



14<sup>th</sup> November 2023

Dear Parent/Carer

## Performing Arts London Residential Trip – 30<sup>th</sup> November to 1<sup>st</sup> December 2023

We are delighted that your child will be attending the Performing Arts London Residential trip from Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> November to Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December 2023. Students will also be given the following information in their pre-trip briefing on Monday 27<sup>th</sup> November at lunchtime (12:15pm to 12:30pm) in the Gym. For your reference, below you will find the itinerary, kit list and emergency contacts:

### ITINERARY

We have received the final Itinerary information from our travel company and are able to confirm the itinerary as follows;

#### Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> November 2023

- 06:45am Meet at Chesterfield Station
- 07:13am Train to London St Pancras International (EMR) (///racing.pram.energetic)
- 09:10am Travel by walking to Generator London (WC1H 9SE)(///lively.cube.oppose)
- 09:30am Leave luggage at Generator London/toilet break
- 09:45am Guided walk through London tourist highlights
- 11:30am Arrive at Danceworks Studio (W1K 6TN) (///await.salad.slower) and eat lunch
- 12:00pm West End Workshop (Stage Combat)
- 13:30pm Walk to The Victoria and Albert Museum (SW7 2RL) (///name. Memory.globe)
- 14:30pm Time in the V&A Museum
- 15:45pm Travel by walking to Hard Rock Café, Piccadilly Circus (W1J 9HR) (//chip.hurry.racing)
- 16:45pm Hard Rock Café for dinner
- 18:30pm Walk to Apollo Victoria Theatre (SW1V 1LG) (///images.ending.vision)
- 19:30pm Watch 'Wicked'
- 22:15pm Travel to Generator London by **tube** and walking: Victoria line (north) from Victoria to Euston, walk to Generator London
- 23:15pm Bedtime

#### Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December 2023

- 07:30am Wake up and pack
- 08:00am Breakfast
- 09:30am Travel by walking to the National Theatre (SE1 9PX) (///probe.gates.lovely)
- 11:00am Tour of the National Theatre
- 12:45pm Travel by walking to Covent Garden (WC2E 8BU)(///native.crew.spoon)
- 13:00pm Lunch/free time in Covent Garden
- 13:45pm Travel by walking to Generator London
- 14:15pm Collect Luggage from Generator London and travel by walking to St Pancras Station
- 14:30pm Arrive at St Pancras Station
- 15:02pm Train to Chesterfield (East Midlands Railway)
- 16:47pm Arrive at Chesterfield Station

## Kit List

There is a suggested kit list for students to ensure they have everything they need on the trip. This includes money in order to purchase lunch on Friday and our evening tube journey on Thursday (it is cheaper and more effective for students to pay for these individually using contactless/Oyster card than purchasing travel cards). Whilst we have only planned to use the tube once during the trip, if the weather becomes too inclement, the use of the tube may increase for student comfort and this will need to be paid for on the day. There will be also be allocated free time within The Victoria and Albert Museum, Theatre and Covent Garden where they may wish to purchase gifts or treats. Please note that students must remain in groups of at least three during this time.

Students will be able to leave their overnight things at the hostel on arrival in London on Thursday and we will collect them on the way back to the station on Friday. It is therefore essential that these things are in a bag that can be fully closed and secured.

- Comfortable shoes and socks as there will be lots of walking!
- A warm top layer/coat/umbrella/hat/gloves suitable for the weather forecast and comfort
- Small day bag that can be zipped/closed for your daily needs (purse, lunch, water bottle etc).
- Purse/wallet and money
- Packed lunch (Thursday)
- Clothing suitable for a movement workshop (Friday) – joggers/leggings, loose top
- Overnight requirements –toiletries, Pyjamas, underwear etc. Towels are provided by the accommodation.

## Emergency Contact

Whilst in on the trip, myself and Mrs Ashley will both have school mobiles for emergencies. The numbers for your reference are:

- **Mrs Carter**      07824 709183
- **Mrs Ashley**    07713 711395

We also advise students to download the “What.Three.Words” app in the unlikely situation where they get lost, students will be able to provide staff with an exact location to be found. The references for our planned locations are included in the itinerary.

Whilst you have already provided key medical and emergency contact information on ParentPay, I would also ask that you complete the paracetamol consent portion of the attached form. If you have identified your child as requiring medications, please complete the type and dosage part of the form also.

Students will be provided with a hard copy of the itinerary and emergency contacts at the start of the trip. If you have any further questions, please feel free to contact me at school on 01246 568115 or via email to [a.carter@brookfieldcs.org.uk](mailto:a.carter@brookfieldcs.org.uk)

Yours faithfully

*A Carter*

Mrs A Carter  
Teacher of Dance

Enc: Paracetamol consent form