



Dear Parents,

In preparation for a more challenging school production this year, we have arranged for the Year 6 children to take part in a workshop exploring the play. We have chosen one of Shakespeare's plays and feel that the children would benefit exploring the play with expert actors before creating their own performance. This workshop will also provide staff the opportunity to see how children respond to the drama and then to allocate roles appropriately to children.

On Tuesday 22nd May the children will work with two actors from the Shakespeare for Kids Company. They will learn about the play and how the characters interact. While they learn about the play, they will act out certain crucial scenes. We hope that the children will thoroughly enjoy the experience and will be able to use the skills and understanding they develop in the workshop in the final production in July.

The 1996 Education Act now requires us to ask you to contribute voluntarily to the cost of this visit rather than charge you directly for it and the contribution requested is **£10**. Please make payment through the online system www.parentpay.com

This workshop will take the place of a summer term trip.

Yours sincerely,

Ms Cooper

