

Netley Abbey Junior School

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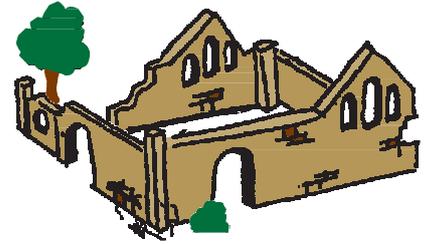
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Dear Parents

2nd February 2018

Our Global Rock Challenge performance will be taking place on **Thursday 22nd February 2018** at The Southampton Guildhall. The children have been working incredibly hard rehearsing and we are very excited that the day is nearly here. Please find below a list of final plans for the day.

On Thursday 22nd February your child will need to be dropped at school by 8.50am as per usual and go to the hall for registration. We will then transport them to the Guildhall by coach for a full day of rehearsal and activities. The evening performances will begin at 6pm followed by the awards ceremony. If you are not watching the performance you will need to arrive at approximately 10.15pm to collect your child. We will bring the children down to the entrance foyer of the Guildhall for collection at the end of the night.

Please be aware you must sign your child out with an adult before leaving the Guildhall. This can take some time but you will understand that we need to safeguard all children.

Please wear:

- Named black Rock Challenge t-shirt or a plain black t-shirt.
- Comfortable trousers (e.g. leggings or track suit bottoms).
- Suitable shoes (e.g. trainers).
- A coat, as we will visit the park if dry.
- No jewellery/watches or nail/toe nail varnish.

Please bring:

- A named carrier bag which will be used for the children's clothes once they have changed into their costume.
- A packed lunch and packed tea with additional healthy snacks and water (no fizzy drinks or food containing nuts/legumes etc. in line with our school policy.)
- If your child is eligible for free school meals we are able to arrange a packed lunch for them but you will need to provide a packed tea and drinks, plus healthy snacks for the day.
- A named hair brush or comb.
- A book to read or a colouring book/quiz book or small card game (eg Top Trumps) which children must be responsible for (no electronic games or phones).
- Any medicines or inhalers in school will be taken. Any other medication should be signed in at the school office at the earliest opportunity.

All children will be expected to have make-up/face paint applied on the day and may need hair products such as gel or hairspray applied. If you feel this may cause a reaction or other issue, would you please speak to a member of the Rock Challenge Team as an alternative will need to be provided.

Mrs Nicholas-Bond has agreed that the children may start school later on the Friday morning. If you wish for your child to have a late start, please complete the attached reply slip and indicate their dinner choice. We will **NOT** be able to accept late dinner orders on the day. **All children must be at school by 11am on Friday morning to resume the school day.** Any child arriving after 11am will be recorded as late.

Yours sincerely

The Rock Challenge Team