

Principal: Mr P Willerton

27 September 2024

Dear Parent/Carer

The English Department are pleased to offer the opportunity for Year 9 students to see a performance of Blood Brothers at the Liverpool Empire Theatre on Wednesday 12 March 2025.

During the Autumn Term, students will begin their study of the play Blood Brothers, by Willy Russell. The play is a seminal northern musical set in Liverpool during 1950s-1970s, and explores what life was like for two boys growing up in this period.

This fantastic performance will support understanding of the plot, form and major themes within the play as well as giving our students the opportunity to experience a live theatre performance with their peers. Exposing students to live theatre is essential in their comprehension of the study of Drama, a form that is examined both at KS4 and KS5, so attendance will support both their current and future studies.

The coach will leave the academy at 12.15pm and return at approximately 6.00pm.

The total cost of the trip will be £26.75 and can be paid for in instalments if preferred. There are a limited number of tickets available, so please express interest by following the link below with the required details.

Students will only be allowed to attend the trip if they have demonstrated a positive attitude to learning within English and our four academy values of kindness, reflectiveness, resilience and being part of a community. Once all tickets have been allocated, student names will be added to a waiting list and contacted if tickets become available.

Please express interest using this form: https://forms.office.com/e/iN5GAWsic3









Instalment Dates:

Monday 14 October 2024 £6.75 Deposit

Monday 11 November 2024 £10.00

Monday 13 January 2025 £10.00

If you have any queries or questions please do not hesitate to contact me.

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Yours faithfully

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