

29th September 2025

Dear Parents and Carers

RE: Year 7 Singing Competition – 23rd October 2025

I am writing to inform you that the Creative Arts department are organising an event to welcome our year 7 students to Ernest Bevin Academy. This event will be an inter-class singing competition acknowledging international women in music. The students have been working on developing their performances since the beginning of term and will be showcasing it on **Thursday 23rd October 2025 from 5:15pm – 6:00pm** in the main hall.

Students may remain in school until the scheduled time for the event. Alternatively, you may choose for your son to go home at 3:10pm and return to school in full uniform at 5:00pm. If students wish to stay in school, a space will be provided for them alongside some light refreshments.

For all year 7 students, this will be the first opportunity they have had to perform to an audience at EBA. We would be delighted to welcome you to the showcase to support your son, as well as the other performers.

Please complete the reply slip, identifying whether you give permission for your son to take part in the event and informing us of whether you can attend the event so we can arrange the correct number of refreshments for the evening. Reply slips should be handed to Mr Bello no later than **Friday 17th October 2025**.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us via the school office. We look forward to welcoming you to the Summer Showcase.

Yours sincerely,

Mr. Y Bello
Music Teacher

Year 7 Singing Competition – Reply slip

I do/do not give permission for my son _____ to participate in the Singing Competition on 23rd October 2025.

I will / will not be attending the Singing Competition and require ____ seats.

If you are unable to attend the Summer Showcase, do you give permission for your son to leave school unattended at 6:00pm? Yes / No

Signed _____

Date _____