

CLIFFE WOODS PRIMARY SCHOOL

8 January 2018

Dear Parent

YOUNG VOICES AT THE O2, MONDAY 29 JANUARY 2018

As you know, we will be taking the Choir to sing as part of the Young Voices event at the O2 on **Monday 29 January 2018**.

We will be travelling to the O2 by coach, leaving school at approximately 12 noon to arrive at the venue in time for afternoon rehearsals. The concert will start at **7 pm** and is expected to finish by **9.15 pm**.

Children are asked to wear their Young Voices t-shirt or a plain white t-shirt and dark skirt or trousers (we suggest their school uniform). They will also need a warm coat. Two packed lunches will be required and some snacks and plenty of water to drink. If your child is a poor traveller, please give any medication to your child's class teacher in a clearly named envelope with full instructions and this will be administered before we leave.

As you can imagine, the O2 will be extremely busy that evening, so when the concert is finished our concern will be to get the children back safely to our coach. We realise that some parents may wish to take their children home themselves directly from the O2. *If this is the case, we would request that you collect your children from inside the coach once we are all safely on board.* Of course, if you aren't attending the concert or you prefer to collect your child from school, we will be heading back there on the coach and should arrive at school by approximately 10.30 pm.

The cost of the coach to the O2 is **£13**. Some parents have already paid this, but, if not, could you please arrange to make payment online by logging on to Schoolcomms.

By sending in payment for the trip, the school assumes it has parental consent for the teacher in charge to agree to any medical intervention deemed necessary by the medical professionals in the event of an accident or sudden illness. If this is not the case, please inform the school in writing before the trip takes place. Please also ensure the school is always informed immediately of any change in emergency contact details for parents.

If you didn't pre-order a copy of the DVD of the performance, you can do this by visiting the Young Voices website (<https://www.youngvoices.co.uk/parent-shop>). We have received the audience tickets ordered before Christmas and these will be sent home in due course.

Finally, because of the late night, children in the choir may come in to school at 10.30 am the next day if they wish!

Yours sincerely

Miss J Yaxley
Music Co-ordinator