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**FARINGDON**  
COMMUNITY COLLEGE

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Dear Parent/Guardian,

As our GCSE students are studying Shakespeare in preparation for their English Literature GCSE exam, we have arranged for a theatre company to perform a production of Macbeth at school on the morning of **Thursday 23 January**. We feel it would greatly benefit the students to watch the play as part of their revision, particularly as disruption to lessons will be minimalised as a result of the production taking place in the school hall and students, therefore, not losing additional lesson time having to travel to and from a venue.

We have worked hard to keep costs as minimal as possible and are simply asking for a contribution of just **£6** to cover the visiting theatre company's costs. This will enable the English Department to spend their budget on other materials needed to support your child through school, whilst still providing invaluable experiences and learning opportunities for your children. Unfortunately, if we cannot cover the theatre company's costs, we will have to cancel the production.

**PLEASE DO NOT SEND ANY MONEY NOW AS PAYMENT WILL BE MADE THROUGH YOUR PARENTPAY ACCOUNT. YOU WILL BE NOTIFIED WHEN TO DO THIS. PLEASE ENSURE YOU ARE REGISTERED WITH PARENTPAY AND YOUR DETAILS ARE UP TO DATE.**

**Voluntary contributions will be sought from parents in support of activities for which the school has to pay. However, there is no legal obligation on parents to contribute and children will be treated the same whether or not parents are able or choose not to contribute. However, if not enough contributions are made, the activity may have to be cancelled.**

Financial assistance may be available if you are in financial hardship and by special arrangement with the school.

If you would like to clarify anything or request more information, please feel free to contact me directly at [JAAdams@fcc.cambrianlt.org](mailto:JAAdams@fcc.cambrianlt.org)

Many thanks  
Mr. J Adams



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