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Dear Parent/Carer

As part of the GCSE English Literature course, students in year 11 are studying John Steinbeck's *Of Mice and Men*. To support their studies, we will be running a trip to see a National Theatre Live screening of *Of Mice and Men*, originally performed on Broadway, on **Monday 23rd November 2015** at the **Chequer Mead theatre**. Theatre performances are a valuable way to bring literary texts to life for students and allow them to enjoy alternative interpretations of these texts. This will also be a timely opportunity for students to revisit the text and prepare for their English Literature mock exam at the end of November.

Students should **meet in the foyer area of the theatre** to register and collect their tickets **no later than 6.30pm**. Students will need to be collected from the same place at 9.45pm. Students **must** sign out with their group leader before they leave.

Students are allowed to bring money along with them to purchase programmes etc, but it must be no more than £20. Students are permitted to wear their own clothes but are reminded that they are visiting a theatre and must dress accordingly.

Insurance for all school trips is arranged through West Sussex County Council. Full details of the policy can be found on our website at http://www.sackville.w-sussex.sch.uk/?page_id=26728.

The cost of the visit is £9. **Payment should be made online**; alternatively you may pay by cheque payable to Sackville School. Full payment must be received by **Thursday 19th November** at the latest. If you are unsure about being able to meet the cost of the trip, please let us know and we can try to find a suitable arrangement.

We will use the emergency contact details we have on our database for your child for this trip. If the contact details will be different at the time of this trip, please fill in the details on the attached slip.

Please complete and return the attached permission slip as soon as possible if you wish your child to take part in this trip.

Yours sincerely

Miss R Williams
English Teacher



To: Miss R Williams

I give permission for my child (name) (form)..... to attend the **English Literature *Of Mice and Men* theatre screening trip on Monday 23rd November.**

I have paid £9 online

I enclose a cheque for £9

Emergency contact telephone number

Emergency contact name (please print)

Signed..... Parent/Carer