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Dear Parents/Carers

## **Re: The Bourne Academy Autumn Music Recital**

I would like to invite you to the first of this year's Music Recitals. Normally this would take place in the Drama studio. However due to current Government restrictions, it has been decided that these concerts will be streamed on The Bourne Academy Performing Arts Facebook page.

Your child will be expected to stay after school to record their performance. Each year group is being filmed on a different day to maintain the integrity of the Year Group bubbles. Therefore, it is vital that your child is able to stay after school on the specified day stated below:

- Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> November – Year 11 (14:00pm – 17:00pm)
- Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> November – Year 10 (13:30pm – 16:00pm)
- Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> November – Year 9 (14:00pm – 16:00pm)

This performance is a mock exam for all students involved and all students will be videoed for evidence that will be submitted to our Exam Boards as well as for the online concert. Students will need to bring black clothes for their performance which they will be able to change into at the end of the day.

Following the success of our Rockdown Sessions during April and May, one of the most successful parts of our recitals is giving students the opportunity to perform in front of a live audience - given we are not able to do this, streaming the performances on Facebook allows you to support and enjoy the hard work of your child.

No student will be identifiable by their name in the performance. Should you wish to discuss this further then please do not hesitate to contact me.

The recitals will be streamed on Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> November at 19:00pm

To view the event you do not need a Facebook account. The link to our Facebook page is [www.facebook.com/The-Bourne-Academy-Performing-Arts-643830498966986/](https://www.facebook.com/The-Bourne-Academy-Performing-Arts-643830498966986/)

A link will also be available on the Performing Arts Twitter page @bourneacademypa

All students involved in this performance have been working extremely hard this term in rehearsing for this fantastic online event. I would like to take this opportunity to say thank you for your continued support in your child's progress in Performing Arts, particularly in this difficult time. If you have any questions regarding the performance please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

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