

Our Ref: JH/JR
12th September 2022

Dear Parent/Carer

Lowry Theatre Blood Brothers Musical- 18th October 2022

The English Department is giving your child a superb opportunity to learn about Willy Russell. They will be able to see a performance of 'Blood Brothers' at the Lowry Theatre in Manchester. Willy Russell's plays are studied in Year 9 in English lessons. As numbers are likely to be high, therefore, a quick response is advised as numbers will be limited.

The performance will take place on **Tuesday, 18th October 2022 at the Lowry Theatre Manchester**. We will be departing Blessed by hired coach at **5:45pm** and returning at approximately at **11:30pm**. Please ensure transport arrangements are made to collect your child.

The cost of the trip is subsidised by school; a voluntary contribution of **£25** per person is requested which includes the cost of transportation and the performance. Please note there is no obligation to contribute, and pupils will not be treated differently whether a contribution has been made or not. However, the event may not take place unless a substantial majority of contributions are received. Charges are in-line with the school's Charging and Remission Policy which offers financial support in some instances. The policy is available from the school website or by contacting finance at 01282 506200.

If you wish to contribute, payments can be made via the school's online payment system by **Friday, 30th September 2022**. The online payment system can be accessed on www.scopay.com/blessedtrinityrccollege. If you have difficulty accessing, are unable to use the payment system or if you require log-in details, please contact the school office via email (accounts@btrcc.lancs.sch.uk).

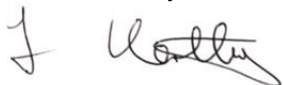
If you wish for your child to attend, please complete and sign the following documentation and return to Pupil Reception **no later than Friday, 30th September 2022**.

- Consent Form
- Medical Form 3A
- Code of Conduct Reply Slip

I would like your child to be aware of the need for good behaviour while on this visit. Mobile phones are not to be used or switched on nor is food or drink to be consumed during the performance. Pupils are not expected to wear school uniform and should dress appropriately for the evening.

I hope you will be able to support your child's work in this way. If you have any further queries regarding this performance, please do not hesitate to contact school.

Yours faithfully



Mr. J. Hartley
Head of English

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**‘Blood Brothers Musical-Lowry Theatre-Manchester 2022’
CONSENT FORM**

Please return these documents to Pupil Reception no later than **Friday, 30th September 2022**

Name of Pupil: Form:

- I give permission for my child to attend the Blood Brothers Musical-Manchester– **18th October 2022**.
- I acknowledge the receipt of this letter and have attached the completed Medical Form and the School Code of Conduct form. I have discussed the code of conduct with my child.
- I understand that I am responsible for making arrangements for my child to be collected from Blessed Trinity at 11:30pm, Tuesday, 18th October.

Photography and Video Parental Consent: Please read the following conditions thoroughly and provide your consent as appropriate by ticking either ‘Yes’ or ‘No’ for each criteria. The school will **only** publish images and videos of your child for the conditions that you provide consent for in the current academic year 2022/2023.

I provide consent to:	YES	NO
Using images of my child on the school website.		
Using videos of my child on the school website.		
Using images of my child on social media (Twitter).		
Using videos of my child on social media, including (Twitter)		
The local media using images of my child to publicise school events and activities (only including the organisations outlined above).		
The local media using videos of my child to publicise school events and activities (only including the organisations outlined above).		
Using images of my child in marketing material, e.g. the school brochure and prospectus.		
Using images of my child in marketing material, e.g. the school brochure and prospectus. This includes Name, Class and UPN Number .		

- In line with the school’s Charging and Remissions Policy, I would like further information on financial assistance that may be available.

Signed: (Parent) Date:

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To: Parents of pupils attending the Blood Brothers Lowry Theatre Manchester visit

CODE OF CONDUCT FOR SCHOOL TRIPS

Your son/daughter will shortly be participating in a school trip. Please read this letter, discuss it with your son/daughter and sign and return the attached slip. It intends to clarify the school's expectations of good behaviour on trips.

The legal position of supervising teachers puts them 'in loco parentis' (in the place of a parent). The teacher must behave as a 'reasonable' parent to ensure the safety of the pupils in his or her care. The law permits (through the 1944 Education Act) that reasonable school rules can be enforced to establish social behaviour in an ordered environment both on the school premises and on authorised school activities elsewhere. Teachers can therefore insist on good conduct throughout a trip, and will take reasonable measures to stop any misbehaviour that threatens the safety and/or enjoyment of others. One of the educational aims of any trip is to give pupils experience of developing self-discipline and consideration for others in a socially acceptable way. A successful trip is enjoyed by all and should not involve the supervisors having to constantly reprimand pupils for poor behaviour.

If serious incidents of misbehaviour occur on a trip, the visit leader will decide how best to deal with pupils on the spot to prevent a repetition. In extreme cases, this will include the pupil being returned home early. On return, parents and the Headteacher will be fully informed by the visit leader about the incident and an appropriate punitive action could ensue. It could be that the pupil will be barred from any further trips. As a guide, the following misdemeanours can be regarded as serious:

- any action that puts themselves or others in physical or moral danger as a consequence of disobeying clear instructions
- any smoking or purchase of cigarettes
- any alcohol consumption or purchase
- acts of deliberate damage
- thefts (or any criminal offence)
- ill-mannered behaviour; un co-operative in attitude
- a persistent inability to do what is asked or to keep to arrangements (time-keeping etc.)
- illegal activity

Thank you for your co-operation.



Mr J Harley
Head of English

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Reply Slip: Please return to pupil reception with medical form and consent form.

CODE OF CONDUCT FOR SCHOOL TRIPS

Trip to: Blood Brothers-Lowry Theatre Manchester (18th October 2022)

I/We have read the letter regarding the Code of Conduct for School Trips and have discussed it with my/our son/daughter. I/We understand the position of teaching staff 'in loco parentis'.

Signature of Pupil: Form:

Print Name of Pupil: Date:

Signature of Parent:

Print Name of Parent: Date:

**Parental/Carer Consent and Medical Information Form
for Type A Educational/Off-Site Visits**

(This form is to be completed in full by the parent/carers and returned to the School/ Service)

Details of Visit:

Visit to: Blood Brothers Musical Lowry Theatre Manchester

Alternative Activity (Plan B): No Alternative.....

From: Tuesday, 18th October 2022 1545-2330 (date/time)

Child's name: Date of Birth: Form/class:

I agree to my son/daughter/ward taking part in the above stated visit/activity and having read the information sheet, agree to his/her participation in any or all of the activities described. I acknowledge the need for good conduct and responsible behaviour on his/her part and that the school/service reserves the right to prevent my son/daughter/ward taking part in the visit/activity in the case of poor behaviour. Further, I understand that there would be no entitlement to a refund of monies paid. I agree that I will update the school/service with any medical information or changes to emergency contact details.

Emergency Details:

a) I may be contacted by telephoning the following telephone number(s):

Home: (.....) Work: (.....)

Mobile Telephone no:

Name & Address:

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b) Please state an alternative contact point: - Telephone number: (.....).....

Name & Address of Contact:

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Other Information:

Please supply any additional information that you wish the Visit Leader to be aware of (e.g. medical conditions, allergies, recent illness, special requirements etc) which may affect him /her in this visit:

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Declaration by Parent/Carer:

- In the case of an emergency I agree to my child being given any medical, surgical or dental treatment, including general anaesthetic and blood transfusion, as considered necessary by the medical authorities present.
- I have read the attached information provided about the proposed visit and the insurance arrangements.
- I consent to my child taking part in the visit and, having read the information sheet, declare my child to be in good health and physically able to participate in any activities mentioned; subject to any agreed adjustments.
- I have noted where and when the children are to be returned and I understand that I am responsible for my child getting home safely from that place.
- I will ensure that any change in the circumstances (e.g. recent illness, medication or injury) which will affect my child's participation in the visit will be notified to the School/Service prior to the visit.

Signature of Parent/Carer **Date**.....

(N.B. Parental/Carer consent required for children aged 17 and under)

Name of parent/carers in block letters:

Address:

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Note: This Completed Form to be returned to the School/Service.

In the case of the participant being 18 years of age and above, the form must also be signed by them to confirm the accuracy of information, and consent to any necessary medical treatment.