



12th December 2017

Dear Parent/Guardian,

As part of our exciting partnership with the Royal Birmingham Conservatoire we have been invited to take the A-Level Music Technology students to a 'Digital Music Lab' day that will explore digital music performance and composition on Wednesday 24th January 2018.

The high impact day will showcase the exciting possibilities of working collaboratively between composers, musicians and live electronics. Four brand new pieces have been composed for the day and each piece will have an associated half-hour interactive workshop to explore the way the live performers interact with Music Technology.

The performance will take place in Royal Birmingham Conservatoire's brand new £57m building, in the Lab venue which has been especially designed for innovative performance.

The students will leave school at 9am and travel to the Conservatoire on the metro. Students will be accompanied by Mr Callaghan and Mrs Smith.

The schedule for the day is as follows:

9am – Leave GSA and walk to Dudley Street Metro station. (RBC is a short walk from Bull Street Metro stop)

10.30am – 11am – Workshop 1

11am – 11.30am – Workshop 2

12.10pm -12.50pm – Concert

1.30pm – 2pm – Workshop 3

2pm – 2.30pm – Workshop 4

2.30pm – leave RBC and return to GSA.

There will be no cost for the workshop however students will need to purchase metro tickets on the day. (A day saver is approximately £5) Student may wish to bring a packed lunch with them, or alternatively there is a canteen at the conservatoire where students will be able to purchase food and drink throughout the day.

Please complete the attached consent slip and return to the Music Department. Should you have any further questions please do not hesitate to contact me.

Thanks for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

Mrs C Penn
Head of Music



I give permission for my son/daughter _____

to travel on the metro and take part in the 'Digital Music Lab' day at the Royal Birmingham Conservatoire on Wednesday 24th January 2018.

I will ensure my child has suitable funds for the transport costs.

My child has the following medical needs

My emergency contact number is:

Signed _____