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Friday 9th February

Dear Parents,

The Enormous Crocodile Performance Tuesday 12th March 2024 at Prince of Wales Theatre, Cannock.

Recently, the Year 5 children participated in an exciting song writing workshop with composer Richard Taylor, as part of the Create with Manchester Camerata Composition Project. This work follows on from their exploration of songs through the Music Share performance project in the Autumn term and is part of their curriculum music this year.

Over the next few weeks, the children will apply their knowledge of performance preparation to rehearse and stage the new song. They will share it with other Stoke and Staffordshire school groups at a performance on Tuesday 12th March at the Prince of Wales Theatre in Cannock.

On the day of the performance, the children will be accompanied by class teachers and myself and transported by coach.

You are invited to attend the concert which starts at 2pm and finishes at 3pm, parent tickets are £4 and available from the Box Office on 01543 578762 or online from <u>Skiddle.com</u>.

We are expected to return to school at 4.00pm, traffic permitting.

Children need to wear their full school uniform and be required to bring a packed lunch/drink. If you wish your child to have a packed lunch provided by school, please indicate this when completing the parental consent on Scopay.

We are asking for a contribution to cover the cost of transport for the trip of £8, payable on Scopay. The deadline for completion of consent is Friday 1st March.

Thank you for your support.

Yours sincerely, Mrs Amison

