



# Great Marlow School

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Dear Parent/Carer

**RE: 'Othello' Frantic Assembly Year 12 and 13 Drama Students**

I am writing to invite your child to the production of Othello at The Lyric Theatre Hammersmith on Wednesday 1st February. This is an exciting opportunity to see a professional performance that has an amazing cast and demonstrates many of the elements that are used in the Drama course. Furthermore, the students will be required to write about this production for their final Theatre Exam in the summer (Year 13) and Devising Portfolio (Year 12).

We are asking for a voluntary contribution of £17 for the theatre ticket. There is no obligation to contribute; students will not be disadvantaged if they are not able to. However, the trip may not be able to go ahead without sufficient contributions. Students are also being asked to cover the cost of the train ticket to and from the theatre – as they can often get this at a cheaper rate than we can. Please don't hesitate to contact me if there are any difficulties with covering this. To make payment please log on to WisePay. **The deadline for payment is 3<sup>rd</sup> October.**

The performance begins at 1:30pm. Details of the approximate finishing time will be provided nearer the time. Expectation of usual standards of good behaviour is required from the students throughout the day, especially during the performance, as students will be encouraged to following theatre etiquette.

Students must wear their normal school uniform on the trip, as they will still be expected to attend their morning lessons and there will be little time for them to change into their own clothes. Additionally, students will be expected to catch up on any worked missed during this visit. The trip aims to be inclusive of all students, regardless of any special educational, medical or other need.

Students will be asked to make their own way to and from Marlow train station. [Marlow Train Station | Train Times | GWR](#). I will meet the students outside the front of the station at 10:45am. Students will need to bring a packed lunch and plenty of water for the day.

Yours faithfully

**Mrs D Chenery**  
**Head of Drama**