



# The Crossley Heath School

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## Big Band/Choir Workshop and Concert – Friday 24 January

13 January 2025

Dear Parent/Carer,

Our school Big Band and Choir performed superbly at the Minster before Christmas and we are really proud of them! There are a number of exciting opportunities for both groups coming up.

The first of these is a workshop day on Friday 24 January. Mrs Callaghan who now leads our Big Band conducts a community Wind Band called Rossendale Valley Sounds and has done so for the last 25 years. Last academic year the band came into school to do a workshop with our students and a short performance to our year 7s. This year we are going to do similar but open it up to parents to come to an early evening concert which will happen at 5:30-6:30pm at school. For this event to be a success we need as many students in Big Band and Choir to attend both during the school day and for the early evening concert. Please could you fill in the form by clicking the link below or scanning the QR code to indicate your child's availability?

<https://forms.office.com/e/X5AUzm42Ak>



During the day, students from Big Band will be out of lessons rehearsing from period 3 until the end of the school day. Choir will join from period 4 onwards. Year 7 will all attend a performance of what has been achieved during period 5. Tickets for the early evening concert are available on ParentPay and cost £4 per head. All proceeds will go towards new instruments and music for the Big Band and Choir.

Thank you for your support.

Kind regards,

Mr R Nimmo  
Head of Music