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Dance Live! 2020 – Dance Rehearsal Schedule

Dear Parents and Carers,

After the recent disappointment of the J Rock cancellation, we are delighted to inform you that we will be competing in a Dance Live! 2020, a brand new competition run by the Guildhall Trust. Embracing an ever-evolving digital world and how this is changing the face of modern performance, Dance Live! will see schools and colleges able to compete with choreographed routines to the backdrop of a giant digital screen with pupils showcasing a range of skills from dance, performance and off-stage technical skills to creative design. With a focus on raising aspirations and developing skills for creative career choices, Dance Live! will deliver a range of supportive workshop opportunities for schools. **The event will be taking place during the week commencing 10th February 2020. We will confirm this once we have had details finalised by the event organisers.**

This year, we will be using the same team and theme that we had begun to create for J Rock. Please find below your child's role and the rehearsal schedule from the 5th November until the Christmas break. **It is vital that all pupils attend their assigned sessions, as we have very little time to create our performance.** Please check this carefully as not all pupils are needed at every rehearsal. This information can also be found on the Rock Challenge page under the Children's tab on the school website. All rehearsals will be from 3:20pm-4:30pm in the large hall.

Child's Name _____

Role _____

5.11.19	Puppets, Puppet Maker, Punchinello
12.11.19	Spots and Stars, Punchinello
19.11.19	Punchinello, Contemporary Dancers, Puppet Maker
26.11.19	Puppets, Puppet Maker, Punchinello, Narrator
3.12.19	Spots and Stars, Punchinello, Narrator
10.12.19	Punchinello, Contemporary Dancers, Puppet Maker
17.12.19	All Cast

As with the previous competition, the cost for participation will be £30. This includes a team t-shirt, a copy of the performance and a contribution to other fees incurred (costumes, scenery, transport etc.) **This amount will need to be paid, in full, online on Scopay by Tuesday 12th November. To ensure that pupils are fully committed, this fee will be non-refundable. If you already paid for J Rock 2020 online, this will be carried over.** If it is for financial reasons your child won't be joining the cast, do please get in touch confidentially with Mrs Ramshaw.

We thank you again for your continued support and are excited that we can offer the children an opportunity to perform in an exciting and enriching activity.

Mrs Barrand and Miss Payne



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Child's name: Class:

- I will collect my child from school after rehearsals
- My child can walk home after rehearsals

Contact telephone number

Signed Date

Please return to the office or your class teacher by Monday 4th November.