



*Developing Potential without Limitations*

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Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2018

Dear Parents/Guardians

In a continuation of our fantastic partnership with Garsington Opera, our year 6 pupils will be involved in a schools project based on Mozart's 'The Magic Flute' There will be two preparation days in June leading to a final performance on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> July. In an exciting new development this year, for the first time ever, this final project performance will be held at Wormlsey Estate on the Garsington Opera Stage.

During the project your child will develop drama, singing and music skills with the brilliant Director Karen Gillingham accompanied by 2 singers. The workshop will explore themes within the opera in a lively and imaginative way.

The project details for year 6 are as follows:

<b>Workshop</b>	<b>Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> June</b>	<b>Frieth School Hall</b>	<b>9:00 – 3:10</b>
<b>Cluster day</b>	<b>Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> June</b>	<b>Holy Trinity School</b>	<b>9:00 – 3:25</b>
<b>Big Sing!</b>	<b>Friday 6<sup>th</sup> July</b>	<b>Wormlsey Estate</b>	<b>9:00 – 2:15</b>

*Parents are invited to join us at Wormsley estate for a performance of the 'Big Sing' at 1:15pm*

For the final part of the project, the year 6 pupils will be attending a performance of **'The Magic Flute' at Garsington Opera on Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> July from 5:45**. This is only open to the year 6 participating pupils and staff so will be treated as a school trip. There will be a voluntary contribution of **£5 per child** for these tickets, which I am sure you are aware is an amazing discount on the usual price of tickets for Garsington Opera! Further details about this trip will be sent out nearer the time.

After half term we will organise the final numbers for the Big Sing performance after half term, but at this stage I will be asking for **2 free tickets per family**. We will also organise travel details. In the meantime, please complete the slip below giving permission for your child to attend the workshop.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Jo Reid BA (Hons), PGCE, MA, NPQH  
Headteacher

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**Garsington Opera Year 6 project 2018**

I give permission for \_\_\_\_\_ in Eagles class to participate in the year 6 Opera project

I give permission for my child to attend the Garsington Opera Performance of 'The Magic Flute' on **Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> July at 5:45**

My child has the following medical conditions and requires the following medication:

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Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_