

Monday 8th February 2016.

Dear Parents,

Kestrel class and Puffin Class will be taking part in the school's drama festival "Headspace" in Scarborough at the Stephen Joseph Theatre. This has been part of our work with the outreach team from the theatre and will give the children a unique experience to take part in their own production at the theatre to an audience. The children will be performing their own composition that they put together for the Victorian Weekend and performed in church in December.

We will be spending part of the day at Stephen Joseph Theatre on Thursday 25th February to rehearse and work out our technical requirements with the technical team. The children will be out of school for most of the day **and will require a packed lunch**.

We will then return to the theatre on Wednesday 2nd March for our final rehearsal and there will be a performance at 2.00pm which you are welcome to come and watch. Tickets can be bought from the box office at Stephen Joseph Theatre or on their website via the following link:

<https://www.sjt.uk.com/whatson> and click on "Buy Tickets in the "Headspace" section.

It is anticipated that tickets will go fast as other schools will be performing too, so please go online and book them as soon as possible if you are thinking of coming. The performances will be finished by 3.30 pm, so if you are not coming to watch the performance, children will return to school by approximately 4.00pm. The children will be out of school all day **and will require a packed lunch**.

To meet the costs of transportation, we are asking for a voluntary contribution of £3.00 per child. The remainder of the cost will be met by school.

Please could you fill out the form below and return to school before half term on Friday 12th February. Please could you indicate on the form below to state whether your child will return on the bus, so that we know how many children will need transport back from the theatre. Please make sure you have secured tickets to the event before you return the form if you intend to watch

Kind Regards,

Mrs C. Barber
Headteacher

Name of child/ren _____

Class/es _____

I give permission for my child/ren to attend the drama festival at Stephen Joseph Theatre Yes/ No

I understand that my child will need a packed lunch on both days.

I enclose a voluntary contribution of £3 per child.

Signed: _____ Date: _____