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Dear Parent(s)/Carer,

## Macbeth at the Globe on Tuesday 8th March 2022

The Globe Theatre on the South Bank is doing a special schools production of *Macbeth* this term; I applied for 90 tickets and, to my delight we have been allocated the full amount for the evening of Tuesday the 18th March 2022. These tickets are free, courtesy of Deutsche Bank.

If your daughter has never been to the Globe, it is a really exciting experience to stand in the place where Shakespeare performed in his plays; the theatre design, as I am sure you know, is as close to the original as possible. The performance is for schools and has been shortened to 90 minutes so that all the exciting bits are left in and some of the longer speeches left out. While this won't suit purists, it will ensure your daughter grasps the story and the drama without having her attention wander! In past years (we've seen *Twelfth Night, Macbeth, A Midsummer Nights' Dream, Othello, Romeo & Juliet* and *The Merchant of Venice*). The students and teachers have always loved this trip.

<u>Cost and Travel Details</u>: As the tickets are free and the numbers of students large, I have decided to travel by coach, which unfortunately is not free, but still is a very reasonable price of £13.00 per student. We will be picked up by coach at 4.45 pm from the school and dropped off there after the performance at about 9:50pm.

<u>Requirements:</u> If you would like your daughter to participate in this visit, please make your online payment of £13.00. Payment must be made online by Tuesday 1st March 2022 via the <u>Parentpay</u> link on the <u>School's</u> website.

This trip is open to all students at the school on a first-come-first-served basis. T

There will be a ratio of 10 students to 1 teacher, as requested by the Globe, and high standards of behaviour will be expected at all times. School uniform need not be worn, but students **must** dress warmly for the weather; the Globe is an open-air venue. I reserve the right to remove students from the trip at any time if their behaviour in school leading up to the evening is unsatisfactory.

This is an exciting opportunity for your daughter, an experience that she will remember for a long time. I recommend it to you.

<u>School Trip Emergency Contact Number</u>: If you need to contact a member of staff during the school trip, please call **07925655100**.

Yours faithfully,

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