

THE BUCKINGHAM SCHOOL

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Dear Parent / Carer,

Solomon Theatre in Education Performance 28th February 2024

The Soloman Theatre Company is a touring education company delivering appropriately engaging productions to students of all ages. They offer impacting performances and workshops that focus on hard hitting issues that are influencing young people in society today, such as drugs, alcohol, law, crime, gangs, relationships and sexual exploitation, as a way to communicate, educate and re-educate the severity to schools across the UK.

Students get to see realistic issues played out in front of them in 1-hour productions, followed by 1-hour workshops to give students clarity on the issues and subjects presented to them, so they can ask questions and know where to go to seek help.

We are delighted to inform you that the company will be visiting us on 28th February and performing for the whole of Year 9. They will be performing a production called 'Skin Deep'. The key messages that are brought to life by Skin Deep are:

- Violence, including protectionism and knife crime.
- Extremism and prejudice challenging thinking and developing understanding.
- Grooming and Exploitation how gangs function and the consequences of membership.

If you are worried about your child taking part in this please contact your child's Form Tutor.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs E Curtis Assistant Headteacher

The Buckingham School is concerned that every student should have the opportunity to attend school activities/obtain equipment, regardless of their financial circumstances. As such, it may be possible to subsidise those students who would otherwise be unable to attend trips/purchase items. Please feel free to write in confidence to finance@buckinghamschool.org, if you wish to seek assistance, or obtain more information about Pupil Premium funding.