



Madresfield C.E. Primary School

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Young Voices

Dear Parents / Carers,

We are delighted to be able to offer the KS2 children in our school choir (current Year 4, 5 and 6) the opportunity to take part in the 'Young Voices' Concert at the Birmingham World Resorts Arena on Wednesday 26th February 2025.

'Young Voices' is the world's largest children's choir concert in the world and, by taking part, the children will rehearse, and perform, a wide variety of songs and dance moves to a packed concert arena alongside their peers, children from other schools and incredible artists.

It has just been announced that MC Grammar will be one of the artists performing with the 'Young Voices' choir and we will be singing songs such as 'Lean on Me', 'Try Everything' and 'Hairspray' with choreographed dance routines for the children to perform, too. The 'Young Voices' concerts are a magical and unforgettable experience for all of the children involved. More information about 'Young Voices' can be found via their website: www.youngvoices.co.uk

Rehearsals for 'Young Voices' will take place, after school until 4.00pm, each Thursday, at choir, until the Concert in February 2025. Mrs Tumelty-Williams will be directing these sessions and will lead the trip to the Concert in Birmingham too. In the rehearsal sessions, the children will learn, through the 'Young Voices' songs, about singing technique, singing in parts, how to sing in different styles and how to perform to an audience. The children are expected to attend each rehearsal on a weekly basis.

There are costs associated with participating in 'Young Voices 2025' as follows:

- The school will pay for the 'Young Voices 2025' Registration, YV musical practice tracks, YV Lyric Booklet, and rehearsals costs.
- We hope that our Friends will fund the coach cost, however, this will be finalised nearer the date.

Optional Extras:

- 'Young Voices 2025' T-Shirt - £15. Children who do not wish to wear a 'Young Voices' T-Shirt will need to wear a plain white t-shirt instead. '
- Young Voices' tickets for parents/carers/siblings wishing to attend the concert and approx. £30 each PLUS personal travel to Birmingham Resorts World Arena. We are attaching an order form for parental/carers ticket orders.

If you would like your child to take part, please complete the following consent slip by **Friday 27th September**. Places in our 'Young Voices' Choir are limited to 30 and, therefore, if we have more than 30 applicants we will draw names from a hat. If your child has been allocated a place in the 'Young Voices' Choir, you will be informed before the end of term.



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We hope the children who take part in ‘Young Voices 2025’ have a positive and fulfilling experience.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Tumelty-Williams

Young Voices Concert 2025

Name of child.....

I give permission for my child to go to attend the Young Voices concert to perform with the Madresfield Choir at the Birmingham World Resorts Arena on Wednesday 26th February 2025.

Signed..... Parent/Guardian

PRINT NAME:

Date:



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