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**Dear Parents and Carers** 

The English department at Stour Valley Community School would like to offer your child the opportunity to take part in a workshop with a theatre company, Sky Blue Theatre Company, on a Shakespeare play, Romeo and Juliet. This is one of the key texts we study during Year 9 and will provide the students with an excellent opportunity to understand the plot and characterization.

The theatre company will be working with the year group as a whole during periods 1 and 2. They will be given an opportunity to work with the actors on re-writing sections of the play as well as performing it.

Other details are as follows:

Date: Monday 17 March 2025

Cost: £8 per student.

Payments made as voluntary contributions need to be made through your ParentPay account. Unfortunately, if there are not enough contributions received, the theatre visit may have to be cancelled. **Payment is required via ParentPay by Wednesday 12 March.** If you are finding it difficult to make the payment but would like your child to participate in the workshop, please email the Finance Office at <u>finance@stourvalley.org</u> to discuss further.

We are expecting the usual high SVCS standards of behavior during the workshop and any student who fails to meet these expectations risks being removed and will be dealt with in line with the school's Behavior Policy.

Yours faithfully

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