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Dear Parent or Guardian,

Upper Sixth English Literature Trip to the Bronte Parsonage at Haworth

This term our upper sixth English students are studying Emily Brontë's Wuthering Heights as part of our Love Through the Ages unit. To enhance the pupils' understanding of the text and its context, we have arranged a trip to the **Bronte Parsonage Museum** in Haworth on **Friday 19th November**. There will be two specialist talks and a tour given by the staff of the museum, along with time for students to explore the village of Haworth and the surrounding area that inspired Bronte's novel. Previous visits have shown it to be of immense educational value and we are pleased to be able to reinstate this opportunity after the restrictions of the last two years.

We will travel by coach and will leave at 8:30am, returning to school by 3.55pm for the end of the school day. Pupils will need to bring a packed lunch. Students will not need to wear school uniform for the trip, but should dress appropriately and bring a warm coat and sturdy footwear.

The total cost to students (subsidised by the school) will be **£20.00** to cover entrance to the museum, critical lectures and transport. This is payable via ParentPay. If you have any concerns about cost or any other aspect of the trip please contact me in confidence via <u>fearnleyb@ripongrammar.com</u>

Yours sincerely,

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