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Hannah Rowlands: Headteacher

Dear Parent/Carer,

### **Mary Poppins Theatre Trip**

We have the exciting opportunity to take students involved in this year's School Production, to see a live professional performance of Mary Poppins at Bristol Hippodrome. This will be an evening, Extra Curricular performance, on Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> November 2024. We will leave The Dean Academy at approximately 5:00pm and hope to return by approximately 11:00pm. Further details will follow. Attendance at school the following day is fully expected, and students will also be expected to be on time for registration at 8:45am. The cost of tickets to this event is £28.50 and included in the price for students is, travel to and from Bristol by coach and a ticket to the Mary Poppins performance.

This is an opportunity for students to see how they may develop their character or role in the performance in a way that reflects the original Director's intentions. It's also an important opportunity for us as a faculty to recognise the hard work that students put into being part of our whole school performance, and to enjoy an extracurricular activity as a cast. We would like all students to attend this trip due to the benefits of experiencing live theatre and performance, and the way this experience can be included in their component 1, and 3 coursework if they are also Year 10 or 11 students.

If you would like your child to attend this trip, please could you make payment on ParentPay as soon as possible, as well as completing the online consent for your child to attend. Payment will be open until Friday the 27<sup>th</sup> of September 2024, after this, tickets will only be available if we are able to acquire any additional from the theatre.

Yours sincerely,

**Kathryn Rodway**  
Head of Performance

