

22<sup>nd</sup> November 2019

Dear Parent/Guardian

**Re: Years: 8, 9, 10, 12 & 13 - "Tough Love" Theatre Production  
Wednesday 27th November 2019**

We have been lucky enough to secure a visiting theatre group to perform on **Wednesday 27th November 2019**. The 'Tough Love' theatre production will last one hour and take place in the Main Hall. Students will be given full details re. their year groups allocated time slot early next week.

'Tough Love' is a hard-hitting Applied Theatre project that raises awareness around Coercive Control and Domestic Abuse in teenage intimate relationships. The play is followed by an actor facilitated post-show talk exploring the issues raised. It tells the story of 15-year-old Becka and her relationships with her violent and controlling boyfriend Danny. How they met, how they fell in love, how the control and violence started and how Becka eventually managed to get help.

The play has been seen by thousands of young people around the UK and has proven highly effective at raising awareness around coercive control and domestic abuse in teenage intimate relationships.

More information can be found at <http://www.alteregocreativesolutions.co.uk/tough-love>

Yours sincerely



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