

27 February 2018

Dear Parents

### **Junior 1 LAMDA Examinations in Verse & Prose**

During this second half term of Lent term and the first half of Trinity term, all of the children from Junior 1 will be studying the London Academy of Music and Dramatic Arts (LAMDA) syllabus for Introductory Stage 1 Level in their school drama lessons. This syllabus covers many National Curriculum requirements for English as well as offering the children the opportunity to take an accredited examination.

### **We will be visited by external examiners from LAMDA on Tuesday 12 June 2018.**

Please would you and your child discuss this opportunity to receive accreditation for their learning in drama. If they do not wish to take the examination they will still be following the same LAMDA curriculum in drama lessons and be expected to practise and rehearse their poem exactly the same as the children who are taking the exam. **However, entering into the exam will require support from home to learn and practise the poem regularly.** The cost of the examination is £25.00. Should your child wish to take the exam, this amount will be added to your next school invoice. Please would you complete the attached reply slip indicating your decision and return it to the school office by **Friday 16 March**.

**LAMDA have strict regulations with regards to the completion of entry forms and late entries will not be accepted by them; please make a note of the closing date. I cannot add additional entries once the deadline has passed.**

Your child will soon bring home their chosen poem to learn from memory. Please support your child to help them learn it by Thursday 15 March, when the children will be asked to practise and perform their poem to their class.

Further information will be given nearer the time but please let me know if, in the meantime, you have any further queries via email: [nicolawildey@crackleyhall.co.uk](mailto:nicolawildey@crackleyhall.co.uk).

Yours sincerely

Nicki Wildey  
Drama Teacher

**Junior 1 LAMDA Verse & Prose Examinations – Tuesday 12 June 2018**

***Replies to be returned no later than Friday 16 March***

Candidates Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Form: \_\_\_\_\_

DOB: \_\_\_\_\_

I **do / do not** wish my child to take their Introductory Stage 1 Level Verse & Prose examination.

*(please delete as appropriate)*

I understand that the amount of £25.00 will be added to my next school invoice to cover the cost of the examination fee.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ (Parent/Guardian)

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_