



Backwell School

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Dear Parent/Carer

Year 8 and 9 Dance Clubs

As you may be aware, the Year 8 and Year 9 Dance Clubs will be taking part in The North Somerset Dance Festival at The Playhouse, Weston-Super-Mare, on **Tuesday 26 March 2019**.

The Playhouse performance will take place in the evening, with a rehearsal during the day. The students will travel by coach, departing from Backwell School at 11.00 am to attend the rehearsal. Students are required to bring a packed lunch and snacks, as well as plenty of fluids for the day.

Parent/carers are asked to pick students up from The Playhouse at 3.30 pm and return them for the performance at 6.00 pm. The performance will finish at approximately 9.00 pm and again we would ask you to collect your daughter at this time. To cover the cost of the transport to the Playhouse, we need to ask for a small contribution of **£4.50**.

If you would like your daughter to take part, please visit www.parentpay.com, the school's online cashless payment system by **Friday 8 March 2019**. Here you will give your consent for your daughter to take part in both the rehearsal and performance; agree to pick them up at the stated times; provide an emergency contact number and make a payment. If you have any problems accessing the service, please contact the Finance Team on 01275 465941.

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If you make arrangements for someone, other than yourself, to pick up your daughter from either the rehearsal or the performance, please email me with the details **before** Tuesday 26 March, at rlewis@backwellschool.net.

If your daughter is in receipt of free school meals, we will pay the cost of the transport from your personal allocation of Pupil Premium funding. In this instance, please complete the tear-off slip below and return it to the Finance office before **Friday 8 March 2019**.

Tickets are available for the evening performance from the Weston-Super-Mare Playhouse box office from Monday 18 February 2019 at a cost of £8.00 per ticket.

If you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

R Lewis
Teacher of Dance

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If your daughter is in receipt of free school meals, please return this slip to the Finance Office as before Friday 8 March 2019.

My daughter is in receipt of free school meals. I give permission for her to take part in the following Year 8 and Year 9 Dance Festival at the Weston Playhouse on Tuesday 26 March 2019.

- I agree that she may take part in the day time rehearsal and the evening performance.
- I agree to pick her up and drop her off at the Playhouse at the agreed times.

Please make payments on their behalf from my personal allocation of Pupil Premium funding.

Signed: _____ Date: _____
Parent/Carer