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Dear Parent and Carers,

RE: *Hansel and Gretel* at the Royal Opera House (London) - Tuesday 19th December 2023

Earlier this year, we applied for tickets to attend a Schools' Matinee Performance of *Hansel and Gretel* at the Royal Opera House in London. We were delighted to hear that our application was successful and we have 20 children's tickets for the performance. In addition to this we were awarded a travel grant to put towards the cost of transport to London which has significantly reduced the cost of travel.

We have been working closely with The Children's University to organise the visit to London and we plan to include as much sightseeing as possible, as well as seeing the opera itself. We will be travelling by train to London leaving early in the morning (around 6:30am) and arriving back into Hull around 9:00pm (these times will be confirmed nearer to the date).

The total cost for each child will be £30. This cost includes the train tickets, tube tickets, an ice-cream during the performance and the ticket for the performance. The tickets for the performance at the Royal Opera House cost £7.50 each (normally tickets for the Royal Opera House can cost in excess of £100 each!).

The children will need to bring a packed lunch and packed tea. Joining us on the visit will be children and teachers from the other schools in Thrive Trust. There will be 3 adults from our school travelling with our children and 2 Children's University mentors. This means we will have a ratio of 1 adult to 4 children for the visit. The Children's University mentors have organised and run many visits to London and we are experienced in ensuring that the children have very safe and enjoyable visits to the capital city.

If you would like your child to attend **please complete [this application form](#) by Thursday 12th October.**

This visit is initially open to Year 5 children only and if we have more responses than tickets we will pick the children's names from a hat. If your child is chosen, we will inform you by **Monday 16th October.** We have other Royal Opera House tickets available later in the school year so if your child is not chosen on this occasion, they will have the opportunity to attend at a later date.



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We will be holding a meeting nearer to the date of the trip to share the itinerary for the day and give you an opportunity to ask any questions. However, please do come and ask us any questions you may have before then.

Please note: full payment must be made for this visit by Friday 1st December or the place will be offered to another child.

Yours sincerely,

Miss L Allen
Head of School