

Dear Parents/Carers

12 May 2025

Following the success of last year's concert, we are excited to invite you to our forthcoming Summer Showcase on **16 July 2025 at The Castle School, on the field from 6.00-8.30pm.**

Organised by the music department, parents and friends are invited to this relaxed, casual, school celebration concert. We would also like to say thank you and goodbye to our talented and dedicated Year 11 performers. Picnics are encouraged. There will also be a BBQ and Ice Cream Van, and back by popular demand there will also be fairground rides and an inflatable (under 10's only), some dance performances as well as the incredible music performed by students.

All musicians are required to attend this concert:

- Orchestra
- Mini Orchestra
- Choir
- Woodwind Group
- Steel Pans
- Rock Bands

We would ask that students remain in school at 3:20pm on Wednesday 16 July for an additional rehearsal and field set up. Students will need a packed tea or money to purchase food from Tesco.

The concert is open to family and friends, so we hope you will join us. The cost of the audience ticket is £5 per person to cover administration and technical fees, and any profit will go towards the music department's future projects.

Could you please sign the permission slip below, giving permission for your son/daughter to attend and perform, and indicate the tickets you require on the evening. Please note there will not be seating. You are welcome to bring a picnic blanket or camping chair if you wish.

Please hand in your reply slip and envelope containing your ticket money to student reception. We would encourage all performers to attend extracurricular rehearsals in preparation for the event.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Before School 8:00-8:40		GCSE/BTEC Theory (J7)			
Lunch 13:30-14:15	Orchestra (Grade 3+) (J6)		Mini Orchestra (J6)	Woodwind Group (J7) Percussion Group (J6)	Summer Showcase Rehearsals (J7)
After School 15:20-16:20		Rock Band (J6)	Choir (J6)	Steel Pans (J6) Year 10 & 11 coursework catch up (J7)	Year 10 & 11 coursework catch up (J7)

Students - Dress code

Students can wear bright and summery clothing and may require sun cream.

Yours sincerely

Mr N Adams
Head of Creative Arts
The Castle School

Please return signed slips to Finance/Student reception asap.

I give permission for my child to participate in the following performance: (please tick as appropriate)

Wednesday 16 July 3:20pm rehearsal (all ensembles)

Wednesday 16 July 6:00pm performance (all ensembles)

Student name: _____ Form: _____

I give permission for sun cream to be issued to my son/daughter for them to apply: Yes No

I give permission for my child to go to Tesco unaccompanied by an adult between 3:20pm and 6:00pm to buy dinner: Yes No

Parent/Carer signature: _____

Number of tickets required: _____ Cash or cheque enclosed for: £ _____