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Dear Parent/Carer

Production of 'An Inspector Calls' at the Lowry Theatre - Thursday 12th January 2023

As a department we have arranged tickets for a matinee performance of JB Priestley's play "An Inspector Calls", a set text on the English Literature course. This is a great opportunity for your son to watch a live performance ahead of his GCSE exams. The matinee performance begins at 2pm and we have arranged for a coach to take us there and back. The return time would be after school hours.

After a sell-out London season and American tour, director **Stephen Daldry's** multi award-winning production for the National Theatre returns.

Daldry's visionary, radical, challenging version of **JB Priestley's** classic thriller, hailed as the theatrical event of its generation, has been seen by more than 5 million people worldwide.

When Inspector Goole arrives unexpectedly at the prosperous Birling family home, their peaceful dinner party is shattered by his investigations into the death of a young woman. His startling revelations shake the very foundations of their lives and challenge us all to examine our consciences.

More relevant now than ever, this is a must-see for a whole new generation of theatregoers.

Cost

As a school, we have been able to secure tickets at a discounted price. The total price of **£35.00** includes the ticket, plus transport costs.

We have secured **50 tickets** which will be sold on a **first come, first served basis**.

NB, if your child is in receipt of Pupil Premium, payment for this trip will be automatically arranged. Please follow the usual trip application process but ignore any payment requests you may receive. *Students who receive Pupil Premium may also be eligible to reclaim any transportation costs which are not included in the overall trip price, by submitting a claim form in the [Pupil Premium section of the school website](#). (If your child receives Free School Meals and any lunches are not provided as part of the trip, you will receive a food allowance prior to departure).*

Application Process

To apply for this trip, please visit the [Parents' section](#) of the school website and complete the relevant online **Day Trip Application Form** so that a ParentPay item can be added to your account.

Additional information

Please read our new terms and conditions sheet attached which contains **important information** regarding medical, passports, EHIC and Covid compliance etc.

If you would like any further information, please do not hesitate to contact me at school.

Yours faithfully

Mrs Mahony

On behalf of the English Department