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Dear Parents/Carers

Our Young Voices concert is only weeks away and I want to provide you with additional information the concert. The concert date is Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> January, and the performance will be held at **Utilita Arena Sheffield.** If you have ordered, t-shirts will be distributed at school on the day. Tickets will be issued by Friday 13<sup>th</sup> December.

Your child will need to arrive at school in their Orchard Head uniform, as normal. They will either be **given** a young voices top that they have ordered or will need to **bring** a plain white t-shirt. Pupils will get changed before we leave.

Your child will have an early lunch at school before we leave. However, your child will require a packed tea and a water bottle. When we arrive at the arena, we will not leave before the end of the concert so pupils will bring their tea with them.

We are due to leave school around 12:00pm. Rehearsals at the arena will start at 2:15pm. At 5pm, rehearsal will end and pupils will have their tea. Doors to the arena will open to ticket holders at 6pm and the concert begins at 7pm and ends at 8:45pm. After the concert, all pupils will return to Orchard Head, which is where your child needs to be collected. It is expected that we will return to Orchard Head no earlier than 10pm, given that we need to exit the arena and travel back to Pontefract. More accurate timings will be posted on our Twitter page (@orchard\_head) which could take any delays into account.

The children have been working so hard for the concert and we are very excited! Please direct any questions to myself. Alternatively, ask the school office who can pass your query on.

Miss Scholes

