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**Dear Parents and Carers** 

## Re: Metamorphosis theatre performance

I would like to offer your child the opportunity to watch the evening performance of Frantic Assembly's *Metamorphosis* at the Mercury Theatre, Colchester. The date of this trip is **Tuesday 7 November 2023**.

The visit will give them a live theatre experience which they can use for Section B of the written exam, worth 40% of the GCSE Drama course. The itinerary is as follows:

- 5.00pm Travel to Colchester, Mercury Theatre by coach
- 7.30pm Watch Metamorphosis
- 9.30pm Travel back school
- 10.15pm Approximate arrival at St Martin's school

The cost of the trip will be £28 and is non-refundable. Students will not need to bring money with them unless they wish to purchase a programme or refreshments in the interval.

I will be leading the trip and will also be accompanied by three other colleagues.

If your son or daughter is in receipt of pupil premium funding and you wish to find out what assistance may be available to you please contact pp@st-martins.essex.sch.uk

Please be aware that if your son or daughter has an out-of-date medical Health Care Plan, they will be unable to attend this visit. Please contact our School Nurse, Mrs Sayers-Lintott, email address: <a href="mailto:schoolnurse@st-martins.essex.sch.uk">schoolnurse@st-martins.essex.sch.uk</a>, with the updated plan well in advance of the trip.

If you are interested in your child participating, please complete the attached consent form with full medical information and dietary requirements included. Please return the consent form to the Finance Office and make payment by **Friday 6 October**.

If you have any further queries, please do not hesitate to contact me at the school; <a href="mailto:lwilkinson@st-martins.essex.sch.uk">lwilkinson@st-martins.essex.sch.uk</a>.

Yours sincerely

Mrs L Wilkinson

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