

St. Thomas More Catholic School, Palace Fields, Buxton, Derbyshire, SK17 6AF
12th September 2017

Dear Parent / Guardian,

Your son/daughter has now started their GCSE course and, as you are aware, they will be studying a Shakespeare text, poetry and a pre-nineteenth century novel for their exam.

We would like to give the students the opportunity to see as many performances of these texts as possible and we are very pleased to inform you that we have been able to book ManActco for the following dates:

- Friday 17th November 2017 - Performance poetry - 'Fighting For Words' (Y10&11 Sets 1-3)
- Monday 27th November 2017 - 'A Christmas Carol' (Y10&11 Sets 1-3)
- Tuesday 13th March 2018 - 'Macbeth' (Y11 Set 3 & Y9)
- Wednesday 21st March 2018 - 'Romeo and Juliet' (Y11 Sets 1&2).

We are also offering Year 9 the opportunity to attend the performance of 'Macbeth' as they will also be studying this play in their English lessons.

In view of the fact that there is no travel cost involved, this is an extremely economical way for the students to access these texts and improve their written responses.

I hope that you will be able to support the school in this opportunity. I have outlined a breakdown of the cost for each year group.

Year	Cost
9	£3.00
10 & 11	£6.00

Payment for the performances can be made through ParentPay – the event is listed as 'Shakespeare Performances'. If you have any issues regarding the payments, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely,



Mrs E Holder

