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Dear Parent/Carer

London City Sinfonia Project, linked with the renowned composer – John K Miles

After a successful project last year, Hylands School is once again taking part in an exciting and large scale project with the London City Sinfonia and the renowned film and TV composer, John K Miles. This is in conjunction with several other schools in the area and will end with a performance in the Civic Theatre. Last year eight schools were involved in the project and it culminated in a fantastic performance with over 120 students performing together with a professional orchestra. Your son/daughter has been selected to take part as they have shown an aptitude for Music.

The project involves John K Miles coming into Hylands School, as well as various other schools across Chelmsford, to help a select group of students compose and perform a large scale piece of music. Members of the London City Sinfonia will also visit the school to work with the students. The music is then learnt by all of the other schools and put together as part of a whole piece of music, which will then be performed by both the students and members of the London City Sinfonia.

This is a fantastic musical opportunity and the students involved will gain a unique experience, learning how professional composers work and working collectively to create a musical piece that will be heard by thousands of people.

The students involved will need to commit to attending 4 workshops that will be held during school time. Each workshop will be 2 hours in length. The first workshop will be held in room 104 on the 12th of October from 9am. Students must also be willing to attend an afternoon performance and, most importantly, an evening concert on Friday 30th November 2017 at 7pm at the Baptist Church in the city centre, for which there will be tickets available nearer the date. Only 20 students have been chosen for this project across the whole school so I do hope your son/daughter will be able to join us.

Yours faithfully

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Please return to Mrs. Adams-Howell, Head of Music via Student Reception
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Name: Tutor Group:

My above named son/daughter (Please circle the appropriate response):

Will/Will not be able to commit to this project and **will/will not** be attending the workshop and the concert on the 30th November 2017 at 7pm.

Signed: (Parent/Carer) Date: