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Dear Parent

Year 10 Poetry Live at Bradford: Wednesday 2 March 2022

To support the current English literature GCSE syllabus, I have arranged a visit to St George's Hall in Bradford on Wednesday, 2 March to take part in the 'GCSE Poetry Live' event. The trip will involve Year 10 and will last for the whole day.

Pupils will depart from school at 9.00am and it is estimated that we will return at 4.30pm; so you may need to make alternative transport arrangements. A packed lunch will be provided and pupils may want to take a small amount of extra money to purchase additional refreshments at the venue.

The cost of the trip will be £29 and this will be added to your school bill.

The Poetry Live event will support Year 10's current study of literature poetry and pupils will be able to listen to six of the poets they are currently studying. In addition to this, there will be a question and answer session with the poets and there will be a presentation from the chief examiner Tony Childs, who will offer invaluable information on how to write about poetry in the exam.

Full information about the event can be accessed through the website www.poetrylive.net. Meanwhile, if you require any additional information, or have any questions, please get in touch.

Kind regards

Colette Fryer
Head of English