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*Be strong and  
courageous.....for  
the Lord your God is  
with you*

4<sup>th</sup> February 2026

Dear Parent/Carer,

**Echoes 11 & Science Museum Trip**  
**27<sup>th</sup> April 2026**

Hopefully your child has talked to you about the amazing opportunity that we have to join with other schools in our area to sing at the Royal Albert Hall in London. We will be performing a number of songs related to the colour blue and have begun learning them in school.

**Music Homework**

The children will be given a copy of the words to bring home and will be expected to learn them as soon as possible. I will teach the songs each week and the children will know which songs they should practise. Please encourage them with this as it will add to the enjoyment of the trip if they are secure with the songs.

**Rehearsals**

The children will be attending a cluster rehearsal with local schools from 9.30- 12.00pm on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> March at the Brunel Engine Shed.

**Travel**

The children will travel by coach to the Royal Albert Hall on Monday 27<sup>th</sup> April. We will be leaving promptly at 9.00am so please make sure you arrive at school in good time. After the performance all children will need to be collected from High Wycombe C of E as all schools have been advised not to allow collection from the Royal Albert Hall. Your child will need to be collected from school at approximately 10:15pm.

**Packed Lunches**

As this trip is on a Monday, Fresh Start are not able to provide Packed Lunches. Please ensure you provide your child with both a Packed Lunch and a Packed Tea for this trip.

**Costumes**

The children will be given an Echoes t-shirt to wear on the day. A separate letter will come out nearer the time asking you to select the size of t-shirt required. In addition, the children will need to wear black /grey trousers with their school shoes.

**Programme Consent**

Please would you kindly confirm that you are happy for your child's full name to appear in the Echoes 11 programme by indicating on the online form: <https://forms.office.com/e/ZBJC94U8Rw> by **Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> February**. Please would you also confirm that you are happy for photos/videos to be taken of the performance at the Royal Albert Hall.



### RAH ticket sales

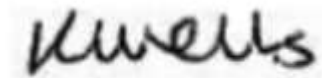
We would love you to come and watch the children perform on 27th April. Tickets for the performance will go on sale roughly 8 weeks before the performance. We will let you know as soon as they come out. When this happens, I would urge you to book your seats as early as possible because there are lots of schools involved and, in the past, tickets have gone very quickly. Tickets can only be purchased from the Royal Albert Hall Box Office.

### Science Museum

On the 27th April we have to be at the Albert Hall for a rehearsal after lunch, however we have booked a coach to take us to London for the beginning of the day. We would therefore like to combine this trip with a visit to the Science museum which is just around the corner from the Albert Hall. The children will be given the opportunity to enhance their knowledge of the topics that they have been looking at in Science this year.

Thank you for your support with this wonderful opportunity.

Regards



Mrs Wells  
(Specialist Music Co-Ordinator)



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