

Young Voices

Dear Parents/Carers,

On **Wednesday 12th January 2022**, **Year 4 and the Enfield Heights Year 5 and 6 Choir** will be taking part in a concert at the **O2 Arena** held by **Young Voices**, an organisation who run “the largest school choir concerts in the world”.

The concert

On this day, our singers will rehearse as part of a choir of up to 8,000 children from schools across London and the South East of England, including children from the other schools in North Star Community Trust. In the months leading up to the event, the music team (myself, Ms. Rilievo and Mr. Okine) will be teaching the repertoire of songs written and arranged for the concert.

Young Voices at Home

In addition, details of how your child can access recordings, backing tracks and lyrics for each of the songs has been shared on DB Primary so they can get familiar with and practise them in their own time as well. We strongly encourage that our students dedicate as much time as they can to learning the songs at home as well as in school, so that they are as ready as possible for the big day!

Tickets

For parents/carers and family members that are interested in attending the concert as an audience member, tickets will be available for purchase at the cost of **£23 per person**. Payment for these will be through **Arbor** and should be made no later than **Tuesday 9th November 2021**. However, as you can imagine, these events are highly popular so tickets are subject to availability.

If you are unable to order tickets through school by this date and still wish to attend then you will have to get in contact with the Young Voices box office to purchase tickets, if there are any left. It is also worth bearing in mind that this option is more expensive due to additional charges.

After the concert

Whether you attend the concert as an audience member or not, the expectation is that your child will be picked up that evening **from school at approximately 10-10.30pm**. It will be a long day but the sense of achievement and sheer joy from being part of such a great experience will be more than worth it! The children who attend will be allowed to **come to school for 10:30am the next morning** to ensure they have had enough sleep.

Please return the permission slip below to confirm whether you are happy for your child to attend. As stated above, any ticket orders are to be made and paid through Arbor. Please look out for a text message informing you that Arbor is ready for you to purchase tickets.

Kind regards,

Ben Merritt-Hall (music teacher)

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Please return this slip to your class teacher.

Child's Name.....

Class.....

(please tick and sign):

I would like my child to attend the **Young Voices** concert at the **O2 Arena** on **Wednesday 12th January 2022** and I will collect my child from school at approximately 10:00-10:30pm.

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I would not like my child to attend the **Young Voices** concert at the **O2 Arena** on **Wednesday 12th January 2022**.

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Signed

Date