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Dear Parent/Carer

As part of Languages Week, from 21 June in Key Stage 3 Drama lessons, students will be exploring plays that are set in different countries. One play is called *Small Island* adapted by Helen Edmundson from the novel by Andrea Levy.

We will be watching the first 20 minutes of The National Theatres performance of the play, which is set in Jamaica and explores the experience of the Windrush generation.

The certification for this performance is age 15. I have watched the extract and it is suitable for KS3 students.

If you do not want your child to watch the performance, please email me on the following email address - c.keane@astleycooper.herts.sch.uk.

Thank you.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Keane
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