



## Young Voices 2023



We are proud to be running Young Voices club again this year. We will be learning to sing together for enjoyment and in preparation for the Young Voices Concert 2023!

### **What is Young Voices?**

Young Voices is an opportunity for children from around the country to come together for the enjoyment of singing and performing. The concerts, which take place at various arenas throughout the UK, offer children the opportunity to perform to family and friends alongside thousands of other children. The concerts are truly memorable!

To prepare for the concert, and have fun in itself, Young Voices Club will see the children learn a list of songs together throughout terms 1 and 2 with teachers from Naunton Park. The songs range from current chart music, musicals, films and well-known songs from previous decades. They are great fun and the dance routines give the rehearsals and concert an extra something!

### **What's involved?**

Children wanting to take part should attend Young Voices Club each Monday after school. Children will need to learn the songs off-by-heart, but we'll do this each Monday. They can, if they wish, access the songs and backing tracks from home for some extra practice.

When the choir has become confident with the songs, we'll create an opportunity for them to perform to the school during assembly as a rehearsal for the concert itself.

We will find out in a few weeks when the concert is, but it's usually a weekday in January. We have requested our venue to be Resorts World Arena, Birmingham. On the concert day, children will travel together by coach at lunchtime, rehearse in the afternoon with the professional orchestra, a well-known singer (TBC) and thousands of other children from around the country. The concert itself is in the evening, at which family and friends are invited to watch. The concert is also filmed, so a DVD is available. Those going to watch will need to transport themselves while we take the children to/from the concert by coach.

### **Are there any costs?**

The only fees involved, as a minimum are:

- £3 to be part of the choir
- £TBC for the coach to/from the arena (estimated around £14-20)

Additionally, you can opt to purchase:

- A t-shirt for your child to wear at the concert (last year £12)
- A DVD of the concert (last year £20)
- Family/friends tickets (last year £20)

### **What's it like?**

You can view videos from previous concerts and find out more information here: [Young Voices - The largest School Choir in the World](#)

### **What next?**

By signing your child up to the club, you are giving them permission to attend the concert (date/venue TBC) and are agreeing to pay £3 entry and the cost of the coach. The additional purchases are optional.