



Talking Rhythms to enter 'Junk Taiko'
performance group at UK Taiko Festival
July 5th- 7th 2019

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Dear Parents,

We are writing to tell you of an exciting project taking place in July 2019.

During the weekend of 5th – 7th of July 2019, the UK National Taiko Festival will be coming to Leicester and Talking Rhythms has been offered the opportunity to perform with our 'Junk Taiko' drums at the festival. The intention is to take ten children from each of the three schools currently partaking in Talking Rhythms Junk Taiko clubs.

I am hopeful that this will be just the beginning of an exciting year for Taiko as there are a number of events being planned in County schools for the build up to the 2020 Tokyo Olympics, offering ideal platforms for future Taiko performances.

The Festival project will require two half day and one full day rehearsal during school time over the intervening months and possibly a couple of afterschool practices in June depending on progress.

Aside from the in-school rehearsals, your child will need to be able to continue attending the afterschool sessions from January – June, and most importantly, you will need to be available to attend the festival performance on Friday 5th July (evening) at the Sue Townsend Theatre.

If you would like your child to be considered for this event, able to attend the rehearsals, and show continued commitment to the Taiko, please could you return the slip below to school. The new dates for the Taiko after school club will be sent on ParentMail shortly.

Many thanks

Mrs Galpin & Simon Stokes

I am happy for _____ Class _____ School _____

to take part in the 2019 Taiko Festival Project . I have checked our availability and they will definitely be available for show and rehearsals.

My latest contact no. _____

Signed _____ Parent/Guardian



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