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### Guys and Dolls – Music Department trip to see a West End Musical

Dear Parents and Carers,

I am writing to you regarding an exciting opportunity to watch a performance of a West End Musical, Guys and Dolls at the Bridge Theatre, London. The award-winning musical Guys and Dolls is arguably one of the greatest musicals of all time. It is said to have more hit songs, more laughs and more romance than any show ever written. Please find details of the trip below:

#### Details

<b>Location:</b>	Bridge Theatre, London
<b>Performance:</b>	Guys and Dolls
<b>Date:</b>	Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> July 2024
<b>Cost:</b>	£42.00

#### Schedule

Details	Timings	Venue
<b>Meet time</b>	09:15 a.m.	Corby Railway Station, Corby
<b>Depart Corby</b>	09:39 a.m.	Corby Railway Station
<b>Arrive London</b>	10:52 a.m.	Arrive St Pancras Station, London (Underground)
<b>Sightseeing / Lunch</b>	12:30 p.m.	Southbank, London
<b>Guys and Dolls</b>	14:30 p.m.	Bridge Theatre, London
<b>Depart Venue</b>	18:00 p.m.	Depart from the Bridge Theatre to St Pancras Station (Underground)
<b>Train from St Pancras</b>	19:15 p.m.	Depart St Pancras, London
<b>Arrive Corby Railway Station</b>	20:24 p.m.	Picked up from Corby Railway Station

Please note that we will be standing for the entire production in the Immersive Area. At no point will we be allowed to sit down in the production which lasts for approximately three hours. Please bear that in mind when booking onto this trip! This is a relatively new concept for musical theatre and it means at times we will be part of the action!

If you would like your child to be considered for the trip, please make the deposit payment of £22.00 via WisePay by Friday 17<sup>th</sup> May 2024. The final balance of £20.00 is due by Friday 21<sup>st</sup> June 2024. All payments must be made through WisePay by accessing the Trips module and selecting 'Guys and Dolls'. All monies are non-refundable should students no longer wish to attend unless we are able to fill the space from our waiting list.

Students will be supervised at all times. Please note students do not need to come to school on the morning of the trip. The meet and collection point will be at Corby Railway Station. There will be an opportunity to go for a short



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walk on the south side of the River Thames and also have a picnic outside the theatre. Students will therefore need to bring a packed lunch and snacks for the trip. There will possibly be an opportunity to visit a McDonalds restaurant close to the theatre if time permits. If your child is entitled to free school meals, we can provide this for them.

For students who are in receipt of free school meals we may be able to offer some additional financial support. Please follow the attached link below.

[Financial Support Request Form](#)

Students are not required to wear Academy uniform but we do ask that students do not wear inappropriate clothing during the day (i.e. crop/low cut tops or outfits with inappropriate slogans or images). Please ensure they have suitable footwear for walking and standing during the performance.

This trip is open to any students who display a passion for music and have demonstrated a level of commitment to the Music Department at Corby Business Academy over time. Exemplary behaviour is expected at all times and should a student's behaviour be seen as unsuitable before or during the trip, then their place on the visit may be revoked. No refund will be provided in these circumstances.

If you have any queries regarding the trip, please call on 01536 303120 or email;  
[clive.wears@corbybusinessacademy.org](mailto:clive.wears@corbybusinessacademy.org).

Yours sincerely

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