



November 2017

Dear Student/Parent/Guardian

**Year 12/13 trip to the Tate Modern - Thursday 23rd November 2017**

We are organising an inspirational arts trip to the Tate Modern in Bankside, London for twenty year 12 and 13 Art students. The work of many artists exhibited in the gallery is relevant to the work of our students. The visit will inspire and open their minds to new artists that they could consider for their exam project in January.

The visit will also give students the chance to see work in a different context. The area itself, being so close to the Thames and views of the City, will give students an opportunity for additional photography. Students will take photographs in Waterloo station and then spend the afternoon sketching on the embankment.

Students will need to bring a camera with them for the photography element of this trip. The students will need to come dressed in warm clothing which is also suitable for wet weather conditions. The students will be taken to a street food market for lunch so should bring enough money with them to cover this cost. (£5-10 recommended)

Students will travel from The Holt, leaving at 08.00am by coach, returning by 3.30pm. There will be a charge of £28 to cover the costs of this trip.

Please give your consent for this trip by making payment via WisePay; simply login to your WisePay account for details. If you need a reminder of your WisePay login please e-mail [j.gale@holt.wokingham.sch.uk](mailto:j.gale@holt.wokingham.sch.uk). In the event of difficulties using this system, please telephone Mrs Simmons, the School Finance Manager. In case of severe financial hardship please contact Ms Kate Royle, Assistant Headteacher, who would be happy to discuss this further and put you in touch with agencies that may be able to help.

Please ensure payment is with us by **Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> November 2017**.

This is a voluntary activity and we reserve the right to cancel should there be insufficient support. Should the trip be oversubscribed we will run a ballot and the students will be told via a notice whether they have been successful or not. Those unsuccessful will receive a full refund.

Thank you for your support.

Yours sincerely

Miss J Schotting  
Teacher of Art