

6th November 2017

Dear Parent/Carer,

Re: *Romeo and Juliet* GCSE Study Day trip at The Globe Theatre, London, Tuesday 20th February 2018

As part of the English Literature GCSE examination content, an exciting opportunity to attend a GCSE study day at the replica of Shakespeare's theatre, The Globe, in London, has arisen. Year 9 students are currently studying *Romeo and Juliet* and will be sitting an examination on this text for their GCSE English Literature in the summer of 2020. This would be a great opportunity to consolidate their learning and understanding ahead of revising the text in Year 11.

We will be travelling by coach to London, leaving at 7:00am in order to ensure enough time to arrive at The Globe for 9:45am. Whilst there, students will have a tour of the theatre and attend workshops on Shakespeare's characters, themes and language in *Romeo and Juliet*. We expect to arrive back at The Arnewood School at approximately 6:00pm, although this will be dependent upon traffic. We will be eating lunch in the Turbine Hall at The Tate Modern (a few minutes' walk from The Globe Theatre) so students must bring a packed lunch with them to eat. If students usually receive a free school meal, this will be made available for them.

The cost of the trip is £35 and cheques should be made payable to The Arnewood School with the student's name, event and tutor group on the reverse. Please complete the reply slip below and return it, together with the completed medical form, with full payment of £35 to our finance office by Monday 4th December if you wish your child to attend. Although the trip is open to all of Year 9, there are only 40 spaces available. If the trip is oversubscribed, tickets will be allocated on a random and equitable basis. If your child has a medical condition/disability please ensure they are not participating in this event against the advice of your doctor.

If you have any questions regarding this trip, please do not hesitate to contact Miss Kasey at the school (v.kasey@arnewood.hants.sch.uk).

Yours faithfully,

Miss Kasey
Deputy Head of English

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Student name: **Tutor group:**

I give permission for my child to attend the above named event and enclose the £35 payment and completed medical form.

I will collect my child from school on their return to school

Or

My child will be collected by (named adult).

Signature: **Date:**

Parent/Carer