

HOLY CROSS CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Thursday 16th January 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

Young Voices Concert

We are all extremely excited and looking forward to the Young Voices Concert at the O2 Arena on Monday 3rd February. The Choir are very busy practising their songs and are sounding wonderful.

The Choir will be attending the afternoon rehearsals at the O2 Arena and so will need to leave school at 12.30pm after the children have eaten an early school lunch. We will travel to the venue by bus.

The children must wear their school uniform to school on the day of the concert. They will change into Holy Cross School t-shirts before leaving school. School bags will be left at school.

The children must also bring a packed tea to eat prior to the concert. It is advisable to give your child two or three drinks, as they will be thirsty after the rehearsals. Children are not allowed to bring sweets or fizzy drinks.

If you have purchased tickets through the school for the concert, you will receive an email with details of how to access your ticket(s).

If you are travelling to the O2 by bus, you can travel from Lewisham Bus Station (next to the DLR) on the 108 bus. If you plan to drive and park at the O2, advance-parking tickets can be purchased at a slightly reduced rate. Please visit the venue's website for more details.

The concert is expected to finish at 9.00pm and all children must be collected from the O2 Arena after the concert. Please note that the children will not be allowed to leave the concert arena until the audience has left and then will only be allowed to leave with our school staff.

The O2 will be very busy after the event and so it is very important that we have details of who will be collecting your child if you are not attending the concert and a contact number for both parent and the person who is collecting your child (if

different). Our meeting place will be outside of the main entrance of the O2 Arena at the Child Collection Area in the Blue Zone.

We have been advised that no video cameras will be allowed into the arena and may be confiscated if you try to film the concert.

Please ensure that the Holy Cross t-shirt is carefully washed and returned to school as soon as possible after the event, as these t-shirts are regularly used by pupils taking part in sports events.

If you are <u>not</u> attending the concert, please complete the attached tear off slip and return it to the school office no later than Friday 24th January.

We would like to thank you for allowing your child to take part and for your support in helping to make this event a truly memorable experience for the children.

Yours sincerely,	
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Mrs C Mahony	

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Head of School

I will / will not be collecting my child (Name of Child)	
at the end of the Young Voices Concert at the O2 Arena on Monday 3 rd February 2025.	
Name of Parent /Carer	
Mobile Number	
Name of person who will be collecting my child	
Mobile Number	
can confirm that I have parental responsibility for this child (please tick)	
Signature of Parent / Carer	