

Senior Girls

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For Boys and Girls
aged 4 to 18 years

October 2018

Dear Parents

Merchant Taylors' Joint Schools' Concert - Birmingham Symphony Hall 10/11 November 2018

This is a most prestigious event with many distinguished guests and as one of the associated Merchant Taylors' Company schools, we are looking forward to rehearsals on Saturday 10th November followed by the Concert on Sunday 11th November.

We are now in a position to provide you with further details for the weekend event. *Please would you kindly use the following link via trybooking <https://www.trybooking.co.uk/GRM> to confirm details for your daughter, by Monday 5th November (you must ensure that you indicate 1 attendee to progress through the screens). Please also ensure that you complete the medical form and return to Mrs Barry.*

Travel/Rehearsal arrangements

Saturday 10th November

1. We will meet at Merchant Taylors' Boys' School at 6:30am
2. Your daughter has been allocated a buddy and we would like her to remain with her buddy in transit (on the coaches) as this will be easier for staff to monitor.
3. A small snack will be provided on the outward journey.
4. The coach will depart from Merchant Taylors' Boys' School at 6:45am.
5. The coach party will arrive at Wolverhampton Grammar School by 9:30am.
6. Rehearsals will take place throughout the day with lunch provided.
7. In the evening, local coaches will take the coach party from Wolverhampton Grammar School to The Copthorne Hotel, Birmingham.
8. A reception/dinner for students and staff will be held at the REP Theatre.
9. Back to hotel/9:30pm bedtime.

Sunday 11th November – *a small snack will be provided on the return journey, as the school will not be providing a tea-time meal.*

Breakfast in hotel at 8am – casual clothes.

1. Overnight bags and instruments need to be packed on Sunday morning in readiness for dress rehearsal.
2. Arrive at Birmingham Symphony Hall [near hotel] by 9:30am.
3. Rehearsals begin.
4. 11am observe 2-minutes' silence.
5. 12:30pm Finish for lunch. After lunch, get changed into Concert clothes.
6. 2:30pm Performance starts.
7. The coach will depart from Birmingham at approximately 6pm (small snacks will be provided on the homeward journey).
8. The coach will arrive at Merchant Taylors' Boys' School at approximately 8:15pm.
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Yours sincerely

Mrs C Tao
Headmistress

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FAQ

Merchant Taylors' Joint Schools' Concert Birmingham Symphony Hall 10/11 November 2018

- [What are the departure and arrival times?](#)

Saturday 10 November:

Outward Journey from Merchant Taylors' Boys' School – meet 6:30am, coach departs 6:45am.

Sunday 11 November:

Inward Journey to Merchant Taylors' Boys' School – arrive at approximately 8:15pm.

- [What should my daughter wear?](#)

Saturday

Smart casual clothing for coach journey, rehearsals and Saturday evening

Sunday

Concert attire: Pupils are to change into concert attire after the rehearsal

Girls: knee length black skirt/long sleeved white shirt/black tights and black shoes

- [What should my daughter bring in her overnight bag?](#)

Suitable overnight clothes

Toothbrush/toothpaste

Hairbrush/comb

Toiletries

Underwear

Concert clothes

- [Does my daughter need any money?](#)

No more than £10 is required for drinks / sweets.

Please note that the school will not be responsible for any loss of money during the trip and event.

- [Are mobile phones permitted?](#)

Yes but they must be switched off and left back-stage during rehearsals and the concert. School cannot accept liability for any loss / theft.

- [Who do I contact in the case of an emergency?](#)

Please would you kindly email Mr Lawell, Head of Sixth Form, f.lawell@merchanttaylors.com