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Dear Parent/Carer

As part of Chace's commitment to learning and raising achievement, the Media Department is pleased to announce a trip to the 'MediaMagazine' Conference which is being held at Friends House, 173-177 Euston Road, London, NW1 2BJ – (directly opposite Euston Station) on Wednesday 6th December.

The conference will explore the ways Film and Media Studies respond to serious issues, real-world experiences of working in the media, and the many different pleasures the media offers audiences. With a focus on creativity, production skills, and the media industries, the conference will include presentations from the legendary film producer and Director of the National Film and Television School, Nik Powell; Tom Edge, BAFTA-nominated writer; a panel of young filmmakers and their routes into the industry, and a session of music videos and laughter with the very funny comedian, Adam Buxton.

The conference takes place between 10:15-3:30pm and students are asked to meet staff at Enfield Town station at 09.00am. We will travel by Overground and Underground to the venue returning to Enfield Town station at approximately 4:30pm.

Students will be representing Chace Community School and as such must exhibit high standards of behaviour at all times to ensure a safe and successful trip. The conference costs £20 and students must remember to bring travel costs/Oyster cards to cover the cost of the journey there and back. Under the terms of the 1988 Education Act, schools are only allowed to ask for voluntary payments towards extra-curricular activities. No student will be refused a place because they have not made this contribution, however, please contact the school in confidence if you are unable to meet the cost. If there are insufficient voluntary contributions then the visit cannot take place.

Your son/daughter should bring a packed lunch or money to purchase food. If your son/daughter is entitled to a free school meal and requires a school packed lunch, please can they inform me no later than two working days before the trip.

This is a brilliant opportunity to attend an entertaining, interactive and educational event that has been proven to raise achievement in final exams.

What to do next:

- Please complete the on line consent form, which you will find on the school website (Parents/Trips/Consent Form. Choose the correct trip from the drop down menu then complete form/submit)
- Once the consent form has been submitted the payment will then be added to your ParentPay account. Only once you have completed the on-line consent and made payment will your son/daughter be guaranteed a place on this trip.
- **Consent and Payment must be received by 1st November 2017.**

There are a limited number of tickets available, therefore attendance will be based on a first come first served basis.

Yours sincerely

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