

Wednesday 31st January 2024

County Dance Festival at Cheltenham Town Hall – Wednesday 13th March

Dear Year 3 Parents and Carers,

Year 3 have been given the exciting opportunity to represent the school at a county dance festival to be held at Cheltenham Town Hall on Wednesday 13th March 2024. We are really looking forward to taking part!

Timings:

- 11:00: Children will leave St Paul's via coach
- 11.45am: Coach will arrive in Cheltenham
- 3.00pm: Dance show will start
- 5.00pm: Dance show will finish
- 6.00pm: Children will arrive back at school

There is an option for you to collect your child from Cheltenham at 5:00pm or from school at 6:00pm. If you are wanting to collect your child from Cheltenham, you will need to tick so on the permission slip at the back of this letter and a map of the collection point will be shared with you closer to the performance date. Your child will not be allowed to be collected from Cheltenham if you do not tick this part of the slip. All children are to be collected promptly after the performance, at our designated meeting point or upon arrival back at school. We will let you know if there are any delays.

Please note, the Meeting Point will not be at Cheltenham Town Hall, in order to ensure all pupils are accounted for and safe, all pupils will leave Cheltenham Town Hall and walk back to the bus together. We will meet parents who wish to collect their child at the coach, so we can safely ensure all children are either collected or back on the coach, ready to return to school.

There is no charge to parents for children to attend the Dance Festival. However if you wish to purchase a ticket, the website link will be shared on Dojo if you would like to attend the dance festival.

If your child needs travel sickness tablets, please ensure these are supplied for both journeys in a clearly marked envelope, with the child's name and brought to the office.

Food: Children will need to bring both a packed lunch and a light packed tea. (No chocolate, sweets or fizzy drinks please). If your child is entitled to Free School Meals a packed lunch will be provided but they will still need to bring a packed tea.

Uniform: Children are to arrive at school wearing their school uniform and trainers they are happy to dance in. Children will know what they need to wear, they will need **either** a brightly coloured dress **or** black trousers and a white t shirt.

Please inform your child's class teacher if they do not have a brightly coloured dress, black trousers or white t shirt by 9th February for alternative arrangements to be made.

Yours sincerely,

Miss H Bartlett & Miss K Clarke

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I give permission for my child to take part in the Dance Festival at Cheltenham Town Hall on Wednesday 13th March 2024.

I will collect my child from Cheltenham Town Hall and understand that I will have to collect my child from school if I am late.

My child is entitled to Free School Meals and I would like to order a lunch for them, I understand I need to provide a packed tea

During the performance, I can be contacted on the following number

Signed