

Ormesby Village Infant & Junior Schools Federation

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Norfolk County Music Festival 2025

Norfolk County Music Festival is in a centenary year and exists to encourage and support instrumentalists and singers of any age, from school choirs, pianists and violinists, through to rock bands and musical theatre. It gives both children and adults of all levels a wonderful opportunity to perform under concert conditions in front of a friendly audience, whilst benefitting from expert advice and guidance from the adjudicators. As with all trips exemplary behaviour will be expected.

Both the Junior School and Infant School would like to take part, once again this year, performing two contrasting songs. The first, a song called 'What Is This Feeling' from the musical Wicked and the second, a hymn called 'I Am A Child Of God'. Pupils are rehearsing really hard with Mrs. White-Joubert and staff, both during class and during break times, to do their very best in the festival.

The event is to be held at The King's Centre in Norwich (63-75 King St, Norwich, NR1 1PH) and families are welcome to go along and support the children. There will be an entry fee of £4.50 per person to be part of the audience, or, alternatively, a programme costing £8 can be purchased which gives entry to the whole festival. Please be aware that it will be first come-first served on the day, some sessions do get full, so arrive early to ensure admittance. Tickets **cannot** be purchased in advance, it is pay on the door only.

The event will take place on the morning of **Thursday 20th March 2025** from approximately 11.30am. As we have a large number of children wishing to take part this year, we need to hire two coaches to accommodate everyone. As the cost of this hire could prohibit us from going ahead, we are asking families for a contribution of **£7.00** to help to cover the costs of this.

Families eligible for **Pupil Premium** will have half this cost covered by the school, so will be charged @ **£3.50**.

Please make payment via IRIS ParentMail, under the shop tab **Music Festival 2025 by Friday 14th March 2025**.

All pupils will need to bring a packed lunch and drink. Please ensure your child has a plastic water bottle on the day and not a metal one.

For those families that are eligible for 'free school meals' a school packed lunch can be ordered if required.

Please specify on the slip below if your child wishes for ham or cheese.

Please **complete and return** the Level 2 Visit Form by **Friday 14th March 2025**.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

Mr. B. Young

Headteacher

Name of Child.....

Class

I would/would not like (**delete as appropriate**) my child to attend the Music Festival at the King's Centre in Norwich on Thursday 20th March 2025, and will pay the relevant fee of £7.00 / £3.50 towards the cost of transport to this event on IRIS ParentMail by **Friday 14th March 2025**.

My child is eligible for free school meals and will/will not (**delete as appropriate**) require a school packed lunch.

Please highlight choice required.

HAM

CHEESE

Signed

