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THE BRITISH INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL Puxi, Shanghai

14 April 2014

RE: SOLOIST'S RECITAL SUNDAY 11 MAY 10:00AM - 1:30PM

Dear Parents / Guardians,

We would like to invite students to participate in the final of the Soloists' Recital Series for this academic year on Sunday 11 May. This event is open to all students from Reception to Year 13 who are ready to perform a music solo in public.

All instruments (including voice) are accepted but students must consider their accompaniments. Where possible, our music class teachers will help to accompany students on piano and accompaniment music should be passed to teachers by Friday 25th April. Solos should be no more than three minutes long. Please note that singers should be accompanied by music only, not by recorded songs.

There are nine recitals scheduled for this academic year on three different dates so if students are not ready to perform this term, there will be other chances next year in the Autumn Term. Please see the times for this term's recitals below.

Sunday 11 May 2014

- 1. First Recital 10am 11am
- 2. Second Recital 11:15am 12:15pm
- 3. Third Recital 12:30pm 13:30pm

The recitals will be in **concert uniform**. We will provide the black shirts and ties. We ask that students wear smart dark trousers or skirts, black tights or socks and black polishable shoes.

Parents, friends and family are welcome to come to all of the recitals and admission is free. Recitals will be in the primary theatre.

To be considered for the recital, please complete the permission slip attached and return it to the primary or secondary reception by Friday 25 April. Please note, competition for these performances is high and not all students can be accepted. There are 180 performance spaces in total across the academic year and priority will be given to those students taking instrumental lessons at school or studying for GCSE, IB or ABRSM music exams.

If you would like any further advice, please feel free to contact your music class teacher or instrumental teacher through the relevant email address:

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Kind regards,

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PERMISSION SLIP: SOLOIST'S RECITAL SUNDAY 11 MAY

Please complete and return to either the Primary or Secondary reception desk, FAO Music by Friday 25 April.

Students Name:	Class:
	C1035

Parent/Guardia	n Email Address:		
Instrument:		Piece:	
Approx. Level (b	oeginner/intermedia	te/advanced/ABRSM g	rade):
Please put a number (1, 2, 3) in order of preference for the recital time.			
First Recital	10:00am – 11:00am		
Second Recital	11:15am – 12:15pm		
Third Recital	12:30pm – 13:30pm		
Please note, whilst we cannot guarantee your first choice of time, we will try our best.			
Parent/Guardia	n Name:		
Parent/Guardia	n Signature:		Date: