

8 January 2021

Dear Parent/Carer,

The Weald School Virtual KS3 Open Concert - 11 February 2021

We would usually have an open concert during the spring term but, unfortunately, that is not an option this year. Instead, we would like to produce a virtual concert which we will premiere on YouTube on 11th February. Any student who would like to perform can video themselves singing or playing a piece (with accompaniment or backing track if it is required) and we will then compile these videos to make the concert. We would really like it if students could introduce their pieces before they play, but don't worry if they forget.

If your child would like to take part, once they have practised their piece, they simply need to upload it to the KS3 Open Concert Google Classroom. To do this, they should go to Google Classroom, click on the "+" symbol at the top right-hand side, select "Join Class" and use the code **cza4vi5**.

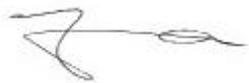
In order to ensure we have permission to use the video, we would ask that a parent/carer records a short announcement at the start of the video stating, "I give my permission for this video to be used in The Weald School Virtual Concert on YouTube". The concert will be "unlisted" which means that YouTube users will not be able to find it unless they have the link which will be sent to parents nearer the time.

Please encourage your child to take advantage of this exciting opportunity if you think it will be beneficial for them to do so.

The deadline for students to upload their videos is Thursday 4 February.

If you have any questions, please email me on ztomaszewska@theweald.org.uk.

Yours faithfully,



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