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Dear Parent/Carer

Macbeth – Ely Cineworld Cinema – Wednesday 18th March 2020

For our next PLEDGES day, we have the exciting opportunity of hiring Ely Cineworld Cinema for a private viewing of the 2015 film of 'Macbeth'. As I am sure you are aware, your child is studying this play for their Literature GCSE paper one examination, and we are pleased to be able to offer this opportunity to watch the film in its entirety in the cinema setting.

In order for this visit to take place, we ask you to make a total contribution of the full cost of £4.

Although such contribution is voluntary, in reality, we have no alternative source of funding. If sufficient contributions are not received to make the visit financially viable, it will be cancelled, and all contributions will be refunded. In cases of financial hardship, any requests for the contribution to be waived will be treated sympathetically; please contact the Principal in writing. If you qualify for Pupil Premium Grant support and are still in receipt of free school meals and would like to apply to access some of this funding towards this trip, then please tick the relevant box on the reply slip. As these are educational visits and are taking place in school hours, we are not permitted by law (Education Act 1996) to exclude from such a visit a student of parents choosing not to contribute to the cost. Payment will need to be received by Friday 6th March please.

The trip will take place during the school day. We will be leaving college at 10.00 am on foot and will be returning between 12.30 pm and 1.00 pm. Students will continue the rest of the school day as usual.

Please be aware that this film is rated as suitable for audiences of 15 and older; there are some adult themes touched on in this interpretation of the play.

There will be an opportunity to pre-order popcorn and a drink to enjoy during the film. This is not compulsory and will be available for an additional cost of £3. Popcorn will not be available to buy on the day. This will need to be pre-ordered when paying for the trip.

For more information, please contact: hclark-hope@elycollege.co.uk

Yours faithfully

Mrs H Clark-Hope
Subject Leader English



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To: Finance Office – Macbeth Pledges Day – Mrs Clark-Hope

I confirm that _____ will be attending the trip to see the Macbeth at Ely Cinema on 18th March 2020.

- I have paid £4.00 online via WisePay for the cinema screening only
- I enclose cash or a cheque for £4 made payable to 'Ely College' for the cinema screening only
- My child is eligible for Pupil Premium grant support, is still in receipt of free school meals and I would like to apply to access some of this funding towards the trip
- I have paid £7.00 online via WisePay for the cinema screening only plus a drink and popcorn.
- I enclose cash or a cheque for £7 made payable to 'Ely College' for the cinema screening plus a drink and popcorn

Parent/Carer signed _____

Print name _____ Date _____