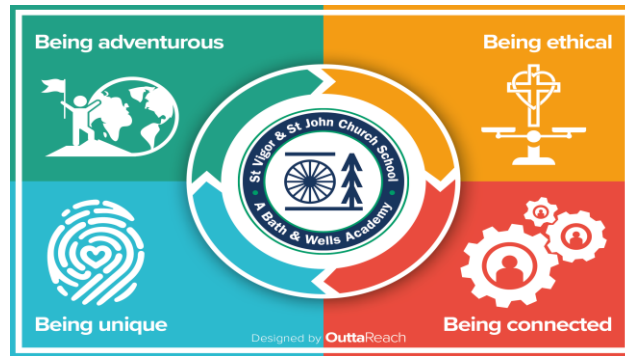




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23 October 2025

Dear Parents/carers

Young Voices 2026

BP Pulse Live, Birmingham

Monday 26th January

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are delighted to confirm that children in Foxglove and Gentian Class will be taking part in the Young Voices concert at the NEC, Birmingham, on **Monday 26th January 2026**. This nationally organised event brings together around 6,000 children from across the country to perform in an unforgettable evening of music - an experience that is always a highlight of the school year!

Key Details

- Date: Monday 26th January 2026
- Venue: BP Pulse Live Birmingham
- Cost: £22– payable by Friday 21st November 2025
- Optional Young Voices T-shirt & torch: £15.00 (order via the link below) Those who do not purchase a t-shirt can just wear a plain, white top to the concert.
- We warmly invite parents to attend the performance in Birmingham – again this is optional. Audience tickets: £24.00 each (must be ordered through the link here <https://yvmusicroom.com/auth/parent/login> by Thursday 7th November 2025 – this date has been extended)

Please note - we have no control over seat allocation, but those who purchase tickets together will be seated together. Please also be aware that tickets sell out very quickly and late orders cannot be accepted.

Practising the Songs



**St Vigor and St John Church School & The Mill Nursery,
Wells Road, Chilcompton, BA3 4EX**



@ChurchSvsj



This term in music lessons, we will be learning all of the songs and dance moves so that the children know them off by heart.

We would love them to practise at home too, using the following resources:

- MyClassmate: Log in to myclassmate.ai to practise songs and dance moves.
- Spotify: Search “*Young Voices*” to sing along to the tracks.

Being familiar with the songs will help children feel confident and get the most out of this exciting experience.

On the Day

- Arrival at school: Normal time.
- Departure: Around 9.30am by coach.
- Lunch: Children need two packed meals - one for lunch and one for tea. Please avoid sticky or sugary foods as this can make the coach quite messy. There will be no free school meals provided due to the time we have to leave however if you have any concerns or questions about this, please feel free to come and speak to us. Bring a water bottle, these can be filled up at refill stations on the day. Ideally, most of their lunch packaging should be disposable to save your child sitting with it all day.
- Clothing:
 - Come to school in your school T-shirt and dark, plain trousers/leggings/skirt.
 - Bring your Young Voices or plain white T-shirt in a bag (these will be distributed before the event).
 - Wear dark school shoes or plain trainers (no flashing lights).
- Concert timings:
 - Parents arrive from 6.00pm
 - Concert starts at 7.00pm and finishes around 8.45pm
- Return:
 - If you are collecting your child from the Arena, please refer to the Young Voices information and follow steward instructions for your school.
 - If your child is returning to school by coach, we will text you once we are on our way home (usually arriving back around midnight).

Please complete the form on Arbor to confirm how your child will be collected, at the same time as giving permission and making payment.

Additional Information

- Children do not need money or electronic devices.
- A small pillow may be brought for the journey home.
- Emergency contact details for the day:
 - School office: 01761 233847
- On the day, younger siblings, if attending the event, can be collected at lunch.

- Because of the late arrival back Monday evening, children can have a later start the next day should they wish. Please can we have all children in by **10.30am**.
- Children who do not wish to attend the event, will be expected to attend school and provision will be made for them in school.

This is an incredible experience for the children and one we are really looking forward to.

We are aware that, due to both the change of date and change in ticketing process, we have sent a lot of information regarding YV recently. If you have any questions or need support with payments or arrangements, *please don't hesitate to contact us*.

Thank you for your continued support,
The Foxglove and Gentian Teaching Teams