

February 2016

Dear Parent / Guardian

RE: English Department visit to see a production of: *Of Mice and Men*

Following the success of the trip to see a production of *An Inspector Calls* in December, we have been fortunate enough to have secured tickets to see a play adaptation of '*Of Mice and Men*' at the Cambridge Arts Theatre on Wednesday, 13th April 2016.

Of Mice and Men is one of the set texts that all of our students are studying for GCSE English Literature. We believe that the opportunity to see this text adapted for the stage will not only enhance students' understanding of the novel, but also allow them to enjoy a rich, cultural experience.

The performance time is 2.30pm; we will travel to Cambridge by coach, leaving school promptly at 12.00pm and returning at approximately 7.00pm. Students should be in full school uniform and will need to bring a packed lunch. If your son/daughter is entitled to a free school meal, please indicate this so that we can accommodate.

The cost of the trip, including travel, will be £26.50. Tickets will be offered on a first come, first served basis, as seats are limited. If your son/daughter would like to participate in this trip, please return the slip below, along with the completed medical consent form and full payment to the school trip box by Monday 22nd February 2016. Cheques are payable to Springwood High School Academy Trust. If paying with cash this must be the exact amount. Students will not be allowed to attend if payment is not received by the due date.

We thoroughly enjoyed taking the students to see *An Inspector Calls*; we hope that they appreciated the experience as well, and will therefore take advantage of this latest opportunity.

Yours sincerely,



Mrs L Clark
Head of English

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Please return this to the trip box before Monday 22nd February 2016.

**'Of Mice and Men'
Wednesday 13th April 2016**

Student Name _____ Form _____

I enclose £26.50 Cash/Cheques
Cheques are payable to Springwood High School Academy Trust

Signed _____