



CHAPMANSLADE CE VA PRIMARY SCHOOL

Learning together in a Christian community,
nurturing and developing lively minds in a caring
environment.



27th January 2020

Dear Parents of pupils in Years 4, 5 and 6

We are working with Wiltshire Music Centre (WMC) and Prime Theatre to host a performance of a new touring production, **Don't Pick Me, Miss!**

Devised and performed by artists from WMC and Prime Theatre, this new production focusses on key social issues affecting Years 4-6, including:

- Seeking or rejecting affirmation from others in relationships;
- Identity and self-reflection;
- The challenges of the use of social media.



WMC and Prime Theatre are responding to creative consultation with head teachers across Wiltshire primary schools to ensure that this performance will link personal experiences with key topics in the National Curriculum:



- Music – to appreciate and understand a wide range of high-quality live music drawn from different traditions
- English - to provide opportunities to thoughtfully respond to poetry, drama and theatre performances
- PSHE – to understand responsible use of technology and social media; everyday challenges of friendships and falling out; growing up; fear of failure; and personal skills and strengths.

This is an excellent opportunity for our pupils to experience a live performance, including live music, enhancing both their music and PSHE curricula. The performance will take place on Tuesday 25th February 2020 at approximately 1:30pm, in the school hall.

I am seeking a voluntary payment of £3.75 from each pupil to cover the cost of this educational visit. If we do not receive sufficient voluntary contributions, this performance may not be possible. Please send your payment in an envelope with your child's name and PERFORMANCE written on the outside **by 3rd February 2020**. If the timing of this voluntary payment request causes any difficulty for you, please speak to Mrs McCall in confidence about paying at a later date.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Chapman