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10th January 2024

Dear Parent/Carer

YEAR 7&8 INSPIRE DANCE 2024

I am pleased to announce that this year's Inspire Dance 2024 is due to start next week. Each year students who take part have an amazing time and always get so much from their involvement in the show. We look forward to seeing what this year's show will bring.

I am happy to inform you that your child has signed up to perform this year. The show will take place at Biddulph High School on the evening of Tuesday 19th March 2024. Exact times for this year will be confirmed closer to the date, but last year students attended from approximately 6-7.45pm.

A technical rehearsal will take place during the school day on Monday 18th March. Year 7 and 8 rehearsals will start next Wednesday 17th January at James Bateman from 3.30-4.30pm.

As we have a limited number of weeks to rehearse, it is imperative that your child attends each rehearsal so that they can work with their fellow dancers, and are fully prepared for the evening's performance.

Rehearsals are free and information regarding how you can buy tickets for the event will be sent out closer to the date, with two tickets allocated for each performer. Each year we choose costumes which require little financial input, for example in the past costumes have included black leggings, trainers and t-shirt.

Please note that there is a limit of 25 dancers for each age group and there is a waiting list of students who wish to take part. As a result, if your child is unable to commit to rehearsals, their place in the show will be offered to another student. If there is a genuine reason that your child cannot attend a rehearsal, please either email me or send a note with your child and we can work around it.

If you would like your child to take part in the show, **please give consent** for them on **Arbor under Activities and then Clubs** to secure their place by Friday 26th January. At this point any places not secured will be offered to students on the waiting list.

Yours sincerely

Mrs C. Montifroy
(Head of Physical Education)