



Fort Pitt Grammar School



8 October 2018

Dear Parents/Carers

Sixth Form Theatre Trip – “Matilda” Thursday 6 December 2018

We are delighted to be able to offer our sixth form students the opportunity to see the award-winning musical ‘Matilda’, showing at the Cambridge Theatre, in the heart of London’s West End. Described as ‘anarchically joyous, gleefully nasty and ingenious’ by the Guardian and as ‘an irresistible and wickedly glorious theatrical experience’ by Time Out, this promises to be a night to remember.

We are fortunate to have been offered tickets for the stalls, so we will be close to the action. As reserved tickets for this show can only be held for a limited time the final deadline for payment is **Thursday 18th October**. We can offer this highly acclaimed and popular extravaganza for just £37.50 (inclusive of both theatre ticket and travel). As places are limited so tickets will be allocated on a “first-come, first- served” basis. No student will be denied the opportunity to participate in this event on financial grounds. Therefore, where families are experiencing financial hardship, discretionary support may be available. In such circumstances please contact Mrs Jeffreys via the School office.

We will depart from Fort Pitt Grammar school at 3.30 p.m., returning at approximately 11.15 p.m. This will allow students to purchase food from one of the many West End food outlets. During the period between our arrival at the West End (at around 5.30 p.m.) and our entry to the theatre (at 7.00 p.m.) students will not be directly supervised by teaching staff. Students should therefore stay in groups of **at least three** for the duration of this period.

If you would like your daughter/son to participate in this trip please complete and return the slip below, together with a cheque made payable to Fort Pitt Grammar School. This should be given to the Main Office between 8.10 a.m. and 8.25 a.m. or during morning break by 18th October at the latest. Alternatively payments can be made to the school bank account, sort code: 08-92-99, account number: 65150432, reference: your daughter’s name – Matilda and the completed slip given to Main Office. No cash payments will be accepted for this trip.

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "S Wilson".

**Mr S Wilson
Teacher of Sociology**

Headteacher : Nicky Archer, BA (Hons), NPQH

To: Main Office, Fort Pitt Grammar School
Trip organiser – Mr S Wilson

I consent to my daughter/son _____ of Tutor Group _____ taking part in a school trip to Matilda.

- I enclose cheque for £37.50.
- I confirm that I have made payment to the school account.
- I am in receipt of Free School Meals and would like to discuss payment with a member of staff.

I understand that if I request cancellation of my daughter/son's place on this trip/visit, no monies will be refunded unless my daughter/son can find someone to replace them.

Should the necessity arise, I agree to the person in charge of the party giving consent on my behalf for an anaesthetic to be administered, or for any other urgent medical treatment to be given. **PLEASE ADVISE IF THERE ARE ANY EXCEPTIONS.**

Signature: _____ Date: _____
(Parent/Carer)

Name: _____

Emergency telephone number for 8 February _____

Give below any relevant medical information that may be required