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Dear Parent/Carer

RE: TIE Production- I Love You, Mum

The Drama Department are excited to announce that TIE It Up Theatre will be visiting Great Marlow on 19th February to perform their production of Mark Wheeller's I Love You, Mum – I Promise I Won't Die, to Year 10, 11 and 13 Drama students. This is an exciting opportunity for the students 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 in their devising portfolio (Year 10) and live theatre exam (Year 11), which they will complete in the new year. The students will be off timetable periods 4 and 5 and will be expected to catch up on any work missed from their other lessons.

I decided to invite the theatre company into school rather than organise a visit to a theatre to keep the cost of the experience down. We are asking for a voluntary contribution of £12 from the students. This payment is purely at your discretion, but has been requested as the learning experience has been paid from the Drama Department's budget and the donation would be greatly appreciated. There is no obligation to contribute; students will not be disadvantaged if they are not able to. 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 27**th **November.**

Yours faithfully

Mrs D Chenery Head of Drama