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Dear Parent/Guardian

<b>East Ayrshire Music Hub Summer Schools</b>
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Monday 30 July to Friday 3 August 2018 - Onthank Primary (tbc)
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I am delighted to be able to take this opportunity to inform you about this year's East Ayrshire Music Hub Summer School. The Summer School is open to all East Ayrshire pupils from P4-S6 and an invitation is extended to your child to participate in this. Each day will begin at 10:00am and finish at 3:00pm. There will be a showcase performance for parents and friends on the Friday afternoon at 1:30pm in the Assembly Hall to which you are all very welcome.

The week's activities will include the options of Choir, String group and Guitar group. A maximum of 2 options can be made on the attached form, however for the String group pupils must have access to their own instrument, if they pupils are learning through our Whole Class String project please include the instrument and school details on the attached forms.

The course will be based at Onthank Primary and participants should bring a packed lunch each day. This year's course is being co-ordinated by Julie Carrie, YMI Co-ordinator & School Support, and all sessions will be taken by highly qualified and experienced musicians. To ensure maximum benefit for everyone, it is anticipated that the usual high standards of behaviour expected in our schools will be displayed.

There is **no cost** for this Summer School as it is being supported by the Youth Music Initiative and Creative Scotland, however, please note that **each applicant should be able to make their own transport arrangements**, however should this not be possible please contact me directly.

If you would like to apply for a place on this course for your child, please complete the attached forms and return them to me at the address below by **Friday 29<sup>th</sup> June 2018**. **If, at a later date, you find that your child cannot attend I would appreciate if you could let me know as soon as possible.** Confirmation and final information letters will be sent out after the closing date.

Yours sincerely

*Julie Carrie*

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YMI Co-ordinator  
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Application/Photograph Permission Form  
Parental Consent Form