



NATIONAL CHORAL CELEBRATION

Friday 10 May 2019
10am-4pm
Pearce Suite Theatre,
Maidenhead SL6 8AW

With Dominic Ellis-Peckham
Conductor and Chorus Director



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NATIONAL CHORAL CELEBRATION

Join us in this thrilling opportunity to sing in a choir of 500 voices!
The focus is on fun, participation and celebration of the magic of singing.

- * Schools are invited to submit their entry via the online form
- * Deadline Tuesday 6 November 2018
- * Schools can enter one session only and up to 25 pupils (3 adults maximum)
- * Two sessions during the day: Ages 9-11 from 10.00 to 12.30
Ages 11-14 from 14.00 to 16.30
- * This event is free to enter
- * No prior experience necessary.
- * Event open to ISA members' schools only
- * *Please note: the event is not a competition*

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GUIDELINES

ISA is excited to invite you to take part in our first national Choral Celebration on Friday, 10 May 2018 at The Pearce Suite Theatre, Maidenhead SL6 8 AW

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- **Age Groups:**

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| There are two sessions: | Session 1 | Ages 9-11 | 10.00 – 12.30 (9.30 Arrive/register) |
| | Session 2 | Ages 11-14 | 14.00 – 16.30 (13.30 Arrive/register) |

- **Limited Numbers:**

Your school can enter one session only. A group can be up to 25 pupils and up to 3 adult participants.
There is no option for spectators.

All adults in attendance will be expected to participate fully and enthusiastically in all singing activities, as role models for this large group of singers!
We are keen to encourage boys to these workshop, as well as girls. The afternoon session will also be designed to be accessible for boys with changing voices.

- **Cost:**

This event is free to enter.

- **Schedule:**

Arrivals/registration from 09.30 for the first session;

Arrivals/registration from 13.30 for the second session.

Due to the scale of this event and the number of schools involved, we ask that schools leave promptly at the end of their session and do not arrive before the stated time.

- **Music:**
All music will be sung learned by ear, no handouts will be needed or allowed.
No Prior experience necessary.
- **Catering facilities:**
There are no catering facilities on site, or spaces for packed lunches. Schools should make individual arrangements for this.
No food or drink is permitted in the auditorium.

HOW TO ENTER

Entry is easy by our online form. In order to complete the form you will need to have ready:

- * Your school contact details
- * Which session you are entering
- * The number of children you will be bringing (maximum of 25 per school)
- * The number of adults you will be bringing (maximum of 3 adults per school)
- * Before submitting an entry, you must have obtained appropriate permissions from your Head/HoD for pupil and staff absence from school, including appropriate cover for staff and any associated costs.

Please note: entries are limited, if you book a slot then subsequently cancel, you may be preventing another school from this opportunity. In addition, late cancellations cause considerable inconvenience to the organisers. An entry received should be regarded as a definite commitment to attend.

in the meantime, if you have any questions please contact marie-ange.moncuy@isaschools.org.uk

We look forward to receiving your entries and seeing you on the day.