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Form.....

Instrument.....

April 2021

Year 7 and 8 Strings

Dear pupils, parents and carers

I am delighted to announce that we are now able to start the Junior string ensemble. We are able to invite both **year 7 and year 8 string players**. The two year groups will be separated and guidelines on social distancing, 2 metre spacing and ventilation will be implemented.

This ensemble will take place **after school on Tuesday's in Main Hall from 3.45 – 4.30** and will follow current guidelines

We would like to invite your son/daughter to take part in the Junior string group, commencing **Tuesday 20th April 2021** and every Tuesday thereafter. (There will not be a rehearsal Tuesday 11th May due to year 7 parents evening).

The ensemble will be for **violins, violas, cellos and double bass** instruments. Pupils will need to bring their instrument to school on a Tuesday morning and may leave it in the instrument store room, in the music department. Please could I ask you to make sure that the instrument is clearly named on the outside of the case and that it is covered by your home insurance.

Pupils may be a little nervous to attend at first, but please assure them that they will get the warmest of welcomes and we hope that this will be the beginning of a long and enjoyable involvement in musical activities at St Aidan's.

We look forward to welcoming your son/daughter.

Yours sincerely

Mr Pallant
Director of music

Mrs J C Leonard
Assistant director of music