

18th November 2021

**Parents and Carers
Y11 Students**



**The Queen Elizabeth
Academy**

“We Can and We Will”

Dear Parent/Carer

A Christmas Carol, Albany Theatre, Coventry – Friday 17th December 2021

Spine-tingling yet gloriously festive, ‘A Christmas Carol’ is a haunting tale that encourages miserly Ebenezer Scrooge to seek redemption and compassion over the course of one ghostly Christmas night. With heart-warming merriment and Victorian charm, what more could an audience want from one of Charles Dickens’ most famous tales?

An exciting opportunity has arisen for the whole of Year 11 to watch a **theatrical performance** of ‘A Christmas Carol’ this half term. Your son or daughter has studied the text as part of their GCSE English Literature course and we hope that this production will support and enhance your child’s appreciation of the play further.

The visit will take place on the final day of term, Friday 17th December, at The Albany Theatre in Coventry. Students will view a morning performance of the production at 10.00am and will travel by coach, leaving school at 8.30am and returning at approximately 1.15pm. Students will be required to wear school uniform as they will be representing the school and for safeguarding reasons.

Thanks to our charity trust, we have been able to fund the cost of the travel expenses and so are kindly asking parents to contribute towards the price of the theatre ticket which is £9.50. We advise that students bring quiet snacks and/or some extra money should they wish to make any additional purchases.

For your child to take part in this trip, [please click here to complete our trip and medical form](#) and make payment via parentpay by Monday 29th November.

We would like all of our Y11 students to go on the trip, if you need support, please telephone via reception or email me via s.badham@tqea.org.uk to see how we can help you.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs Badham
Curriculum Leader of English