



KIRKHAM  
GRAMMAR SCHOOL

JUNIOR, INFANT AND PRE-SCHOOL HEADMISTRESS: KIRSTEN O'DONOGHUE BA (HONS)

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Dear Parent

**Kirkham Grammar Junior and Infant Performing Arts Festival 2022**

We are delighted to announce that our very first Kirkham Grammar Junior and Infant Performing Arts Festival will take place on Thursday 16 June 2022; this event will represent those pupils who enjoy, and excel at, music and drama. The festival will be open to pupils from I3 to J4, and KGS parents will be invited to attend.

Application Forms have already been distributed by our peripatetic drama and music teachers; however, the festival is not exclusive to pupils taking lessons at School, and we welcome applications from our pupils that have vocal coaching, study drama or learn an instrument externally.

As well as this being one of the many important opportunities presented to our pupils to develop their performance skills, receive constructive feedback and enhance their self-esteem, every pupil will also receive formal recognition of their participation with a certificate. A first place, second place and highly commended will be awarded in each year group, with two overall winners chosen from all the participants. These two overall winners will be given the prestigious titles of: 'Young Musician of the Year 2022' and 'Young Drama Student of the Year 2022'.

**The closing date for entries is Friday 20 May.** Please return all completed Music Application Forms to me, Ms Boylan, and completed Drama Application Forms to Ms Douglas. Alternatively these can be left with the School Office, or given to your child's Class Teacher.

This is a wonderful opportunity for our pupils to showcase their talent, and there is already an immense amount of excitement about this event. We are all very much looking forward to hearing what your talented children perform on the day and do hope that you will be able to support this event in due course.

Should you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact me directly.

Best wishes

**Ms Boylan**

**Music Teacher**

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