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Dear Parent/Carer,

**CAVE Week: “What it Means to be Human Project” – week commencing 14<sup>th</sup> October**

On 14<sup>th</sup> October William Ellis will be introducing a new initiative called CAVE week. This stands for Creativity, Action, Vocation, Enterprise. This will be for all students in years 7-10, the normal school timetable will be changed and students will work on projects within their form group.

There is a huge range of projects and it will mean that William Ellis students benefit from the wide range of partnerships the school has with different organisations as well as supporting student’s aspirations and developing their ability to work in a team, reflect and be creative. Students will meet different people and hear about their jobs and they will visit different places in London to help them with their project. CAVE week will help William Ellis meet some government targets for developing the curriculum, particularly in relation to careers education.

Your son will **not need** to bring his subject books or PE kit for the duration of CAVE week, but he should bring his normal school equipment.

Form 9F will be working on a project called ‘What it means to be Human’ linking philosophy, art, and sound production. They will visit the **Roundhouse in Chalk Farm** to view relevant exhibitions. The visit will take place on **Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> October**. Students will leave school at 1pm and return to school at approximately 3.30pm. There will be no charge for the trip but students need to bring a packed lunch. If your son is in receipt of free school meals and requires a school packed lunch, I will need to know by 11<sup>th</sup> October.

We are looking forward to this being a valuable learning experience for students. If you think you may be able to support us by giving a talk about your job, please contact me.

Thank you

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**Trip to The Roundhouse, Chalk Farm on Tuesday, 15<sup>th</sup> October**

I have received and understood the letter about this trip and hereby give consent for my son to take part in this trip.

I understand that he will travel from school with staff on public transport to and from the venues.

Name of son \_\_\_\_\_ Tutor Group \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of parent/carer \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/carer's emergency contact number \_\_\_\_\_

My son is eligible for free school meals and I would like him to be provided with a packed lunch (Yes/No ?)

Medical consent:

Please list below any allergies that might need to be taken into account when on the trip:

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*Please return completed form to Ms Balanchuk or Ms Saldana Hernandez.*