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5 September 2019

Dear Parent/Carer

**KS2 JUNIOR CHOIR (for the O2) – THURSDAYS 3:20-4:15pm**

The Junior Choir will restart on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> September and will now take place in the new Music Room (upstairs in the Rainbow Building). As we start the school year, new and continuing members are welcome as we prepare for another busy year. This term we will focus on preparations for a performance at the O2 Arena in February 2020 (details to follow), although we are also likely to sing in school concerts and possible other events while learning those songs. I realise that not all children will want to sing at the O2 (details to follow) so do not worry if that applies to your child – they are still very welcome in the choir each week.

The Junior Choir is for **anyone** in Years 3-6 – there are no auditions! Furthermore, in view of its school representative status, membership is free, although there may be nominal charges to cover costs associated with some performances (participation in any such event will be optional). All I ask is that your child enjoys singing, is committed to coming along each week, is prepared to put effort into learning their words at home and will respect the school values during each session. Where they do not do so, parents will be advised and if there is no subsequent improvement in a child's attitude or behaviour, they will be asked to leave the Choir.

On joining the Junior Choir, your child will be issued with a folder for song words and I also intend to restart the Choir Dojo, so you will be able to see how they are doing and message me easily. The only other things they will need each week is a water bottle and their enthusiasm! Please do not send an additional snack – your child will not have time to eat it before the start of our session..

If your child would like to continue in or to join the Junior Choir, please complete the form on the reverse of this letter and return it to me (a form is required even if your child sang in the Junior Choir last year). Our first after school session will be held on **Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> September** – you should assume that your child will get a place and they should attend from that date.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs A Burcombe  
Music Teacher and  
Extra-Curricular Activities Leader

# JUNIOR CHOIR – THURSDAYS

## – Autumn Term 2019

<b>CHILD'S NAME</b>	
<b>CHILD'S CLASS</b>	
Please indicate how the child will get home (Circle one)	Walk                      ASC                      Collected (Yr 5&6only)
Name of person collecting: (Name all possible adults/carers)	
Contact Numbers:	
Any medical/dietary requirements:	

I give permission for my child to attend the Junior Choir after school on Thursdays until 4.15pm.

I understand that my child will need to attend regularly and to learn some song words at home.

I am aware that my child is expected to follow the school values at all times when in the Choir.

Parent/Carer Signature: .....

PRINT NAME..... Date:.....

*Please inform the adult in charge if any of the above arrangements are ever changed.*

Completed form to be placed in the Clubs Post Box (there is no deadline for the Choirs), handed into the Office or given direct to Mrs Burcombe

**THERE IS NO CLOSING DATE FOR CHOIR – CHILDREN MAY JOIN  
AT ANY TIME DURING THE YEAR!**

