

CIRCULAR FOR PARENTS

**Ref No-** Cir/RBS/2017-18/No.97

**Date-**25/04/2018

**To:** Parents (Class 4 and Class 5)

**From:** The Principal

**Subject:** Choice of Performing arts activity in Class 5 and Class 6 for Academic Year 2018-19 (Co-curricular )

**Dear Parents,**

The performing arts provide a creative opportunity for children, introducing them to the imaginative worlds of theater, music and dance. Exposure to the performing arts at an early age provides fond memories that children will cherish for a lifetime. More importantly it initiates the development of invaluable life skills in children.

In the middle school years a child is able to understand ones own interest areas more and develop better clarity. Hence from last academic year (2017-2018) the school has offered a choice in the Performing art activities of Music, Dance and Dramatics for Class 5 and above.

As a continuation to that, for the **Academic Year 2018-2019**, we would like to know your preference in the area of performing arts. For students entering Class 6, we request your ward to continue with last year's choice (Class 5 activity) as it may help the child to develop further skills in the same art form. However your ward may choose to opt for another activity, specifying the reason for change.

**Category A: The following are the three options in Music. You may choose any one out of the three options.**

1. Music- Vocal
2. Instrumental- Keyboard
3. Instrumental- Guitar

**Category B: The following are the two options in the other category of performing arts. You may choose any one out of the two options.**

1. Dance
2. Drama

Please note that each activity has limited capacity to maximize learning. Based on the preferences received from students, the final allocation of each student to the activities will be done. It may happen that the student may not receive his/her first preference.

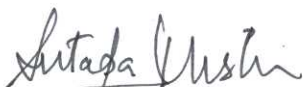
Such a decision will be taken based on the following parameters in order of priority:

- Whether the child has pursued this activity in the previous year (for incoming Class 6 students)
- The interest and skills shown by the student so far in each of these areas
- First come first serve basis of the submission of the form

All these parameters will jointly help us determine for appropriate allocation of the student to the activity, in case his/her first preference is not available.

Parents are requested to co-operate with the school in this regard. Please fill and submit the below interest form by 28<sup>th</sup> April 2018, Saturday and submit the same to your ward's Homeroom teacher or School counselor.

**With warm regards**



*Mrs. Sitapa Mishra*

**The Principal**

**Redbricks School (Class 1 to 6)**

**INTEREST FORM**

**(Choice of Performing Arts Co curricular Activity – Class 5 and Class 6 for Year 2018-19)**

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class (2017-18): \_\_\_\_\_ Name of the Parent: \_\_\_\_\_

**Choice of Performing Arts Co curricular Activity for the Academic Year 2018-2019:**

**Category A (Music):** *(Please tick on your preference. Make sure to give us all your three preferences, otherwise the form will be considered invalid):*

**Preference 1:** Vocal Music / Instrumental- Guitar / Instrumental -Keyboard

**Preference 2:** Vocal Music / Instrumental- Guitar / Instrumental -Keyboard

**Preference 3:** Vocal Music / Instrumental- Guitar / Instrumental -Keyboard

**Category B (Dance or Drama):** *(Please tick on your preference. Make sure to give us all your two preferences, otherwise the form will be considered invalid):*

**Preference 1:** Dance / Drama

**Preference 2:** Dance/ Drama

**For Current Class 5 (2017-18) / incoming Class 6 (2018-19) students only:**

**Is there any change in your 1<sup>st</sup> preference from last year's activity pursued by your ward?**

**Music: Yes/ No      and      Dance or Drama: Yes/No**

If Yes, please specify the Reason for the change:

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Parent's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_