



Willingdon

COMMUNITY SCHOOL

Dear parent/carer,

We have secured tickets to see the opera Don Giovanni at Glyndebourne this Autumn. It is a fantastic opportunity to go to a professional venue of note and experience something different.

About the opera

“When a romantic situation goes wrong and leads to murder, Don Giovanni finds himself caught in a high-stakes game of cat-and-mouse, as both his sins and his pursuers finally threaten to catch up with him.

Mozart's psychological thriller exposes human instinct in all its messy urgency and tenderness. Breathless from its first moments to its fiery climax, the composer's taut and dramatic score revels in contrasts. Beauty collides with violence, wit with darkness – a tangled world in which nothing and no one is quite as it seems.

Smart, subversive and just a little bit playful, Mariame Clément's new staging gets under the skin of this classic opera and its elusive anti-hero, uncovering its tensions and deftly shifting perspectives.

This is opera to get the pulse racing, an exhilarating and unsettling drama about men, women and the human cost of a life lived outside the lines”

We will leave school at 10am on Wednesday 15th of November by coach and be back at school by 3pm at the latest.

The cost of this trip is £15.50 and is now live on ParentPay. This will be on a first come, first served basis.

Kind regards

V. Wilson
Head of Music