

9<sup>th</sup> October 2017

Dear Parent/Carer,

**Re: National Theatre Visit to see Pinocchio on Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> January 2018**

We are really excited to be able to be able to take year 8 students to the *National Theatre* to see a production of *Pinocchio*.

On a quest to be truly alive, Pinocchio leaves Geppetto's workshop with Jiminy Cricket in tow. Their electrifying adventure takes them from alpine forests to Pleasure Island to the bottom of the ocean. This spectacular new production is brought to the stage by an extraordinary team including the director of *Harry Potter and the Cursed Child* and the writer of *Matilda the Musical*.

Featuring unforgettable music and songs from the Walt Disney film including *I've Got No Strings*, *Give a Little Whistle* and *When You Wish upon a Star* in dazzling new arrangements, Pinocchio comes to life as never before.

We will be travelling to the theatre by coach. Student will need to be registered in the Drama Studio (A53) at 3:15pm and we aim to return to school at 11.30pm. The total cost for the trip including transport and ticket for the performance will be £25.00; we have been very lucky to get the education rate which means we have massively discounted seats!

Students should provide a packed lunch to eat when we arrive at the theatre, please note that food and fizzy drinks will not be permitted into the theatre.

There are a limited number of tickets available. If you would like your son/daughter to attend please return the reply slip with payment and the attached medical form to the Finance Office by Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October. Please note that places on the trip are limited and if oversubscribed places will be allocated on a random and equitable basis.

If your child has a medical condition/disability please ensure they are not taking part in this visit against your doctor's advice.

Yours faithfully,

**Mrs K. Watson**  
**Head of Drama**

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**Reply Slip – Re: National Theatre Visit to see Pinocchio, please return to the Finance Office by Friday 20th October 2017**

**Student's Name:** ..... **Tutor Group:** .....

I give permission for my son/daughter to attend the school trip to the National Theatre to see a production of Pinocchio, as detailed in the letter dated 9<sup>th</sup> October 2017. I enclose a full payment of £25.00.

I confirm that I will collect my child from school at 11.30pm

**OR**

My child will be collected from school at 11.30pm by .....  
(named adult).

Please delete as appropriate.

**Signed:** ..... **Date:** .....  
Parent/Carer