



Blackfen School for Girls

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Dear Parent/Carer,

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DISCOVER 2025 – Thursday 17th July 2024, Mamma Mia £36

As part of the Discover 2025 programme for KS3 students, your child has been selected to attend the trip to Mamma Mia on Thursday 17th July 2025.

Students are not required to wear school uniform for the trip, please ensure they are wearing clothes that are suitable for a practical dance/drama/singing workshop. If students decide to bring electrical items with them, the school will not take any responsibility if anything is lost or damaged during the trip.

Activities on the day

Students will have a 90-minute music and movement workshop with a cast member from Mamma Mia at 12pm. Following this, the students will have time to purchase and eat their lunch in Leicester square before taking their seats in the stalls of the theatre to enjoy the matinee performance Mamma Mia at 15.00.

Transport

Students will travel by train from Sidcup Station to London Charing Cross, they will then walk through Trafalgar and Leicester square to The Novello Theatre. The return journey will be the same but in reverse. **As the return journey will take place after 4.30pm, we are unable to secure free transport through TfL, therefore all students will require an Oyster/Zip card with at least £10 on it.**

Timings of the trip

Students are expected to meet school staff outside the **front entrance of Sidcup Train Station by 09.30am, the train will depart at 09.48am.** Students and staff will return to Sidcup Train Station by approximately 6.30pm and will be dismissed from there.

Cost of the trip

The cost of the visit will be **£36** which includes tickets to the matinee performance of Mamma Mia and the 90-minute music and movement workshop. **The deadline for payment is Thursday 1st May 2025.** Payments can be made in instalments by selecting the 'Pay my own amount' option on Wisepay. We are now a cashless school, so payments must therefore be made via Wisepay (our on-line payment portal). You can access our school payment system by:



Wisepay App for mobile phones - This is available for parents to download. Please note the Blackfen organisation code to download the App is 66447546. All this information can be found on our school website (blackfenschoolforgirls.co.uk).

What students are required to bring for the day:

- A packed lunch/snacks.
- **A bottle of water**
- Clothes/shoes suitable for walking/workshop (leggings/trainers/converse)
- Sun screen/hat
- A fully charged mobile phone that is capable of making calls (has credit)
- Money (if required for lunch and souvenirs)

Medication

Specific medical conditions will be advised to me as the trip leader prior to your child attending, however if you wish to discuss this further, please contact me on the school number 0208 303 1887.

Having read and understood all the information about this trip, and by paying the sum of £36 via Wisepay, you have agreed for your child to take part in all activities outlined. The school will continue to use all medical and contact information that you provided upon admission for this activity/trip if and where required.

If you have any queries in connection with this visit, please contact me as soon as possible.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs. N. Jarman
Subject Lead of Dance and Drama
Second in Charge, Expressive Arts Faculty.