



Dear Parents,

Year 4 children are taking part in the DASP Choral Festival with other first schools from DASP on **Wednesday 20th March**. They will be travelling to The Thomas Hardy School in Dorchester by coach for the morning, to rehearse for the performance held in the evening for parents. They will be leaving school at 9am returning to school at approximately 1pm.

Due to the potential late return time, we have cancelled any orders for hot school meals. Parents need to provide the children with a packed lunch. This needs to contain a couple of healthy snacks that the children can take with them to The Thomas Hardy School. If your child is entitled to free school meals we have ordered them an away day lunch from Local Food Links. However, you may wish to add some extra items.

For the evening, the children need to be at The Thomas Hardy School Theatre in Dorchester at 6pm (the doors to the performance will not open before 6pm). Please enter the school via the main entrance on Queen's Avenue. There is ample parking in the main car park at the end of Queen's Avenue or on Queen's Avenue road itself.

The performance will then start at 6.30pm and will last around 1 hour.

Due to the large numbers of children involved in the concert, we ask that each child brings a maximum of two adults with them to watch the performance, in order that everyone can be seated in the theatre.

For the evening, children will need to wear their school uniform.

The children can access the songs that they need to learn for the concert by following this link: <http://www.daspmusic.co.uk/year-4-singing-concert.html>

Please sign the permission slip below to allow your child to travel by coach and attend the morning's activities and to confirm that they will be attending the evening performance where they will be representing Frome Valley First School. Please also ensure that you complete the photo permission section for DASP Music as appropriate.

Many thanks.

I give permission for my child _____ to travel by coach to The Thomas Hardy School on Wednesday 20th March.

My child _____ is able to attend the evening performance at The Thomas Hardy School on Wednesday 20th March on behalf of Frome Valley School.

I give consent for DASP Music to take photos and video of my child for use on the DASP Music website and DASP Music newsletter and to share with my child's school. No photos will name any child individually.

I do not give consent for DASP Music to use photos and video of my child.

Signed _____