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Dear Parent/Carer,

Prize Giving Ceremony – Thursday 4th July 2024

We are delighted to announce that the Academy is again holding its own prestigious Prize Giving Ceremony at Stockport Plaza Theatre on the 4th July. This is an invitation-only event for students nominated for outstanding academic success or exceptional contribution to the community.

I am delighted to inform you that your child has been nominated to attend in order to receive at least one prize on the night. Please join us in congratulating your child on their achievement.

This year, we are using a new online booking system for families who wish to attend to watch their child receive their award(s):

- Tickets are limited to 6 per family and are on a first-come, first-served basis.
- All tickets are free of charge.
- To confirm attendance for the night, please visit www.ticketsource.co.uk/stockport-academy or scan the QR code. All seats except wheelchair spaces will be unreserved.
- If you have multiple children attending, please let us know within the booking form, you don't need to book tickets for each child.
- Even if you or your child cannot attend on the night, please still let us know by selecting 'not attending' on the booking page and completing the booking process.
- The confirmation email you receive after booking will serve as your tickets for the night. Please ensure you can display to gain entry to the venue.

Students will be expected to attend in full school uniform and be at Stockport Plaza on the 4th July at 5.15pm for a prompt 6pm start (4.45pm arrival for choir, steel pans and student helpers). If you are driving, please give yourself ample time to find somewhere to leave your vehicle. We expect the event to finish at approximately 8.30pm and students will not be permitted to leave the venue any earlier, so please bear this in mind if you intend to pick them up.

Prize Giving Rehearsal – Thursday 4th July 11am start

There will be a rehearsal during the day in readiness for the ceremony in the evening. Students may come in non-uniform and arrive at Stockport Plaza on the 4th July at 11am for a prompt start to rehearsal. If your child is unable to make their own way to the Plaza they should come to school for 10am and following registration walk with members of staff to the Plaza; please could you indicate your preference

































on the ticket booking form. Students will be given the option to make their own way home or return to school at the end of the rehearsal at approximately 2.30pm.

In order to help us with our planning we would appreciate it if you would request tickets and complete the form as soon as possible. Seats will not be specifically allocated, instead you will be given the option to choose in which part of the theatre you wish to sit.

If you have any specific questions about the event, please contact us via prizegiving@stockport-academy.org

Yours sincerely

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J McCann Principal