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### Maple Class Trip and Performance Information 2017 – 18

Dear Parents,

I am delighted to inform you that I have confirmed with the egg theatre in Bath that Maple Class will be taking part in a performance opportunity later this year (probably during Term 4). More details will follow as soon as I have worked a few things out with colleagues at the egg theatre, however I can tell you that Maple Class will be:

- Receiving workshops from a professional actor / actress
- Practising a play (script and theme to be confirmed) in the egg and at school
- Putting on one evening performance of their play at the egg theatre for you to enjoy!

In order for this event to go ahead, we will be asking for your support and encouragement (monetary donations, help with learning lines & costume help) in due course. We will also be introducing the children to a very successful 'Grow a Pound' entrepreneurial venture in order to help raise funds for the class to enjoy this amazing experience. Your support for this will be greatly received. I will write with more information as soon as I can.

#### **School trip: Friday November 3<sup>rd</sup>**

To introduce the children to the staff at the egg and to show them exactly where they will be performing, we are going to go the egg ourselves to enjoy an amazing show! The performance is called 'Great Odds'. Its themes link with our topic, Respect4All, through its story line and how it is performed (e.g. use of sign language).

We will be travelling by coach and returning to school at normal pick up time.

The cost of the trip is £12.00. We will be getting into town between 11.30am and 12pm and enjoying lunch in town. Please make sure your child comes to school with a packed lunch. If your child is eligible for free school meals, please 1) let the school know if you would like our kitchen to prepare a packed lunch for your child and 2) remember that the funding for the theatre trip can be covered and please ask us if you would like this. We can only ask for voluntary contributions but will need to raise enough to go on the trip as school can't subsidise.

Please complete the permission form below and return to the school office by Friday 13<sup>th</sup> October.

With very best wishes

Sian.

#### **Maple Class Trip to 'Great Odds' Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> November**

I give permission for my child, \_\_\_\_\_ to attend the performance of 'Great Odds' at the egg theatre.

- I have paid via Parent/Pay
- I enclose cash/cheque
- My child will come to school with a snack, drinks bottle (water / squash please) and a packed lunch as well as an appropriate coat in case of bad weather.

Signed .....