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Dear Parent/Carer,

## School of Rock – Early Bird Tickets Are Here!

We are thrilled to invite you to this year's spectacular musical production: *School of Rock!*

Join us for two unforgettable evenings of music, energy, and pure rock magic on **Wednesday 28 January, Thursday 29 January and Friday 30 January 2026**. Doors will open at **6.30pm** and the show kicks off promptly at **7.00pm**. Expect a short 15-minute interval, with the curtain closing around **9.30pm**.

This production has been five months in the making, with students from Year 7 to Year 13 pouring their hearts into rehearsals—singing, acting, dancing, and working tirelessly behind the scenes. There are live bands both on-stage band and in the pit, showcasing incredible student talent and dedication.

**Grab Your Early Bird Tickets!** Book before Christmas to enjoy special prices: Adults £12, Children £9. If you are unable to attend (or would like to make a bigger contribution) you are welcome to make a donation to the Music Department in the same area on WisePay.

Tickets are available in the **Shop section in WisePay under Events and Tickets**, with proceeds going towards the show licence, essential equipment hire and other production costs. Please book early—tickets are limited and will be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis. Early Bird sales end at the close of this term, so don't miss out! If you are unable to attend (or would like to make a bigger contribution) you are welcome to make a donation towards the costs of the production in the same area on WisePay.

We can't wait to see you there, cheering on our amazing performers and sharing in what promises to be an unforgettable night of music and fun!

Yours sincerely,

**Mr S Flanagan**  
Head of Music

**Headteacher:** Mr Alan Blount, MA, BSc, QTS

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