

Hughenden Primary School

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4 March 2024

Dear Parents

Year 5 Echoes 10 Seascapes at the Royal Albert Hall, Monday 29 April 2024

We are delighted to inform you that Year 5 will be taking part in the Bucks Music Trust Echoes 10 concert at the Royal Albert Hall, working alongside children from other local schools in Buckinghamshire and have already started rehearsing their songs. We will be participating in the first half of the programme, performing a collection of 'Seascape' themed songs, before participating in a Grand Finale, a newly commissioned song, for all children to sing together.

• Friday 22 March 2024, 9.30 am -12 noon. Local Area Group Rehearsal at Wycombe Town Hall. Children will need to bring a PACKED LUNCH on this day.

• Monday 29 April 2024 11.00 am – 10.00 pm (traffic dependent) - Dress Rehearsal followed by Performance at Royal Albert Hall. Children will need to bring a PACKED LUNCH & PACKED TEA plus plenty of drinks on this day.

We are requesting a voluntary contribution of **£25.00** per child to cover the cost of the coach to the Royal Albert Hall. Bucks Music Trust are covering the cost of participating and the t-shirt and school is covering the cost of the coach to the rehearsal. Please could you return the attached consent form and contribution to the school office or give your consent and contribution via ParentPay by **Friday 15 March**.

Children should wear their school uniforms to school and will be given their Echoes t-shirts on the day. Unfortunately, it will not be possible for children to be handed over to parents at the Royal Albert Hall. They will all travel back to school on the coach and staff will wait with them until they can be safely handed over to parents.

Audience tickets are only available directly from the Royal Albert Hall Box Office, 0845 401 5034 or 020 7589 8212 or online at <u>https://www.royalalberthall.com/tickets/events/2024/echoes-10/</u> Our children will be sat on the West Side of the stage according to the BMT seating plan.

Yours faithfully

Mrs Kittler (Year 5 Class Teacher) and Mrs Sumner (Music Teacher)

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