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Dear Parents and Carers

Re: A-level Music trip to see the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra at Cadogan Hall

As an A-level Music student, I would like to offer your child the opportunity to take part in a trip to see the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra perform at Cadogan Hall, London. The date of this trip is Wednesday 13 October, with the concert beginning at 7.30pm.

The cost of the ticket will be £6, which should be paid via ParentPay, no later than Wednesday 15 September. We will take a return train to Sloane Square Underground Station; the ticket price does not cover travel, and students will be responsible for purchasing their own train tickets. We will meet at Shenfield Station at 5.00pm, by which time students should have already purchased their train ticket, and we expect to return to Shenfield by 10.30pm. Please note that this £6 is non-refundable if your son or daughter becomes unable to attend closer to the time.

It is not compulsory for students to take part in the visit, however I must emphasise how invaluable this educational experience will be for them, directly related to their A-level study of The Western Classical Tradition.

I will be leading the trip accompanied by Mr Bates. There is capacity for every A-level Music student to attend, though it is important to note that should the payment deadline be missed your child's place on the trip may be in jeopardy.

If you are interested in your child participating, please fill in the attached consent form with full medical information and dietary requirements included. Please return the consent form to the finance office by Wednesday 15 September, the same day payment is due.

If you have any further queries, please do not hesitate to contact me at the school on 01277 238353 or mharris@st-martins.essex.sch.uk.

Yours sincerely

Mr M Harris *Head of Music*

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