



9 June 2020

Dear Parents and Carers

**Re: Virtual Summer Concert 2020**

I just wanted to send you a quick reminder that next Monday is the deadline for sending in videos to me for the Virtual Summer Concert.

All submissions should be performance standard as they would have been performed at the Summer Concert had it taken place. As such, singers should use a backing track or contact me so I can record a piano accompaniment for them.

All videos should be sent to me in advance of the deadline [mharris@st-martins.essex.sch.uk](mailto:mharris@st-martins.essex.sch.uk). However, video file sizes are usually too big to attach to an e-mail, I therefore recommend using the website [WeTransfer.com](http://WeTransfer.com) to send them. This service is free, reliable and files up to 2GB can be sent.

A reminder that in the interests of fairness, videos should be no more than four minutes in length and students may only submit one video.

The concert will then be broadcast 'live' on YouTube on Wednesday 24 June at 6pm, the same day and time our traditional Summer Concert was due to take place. In advance of this, all parents will be sent a link so they are able to 'tune in' at the right time. Should the link be clicked before 6pm on Wednesday 24 June, the video will be marked as private and will not play until the above broadcast time.

I do hope your son or daughter will wish to participate in what promises to be an uplifting and inspiring event. Should you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

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**Head of Music**