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Dear Parent / Carer

'Film Music Gala' Royal Philharmonic Orchestra Concert – Saturday 4th May 2019

We have been fortunate to obtain 50 tickets at a discounted rate for the above event at The Royal Albert Hall. Their orchestra will be performing music from a variety of film scores and will be accompanied by a vocal ensemble as well. Further details of this event can be found at <https://www.rpo.co.uk/whats-on/eventdetail/1057/-/film-music-gala-matinee>.

This is an excellent opportunity for students to see a professional orchestra performing this music live and also to experience this in one of the most iconic performance venues in the UK. It will also be helpful for Key Stage 3 students as film music is one of our topics. Our GCSE and A Level courses also require students to study the music from 'Star Wars', 'Batman Returns' and other related pieces so this is a very relevant concert for them.

If your child would be interested, please email trips@priory.herts.sch.uk by Friday 8th February 2019. We will need to ensure those selected have the correct attributes to meet the requirements of the trip and have the confidence of the school that they would maintain our high expectations. We will look at all aspects of their school career including behaviour, attendance (96% or above) and the ability to fulfil the physical requirements of the trip. The school reserves the right to remove any student from the trip prior to leaving if their behaviour deteriorates once they have been accepted.

The concert starts at 3pm so we will leave school at 12.30pm to ensure we are there in plenty of time. The concert should finish by 5.30pm and aim to be back at The Priory School by approximately 8pm. As this is a Saturday, there is no issue with students missing any lessons. There is also no requirement for them to wear school uniform for the event.

The cost of the event including coach travel to and from the venue is £17 - payment and consent will be available online via Parentmail. Please make payment by Monday 25th February 2019. I will be in touch nearer the time with final arrangements.

If you have any questions, then please do not hesitate to contact me via email – Lindsay.creak@priory.herts.sch.uk.

Yours faithfully

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Mrs L. Creak
Head of Music