child will make their own way home once we are dropped back to school, or if they will be collected. We will be departing from school at 5.00pm and are due to arrive back at school at approximately 10.30pm. Students will need to arrive back at school at 4.45pm to register with their group leader, please make sure your child has had dinner before returning to school as there will be no opportunity once we are on the coach. If the journey home after school is too far, then students are more than welcome to stay in the Drama Barn with an accompanying adult until 4.45pm.

The cost of the trip will be **£29.75**. Please log onto ParentPay and select '**Years 10 & 11 Theatre Trip – 2022/23**'. Payment should be received by Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2023. Should you have any queries regarding payment, please contact Mrs Hagon at [parentpay@bishopramsey.school](mailto:parentpay@bishopramsey.school)

Please note that upon making your payment you are agreeing to the following terms and conditions associated with this trip:

Your permission is granted for your child:

- To attend the trip
- To be given a mild painkiller (eg. Paracetamol) if considered necessary by the party leader
- To receive medical treatment in an emergency situation if as parent/carers you cannot be contacted.

You confirm:

- That your child's medical details are correct on Arbor and will inform us of any changes to these details between now and the trip
- That you understand that if your child's behaviour in school is not acceptable then they may be withdrawn from the trip and any monies paid to date will not be refunded.

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Students are permitted to bring a small amount of money should they wish to purchase anything from the Theatre, however this is their responsibility, and they must make sure that it is kept in a safe place. Please provide students with extra fluids on this trip, and they should bring with them any required medication such as asthma inhalers and epipens, etc. Mobile phones and any other items of value can be brought but students do so at their own risk and they will be expected to turn them off during show times.

Please complete the following Microsoft form to inform us of how your child will journey home upon return:

<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=24d0Rvyl2Eiol9ljnqyITjulZfCpWThlqhvoTz6l47VUMEq2SjhYTEVURIJIRTFUMVhBTU9IR1FPVS4u>

If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at [bmathias@bishopramsey.school](mailto:bmathias@bishopramsey.school)

Yours sincerely,

**Miss B Mathias**  
**Drama Department**