



# MALCOLM SARGENT PRIMARY SCHOOL

Love To Learn

13 March 2019

Dear Parents/Carers

## **OUNDLE FESTIVAL OF SPEECH AND DRAMA**

Congratulations! Your child \_\_\_\_\_ took part in a Poetry Slam in their classrooms and was selected as a winner in that class.

Being able to recite a memorised poem in front of an audience is a Y5 objective so we are delighted to be able to offer your child the opportunity to do this at the Oundle Festival of Speech and Drama on Tuesday 2 April 2019, in the 'My Favourite' category. At the Festival, the children will be competing against other local schools so they now need to keep practising their recitals. Please be aware that the judges will be looking for very clear articulation and loud slow voices with lots of expression in the children's faces. They do not want actions to go with each line.

This trip will take place within school hours. The twelve children selected from Y5 will be driven to Oundle in staff member's cars. If your child requires a booster seat (under 135cm tall and under 12 years old) please provide one on the morning of the Festival, clearly named.

The children will need to look smart in full school uniform on that day. They will need to take a packed lunch, snacks and drinks to eat whilst at Oundle, packed into a small rucksack. If you have already ordered a hot meal for this date, please contact Mrs Bell at the office to arrange a pack up or a refund.

If your child has an epi-pen or inhaler in school, we will take these with us automatically. If your child requires any other medication, including travel sickness pills, please speak to your class teacher. Medication would need to be handed in on the morning of the trip to the class teacher, in a clearly labelled envelope.

Please complete and return the permission slip attached and return it to your class teacher as soon as possible.

We are looking forward to a really exciting day of recital with the children.

Yours sincerely

Adele Raistrick  
Year 5 Class Teacher

**OUNDLE FESTIVAL OF SPEECH AND DRAMA – MISS RAISTRICK**

Child: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_

- My child may attend this Festival
- My child requires a booster seat
- Medication: \_\_\_\_\_
- Lunch arrangements made with Mrs Bell

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ (Parent/Guardian)