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Dear Parent/Carer

GCSE English Masterclass

It is our great pleasure to invite you and your son/daughter to a masterclass on the romantic language in 'Romeo and Juliet' on Wednesday 14th March between 6pm and 7pm in the school theatre. 'Romeo and Juliet' is one of the texts that your son/daughter is studying as part of their English Literature course. We would like as many students and parents to attend as possible. Parents and students who attended the previous masterclasses on Dickens' 'A Christmas Carol', and the poem 'Tissue', fed back that they were extremely useful and interesting sessions, and we really would like this up-coming session to be even more successful.

In putting on these master classes, we recognise how many parents often want to support their children with their revision but sometimes find it difficult to do so if they do not have knowledge of the texts themselves. We hope to encourage as many parents to attend this masterclass as possible so that you can assist with your child's revision at home. We also hope you will enjoy the opportunity to come along and learn more about '*Romeo and Juliet'*.

The masterclass will be run by Miss Mundy, the Head of English and Whole School Literacy Coordinator. We have a provisional date for one final revision session this year on J.B Priestley's 'An Inspector Calls' delivered by Mr Hetherington, Lead Practitioner for English, on **Thursday 19th April** from 6pm to 7pm.

To give us an idea of numbers for the upcoming masterclass on '*Romeo and Juliet*', we would appreciate it if you could email or telephone the school with details of how many people we should expect. Doors will be open from 5.45 pm. Many thanks in advance for supporting this event. We very much look forward to welcoming you.

Yours faithfully

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