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RE: The Show Must Go On

Dear Parent / Carer

I am writing to you today to explain some of the amazing pieces of theatre that have been made available for the public to watch, as we enter a second national lockdown.

During the course of this academic year, the YouTube channel '**The Show Must Go On**' has offered a wide variety of performances, completely free of charge for audiences to watch from the comfort of their own home. These performances have previously been offered on a weekly basis, being released on the Friday and remaining available for a total of 48 hours.

So far this academic year, we have had some amazing shows on offer:

- Phantom of the opera
- Michael Ball musical concert
- Alfie Boe musical concert
- The musical rendition of War of the Worlds
- The Wind in the Willows
- Midnight Tango

However, as we approach Christmas, 'The Show Must Go On' enters a **new season** of theatre, offering a slightly wider range of performances. Performances on offer range from West End Musicals to classical Shakespeare performances. Therefore, I would like to take this opportunity to provide you with links to this week's performances.

Sir Patrick Stewart's Macbeth (Available from Monday 16th November, 7pm for 1 week).

Preview Link – if you're not sure what to expect, why not take a sneak peek at the teaser video (it's just over a minute) - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MwnsuAWXltA>

Link to the performance - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3dalKG4ZiYg>

West End Unplugged Vol. 2 (Available from Friday 20th November, 7pm for only 48 hours). **Preview Link** – Why not take a sneak peek at the teaser video (it's just over a minute) - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ndm6BPjTcNE>

Link to the performance premier - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6G5yCtgYZOE>

Disney Cruise Line – A number of different productions have been made available free of charge, thanks to Disney Cruise Line.

- **Frozen, a musical spectacular** - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BgL3vp8bEK0&feature=youtu.be>
- **Tangled: The Musical** - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XFiQWzU5wSQ&feature=youtu.be>
- **Beauty and the Beast** - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ctEpg9Opnyk&feature=youtu.be>

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I hope you find this useful. We will aim to keep you updated on a weekly basis with the different performances that are available.

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