



HECKMONDWIKE GRAMMAR SCHOOL

21 October 2022

Dear Parents / Carers,

Charlie and the Chocolate Factory at Leeds Playhouse

We are excited to be inviting your child to join the English and Drama departments on a visit to Leeds Playhouse to see a live production of *Charlie and the Chocolate Factory* on **8th December 2022 at 1:30pm.**

As you will be aware, students study a number of plays in both English and Drama throughout their time at Heckmondwike Grammar School. Having the chance to see live theatre is a rare opportunity that will enhance their understanding of theatrical texts studied in the classroom.

We will aim to leave Leeds Playhouse at approximately 4.00pm and therefore expect to return to school at approximately 4.30/5.00pm TBC, dependent on traffic. Due to the late arrival back at school, please ensure that you have arranged for your child to get home from school at this time. May I take this opportunity to remind parents that students are expected to display the very highest standards of behaviour and courtesy at all times during this trip.

Under the School Governors' Charging and Remissions Policy, we request a voluntary contribution of £29.00 towards the cost of this activity. This includes the cost of the theatre ticket, travel and insurance. Though this is a voluntary contribution, we must mention that without sufficient funding the trip will be unable to take place.

[Charging & Remissions Policy](#)

The total cost of the trip is to be paid on ParentPay by Friday 28 October 2022. When you make payment via ParentPay you will be prompted to provide parental consent for your child to attend this trip and you will also be asked to input your contact /medical details directly into a confidential section of ParentPay.

If you would like to know more about the production, you can read about it on the Leeds Playhouse website here: <https://leedsplayhouse.org.uk/events/charlie-and-the-chocolate-factory/>

Best wishes,

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