

September 2023

Dear Parent / Guardian

Theatre trip – 'Blood Brothers' at the Alhambra Theatre, Bradford, Wednesday 1 November 2023

We are delighted to have secured tickets for our GCSE Drama students for the evening performance of 'Blood Brothers' at the Alhambra Theatre on Wednesday 1 November 2023. The performance begins at 19:30. As this is one of your child's set texts, we believe it is very important to see the performance on stage as it will enhance their understanding of the text.

Written by Willy Russell, the legendary 'Blood Brothers' tells the captivating and moving tale of two twins who, separated at birth, grow up on opposite sides of the tracks, only to meet again with fateful consequences.

The cost of the trip is £40.00 which includes the theatre ticket and return coach travel from St Aidan's to Bradford with York Pullman.

We will meet in the main car park at St Aidan's on **Wednesday 1 November at 17:30 for a prompt departure at 17:45**. The play finishes at 21:50 and we are aiming to be back at school at approximately 22:45.

The trip is now showing on your ParentPay account and payment should be made by <u>Monday 25</u> <u>September 2023</u>. I apologise for the short notice, but this play is in high demand, and we have had to secure tickets. Please note this theatre visit in during the half-term break.

Consent for the trip is also required on ParentPay and by ticking the box online, you are agreeing to your child taking part on the trip, the cost and confirming that their medical details that we hold at school are up to date. Please note that all payments are non-refundable unless a replacement student can be found.

School trips form an important part of the curriculum offered at St Aidan's. Please help us by reinforcing to your child our expectations on behaviour in order that each student can gain the maximum out of the trip. If we have any concerns about a student's participation on this trip in the time between now and the date of departure, we reserve the right to withdraw the student's place.

Kind regards

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