



Tuesday 27th September 2016

To: Parents of Children in School Choir
Re: Young Voices Concert

Dear Parent / Guardian,

As you may know our choir has previously taken part in the Young Voices Concert at The Manchester Arena. This year we will again be joining over 7,000 children in the Manchester Young Voices experience - our concert will be on **Friday 10th February 2017**.

We will be taking our choir (62 children this year) to the Arena at 1.00pm to rehearse with the rest of the children, have a packed lunch/tea, then perform in the concert 7.00pm – 9.15pm. We very much hope that all members of the choir will be able to take part in this very exciting experience. Although we are five months away, we have to confirm our seats at the Arena and need to know how many children will be singing with us at the concert.

The cost of transport to and from the Arena will be £5.50 per child – all children will be taken by coach in the afternoon and brought back to school by approx. 10.00pm.

At this stage please could you confirm your child's attendance at the concert on 10th February 2017 and pay £5.50 towards the cost of transport on ParentPay by Monday 3rd October.

Also attached:

- Audience Tickets order form – these are only available through school and are £19.50 each. The earlier we order these tickets, the better the seat allocation for you.
- The optional T-Shirt is also available to order on this form - £10.00 each (incl. small torch). Alternatively a plain white t-shirt can be worn.

If you wish to place an order, please return these forms with full payment **by MONDAY 10TH OCTOBER**

Finally please could you help your child to learn their words for the concert – there are many songs and we are not allowed to use our song sheets on the day! Worksheets will be given out this Thursday and links to backing tracks placed on our website – www.st-james.oldham.sch.uk.

Thank you very much for your continued support.

Mrs Peacock
Head of School

YOUNG VOICES CONCERT 2017

I do / do not give permission for my child _____ Year _____ to attend the Young Voices Concert on Friday 10th February 2017.

I have paid £5.50 on ParentPay.

Signed _____

Please return this slip to school as soon as possible / **BY MONDAY 3RD OCTOBER.**