

10th February 2025

Dear Parents/Carers,

Royal Opera House - Friday 21st March 2025

We have tickets to the Royal Opera House to see a production of Romeo and Juliet on Friday 21st March. The trip is being offered to our Year 7 students as part of our Character Education programme and learning outside the classroom.

Please note that the performance contains themes of violence and death and parental guidance is recommended.

These are the arrangements for the day:

- Arrive at school as normal **in full school uniform.**
- Dress appropriately for the weather - coats, umbrellas if needed.
- **Bring a packed lunch and drinks in your bag.**
 - If your child is eligible for free school meals, a packed lunch will be provided by the school. Please complete the form if your child would like a packed lunch: <https://forms.gle/26SDRF9BZtohxUdM8>

The cost of the trip is £8.50 and payment can be made via Parentpay. Please note, however, that the Royal Opera House are planning to take photos throughout the performance for marketing and publicity purposes. Consent for this **must** be given or your child will not be able to attend. Consent will need to be given on Parentpay.

Cut off date for payments and consent is Monday 10th March 2025.

The students will travel to Covent Garden by underground and leave school at 10.00 am

On arrival, the students will eat their packed lunch prior to the performance. which starts at 12.30pm and finishes at 3.30 pm. Our expected return time is 4.30 pm. Students will be dismissed from Arnos Grove Station unless the school are told they would like their child to return back to school and dismissed from there.

Mobile phones are not allowed. If your child brings a phone, it must be switched off and kept in the bottom of their bag at all times until they are dismissed at the end of the day.

Please note that the school may remove a student from all, or some educational visits due to poor behaviour. In these circumstances a refund will not be given.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs A Tansley
Raising Standards Lead for Year 7