Dear Parent/Carer

On Wednesday, October 28th, the Junior Concert band, Senior Concert band and the Senior String ensemble will perform at Music Fest as part of the Instrumental Music Program. The aim of this activity is to encourage students to strive for excellence in performance and to gain valuable experience in performing, both as individuals and as an ensemble.

Activity details:
- **Date:** Wednesday 28th October, 2015
- **Location:** Performing Arts Complex, Iona College, 85 North Road, Wynnum West 4178.
- **Time:** The bus will leave school at 8:20am. We will return to school at approximately 1:30pm.
- **Transport:** Due to the location of this event, we will be using buses to get to and from the event.
- **Uniform:** Students will be required to wear full music uniform for this event (Music shirts, black trousers, black socks, black shoes, green ribbons in hair).
  Students may choose to also take their normal school uniform with them to wear once they return to school.
- **Cost:** $11.60 to cover the cost of transport.

Please be aware that once you have committed and paid for this event money will not be refunded, as the cost of the bus does not change if students pull-out.

**Performance times:**
- Junior band will perform at 10:10am.
- Senior band will perform at 10:50am.
- Senior String ensemble will perform at 11:10am.

Students should bring their instrument, a water bottle, morning tea and lunch. Parents are welcome to attend and watch students perform. Please be aware entry fees will apply:
  - $10.00 Adults (single day entry only)
  - $5.00 Concession (single day entry only)
  - $20.00 Family single day entry (2 Adults 2 Children)
  - $35.00 Family Pass Unlimited Entry (2 Adults 2 Children)
  - $20.00 Adult Unlimited Entry Pass

If you wish for your child to participate in the activity, please complete the consent form and return it with your payment by October 16.

Two parent helpers are required for this event. If you can assist for the duration of the event as well as travel with us on the bus, please let the Office or Karen Elliott know as soon as possible.

Yours sincerely

Karen Elliott
Music Teacher and Program Coordinator
Activity Risks & Insurance
Please note that the Department of Education and Training does not have personal accident insurance cover for students. If your child is injured as a result of an accident or incident while participating in the activity, all costs associated with the injury, including medical costs are the responsibility of the parent/carer. Some incidental medical costs may be covered by Medicare. If you have private health insurance, some costs may be also be covered by your provider. Any other costs must be covered by parents/carers. It is up to all parents/carers to decide what types and what level of private insurance they wish to arrange to cover their child. Please take this into consideration in deciding whether or not to allow your child to participate in this activity.

Consent
By signing this form (below) I agree that:

- I have read all of the information contained in this form in relation to the activity (including any attached material) and I am aware that the Department of Education and Training does not have personal accident insurance cover for students.
- I give consent for my child, _______________________________________________ in class ________, to participate in the Music Fest on October 28, 2015.
- I will pay to the school the costs detailed above for my child’s participation in the activity.
- In the event of an accident or illness, school staff may obtain or administer any medical assistance or treatment my child may reasonably require, including contacting my child’s doctor.
- I accept liability for all reasonable costs incurred by the Department of Education and Training in obtaining such medical assistance or treatment (including any transportation costs) and undertake to reimburse the Department of Education and Training the full amount of those costs.
- I have provided the school all relevant details of my child’s medical or physical needs on enrolment and where relevant have updated this information.

Parent/Carer
Name (please print): ___________________________________________________________________

Parent/Carer’s Signature: _________________________________________________

Date: _________/_________/________

Additional medical information
The school collected medical information about your child at enrolment. This information is stored electronically in OneSchool. Please give full details of any new or updated medical information which may affect your child’s full participation in the activity described in the form.
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You may also wish to provide the following information*:

Name of child’s medical practitioner: ______________________________

Telephone No.: ______________________________

Medicare No.: ______________________________

Private Health Insurance Company (if applicable): ______________________________

Membership No.: ______________________________