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20th May 2022

Dear Parent/Carer

KS5 English trip to the Quays Theatre, Salford

Trip: *Othello* at the Quays Theatre, Salford – 16th November 2022

Trip leader: Mr T Hollins

We have been fortunate enough to secure a limited amount of tickets to see a performance of *Othello*, which is one of our set texts for A-Level English Literature. We believe that watching this performance would enhance your child's understanding and appreciation of the play. This particular production is Frantic Assembly's multi award-winning production.

The trip will take place on the evening of **Wednesday 16th November**. We will be leaving school at 9am to arrive at the Quays Theatre in time for the performance to commence at 13:30pm. We anticipate the time of return as 17:30pm, though we will ask students to contact you once we have a stronger idea of return time.

The total cost for the trip is £27 to be paid by ParentPay* and this includes the ticket and the transport. The deadline for payment for our current Year 12 students is 24th June 2022.

The law currently does not allow us to make a charge for this category of trip, although we may ask for voluntary contributions. No student may be excluded from the excursion because of an inability to pay a financial contribution. However, unless the voluntary financial contributions cover the cost of the excursion, the visit may not take place. If you would like your child to attend, but are unable to make a financial contribution, please contact Mr Hollins - hollins@qegs.email. If you have problems making payment via ParentPay, you should contact finance@qegs.email as soon as possible.

*by clicking the "consent" button on ParentPay to confirm the payment detailed above, you are also confirming that the emergency contact and medical details we have on our system are correct for your child. Please inform me as a matter of urgency should there be any changes to the details we hold.

Yours faithfully

Mr T Hollins
English Department