



BROOKVALE GROBY LEARNING CAMPUS

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Dear Parent/Carer

Year 7 Theatre visit to watch *The Tempest* at The Globe on Monday 27th March 2023.

As part of our Year 7 English curriculum, our students will be studying the text *The Tempest* by William Shakespeare in the January half term. We have been lucky enough to purchase subsidised standing tickets to experience an electrifying 90-minute production of ***Playing Shakespeare with Deutsche Bank: The Tempest in the Globe Theatre***. This performance has been created especially for young people; it's the perfect introduction to Shakespeare for everyone. Further information can be found by visiting: <https://www.shakespearesglobe.com/whats-on/playing-shakespeare-with-deutsche-bank-the-tempest/#playing-shakespeare-with-deutsche-bank>

This opportunity is open to **Year 7 students** only and places are strictly limited to **50 students**. There is a charge for this trip of **£38.00** to cover the tickets, a lively action workshop, tour of The Globe and coach travel. Subsidised places are available for students in receipt of Pupil Premium, and the reduced cost will be reflected on Arbor.

To secure a place for child (subject to availability), please pay a deposit of **£10** on Arbor. The item can be found under the 'Activities' heading 'Trips', by **Sunday 8th January 2023**. The remaining balance will be due by the end of February.

Please note that **the 90 minute performance will be standing** which will give the students the added experience of being a "groundling" for the afternoon. We will also be exposed to the elements, so make sure your child has the appropriate attire for the day. Your child will find it not only an enjoyable but valuable learning tool to support their study of the text, and of their future Shakespearean study going forward. After dealing with Covid restrictions since March 2020, we hope this will be an educational, enjoyable and cultural experience for everyone.

This is a **full-day theatre trip to London** which will run as follows (exact timings subject to change):

8.15am: Leave campus - *Students should arrive at school before this time, and in full uniform.*

11.30am: Lively Action session including a tour of The Globe

1pm: Lunch/visit the shop - *Please provide your child with a packed lunch (school will provide a packed lunch for those who are entitled to free school meals)*

2pm: The Tempest performance

3.30/3.45pm: Leave The Globe

6.30pm (approximate): Arrive back at campus. Due to the expected return time, please make alternative arrangements for your child to get home if they would normally use school transport.

If you have any questions please contact Miss Lizzie Malloy: lmalloy@brookvalegroby.com

Kind regards

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