

Dear parent/carer,

GCSE Trip - Blood Brothers

I am writing to inform you of an opportunity for Year 11 Drama students next academic year. Your son/ daughter is invited to theatre trip to see a matinee performance of **Blood Brothers** at the Theatre Royal, Brighton on **Wednesday 4 October 2023.** Details are outlined below:

Venue: Theatre Royal, Brighton
Date: Wednesday 4 October 2023
Learning Outcomes: To raise aspirations and experience live theatre.
Dress: Full school uniform
Transport: Train
Time of Departure: 9:30am (during period 1)
Place and time of Return: The Hamble School, approximately 8:30pm
Cost (including ticket and transport to and from): £35.00
Please be advised that smoke/haze effects and strobe lights may be used during this performance.

Arrangements will need to be made for collecting your son/ daughter at the specified time above unless you give permission for them to make their own way home. There will be approximately 20 students in the party accompanied by 2 members of staff. The group leaders for the activity are Miss Clucas and Mrs Bowman.

Attendance on this trip is conditional on good attendance and behaviour in school. Should your son/ daughter's behaviour or attendance fall below the expected standard, they will lose their place on the trip and any monies paid. Please note, should we receive insufficient interest or contributions to make this trip financially viable, it will be cancelled or reduced in numbers. **The price above is based on 20 students attending, if for any reason we have reduced numbers prices may increase**.

Students will need to bring a packed lunch and drink. Any student who would normally receive a free school meal will be provided with a lunch bag. Students may bring additional snacks and drinks for the duration of the trip. However, please note, students will not be permitted to eat during the performance itself as a matter of consideration for other patrons. We are happy for students to bring a mobile phone with them on the trip in order to communicate with parents/ carers. We accept no responsibility for loss or damage of personal electronic items and photography is prohibited in the theatre itself.

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I am sure you will agree, it is really exciting to be able to look ahead to events such as these and we hope that the whole cohort will be able to attend. If you have any further questions with regard to the trip, please do not hesitate to contact me via <u>general@thehambleschool.co.uk</u>

Yours faithfully,

Miss A Clucas Teacher of Drama

If, at any time, you should require special arrangements to be made when visiting the school and/or in order to participate fully in supporting your child at school (e.g. an accessible venue for meetings, if you are a wheelchair user, assistance with translation of documents or enlarged copies of communications etc.), please do not hesitate to let us know.