

# Chellaston Academy

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Dear Parents/Guardians

## 'PRIMARYFEST' DAY AT CHELLASTON ACADEMY

Following consultation with your child's school, this year's 'Primaryfest' will be held at Chellaston Academy on:

**Friday 7<sup>th</sup> July 2017**

This is an event for pupils who play musical instruments, in Years 4, 5 and 6. It is also an opportunity for pupils to take part in drama activities (this is for year 6 only, due to limited spaces). The day gives the students an opportunity to work with music and drama teachers at Chellaston Academy, finishing with an informal performance.

This year for the first time, we are offering students the opportunity to take part in drama workshops to showcase the many different and diverse performing talents that we have in the local schools. Students should wear clothing suitable for practical work.

We are inviting pupils who play one of the following instruments: flute, clarinet, saxophone, trumpet, cornet, trombone, tenor horn, euphonium, baritone, violin, cello and the acoustic guitar.

The workshops will start at 9.30, and we would like students to arrive by 9am so we can take registers and allow for students to be placed into the correct workshop groups. The day will finish at 2.45pm. Pupils will need to bring their own instrument, a drink for break time and a packed lunch.

We would be grateful if you could organise travel arrangements for your child's journey to and from Chellaston Academy. **It is not necessary for the pupils to wear school uniform.**

If you would like your child to take part, please complete the attached reply slip and return it to **your own school** by Friday 23rd June.

If you have any questions or would like more information, please do not hesitate to contact me at Chellaston Academy on **01332 702502** ext 254 or email: [ianbaggott@chellaston.derby.sch.uk](mailto:ianbaggott@chellaston.derby.sch.uk)

We hope that your child will be able to join us for another successful 'Primaryfest' at the Chellaston Academy Music and Drama Department.

Yours sincerely

Mr Ian Baggott  
Music and Drama department

# A note for parents from Chellaston Junior School:

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> July is our Sports Day for Years 5 and 6. If your child would like to take part in this event, then they will miss their Sports Day.

Drama places are restricted to 10 Y6 pupils per school. Therefore, if we have more than 10 children who wish to participate, CJS staff will choose from the list based on their commitment to drama at CJS.

It is not possible for children to do BOTH drama and music, they will have to choose one.

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Child's Name and School: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Instrument: \_\_\_\_\_ Grades: (if any) \_\_\_\_\_

If you are interested in taking part in the drama workshops, please tick this box  and explain what drama experience, if any, your child has.

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Any medical conditions of which we should be aware:

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Please tick where applicable:

I agree for my child to attend the Primaryfest at Chellaston Academy on Friday 7<sup>th</sup> July

I will make appropriate travel arrangements to and from Chellaston Academy

I agree for Chellaston Academy to take photos / videos of the day that may be used on the school website to promote the music and drama department

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ (parent/guardian) Date: \_\_\_\_\_

*\* Please delete as appropriate*