

## Dudley Performing Arts Calendar 2018 2019

Autumn		Number of teaching days in each term:			
	<b>Start of all DPA teaching and performance groups</b>				
	<b>Remembrance Sunday</b>	<b>Mon</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>8</b>
	<b>Parents Evening, 17:30 - 21:00</b> Netherton Arts Centre	<b>Tue</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>8</b>
	<b>Winter Concert One</b> Stourbridge Town Hall	<b>Wed</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>8</b>
	<b>Winter Concert Two</b> Stourbridge Town Hall	<b>Thr</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>8</b>
	<b>Winter Concert Three</b> Stourbridge Town Hall	<b>Fri</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>8</b>
	<b>Winter Dance Festival</b> Stourbridge Town Hall	<b>DPA EVENTS</b>			
	<b>The Mayors Schools Christmas Concert</b> Dudley Town Hall	It is likely that some of your students will be involved in our performance group programme. The events are listed to the left.			
	<b>Live Music in Schools</b> (DPA teaching ends 18th December)	<i>Events in italics provide opportunity for schools to bring groups to perform - contact DPA if you would like to take part.</i>			
Spring	<b>No DPA Teaching</b> (Staff training Day)	<b>Live Music in Schools is a programme where our teachers perform curriculum based shows in schools. There are options for all key stages - contact DPA for availability.</b>			
	<b>Start of teaching in schools</b>				
	<b>Spring Festival 1</b> Dudley Town Hall	Several of our spring events include opportunities for students to sign up to projects that allow them to perform at our concerts. Our staff will speak to you during the term about opportunities for your students			
	<b>Spring Festival 2</b> Dudley Town Hall				
	<b>Spring Dance Festival</b> Dudley Town Hall				
	<b>Drummers Day</b> Netherton Arts Centre				
	<b>Wind Festival</b> Dudley Town Hall				
	<b>Festival of Song</b> Dudley Town Hall	Our Inspire Programme takes place in the Summer term and includes opportunities for schools to bring whole class instrumental projects to play alongside some of the best musicians in the country as well as options for students taking regular instrumental tuition. The programme includes a morning on 27th June that is dedicated to those at the beginning of their musical journey and a gala concert for advanced students.			
	<b>Live Music Day (no DPA teaching)</b>				
	<b>Grand Festival of Strings</b> Dudley Town Hall				
<b>Chamber Groups and Soloists Concert</b> TBA (DPA teaching ends 12th April and restarts on 29th)	Contingency teaching is used to 'catch up' sessions that do not take place. We will send you a schedule detailing visits during these weeks towards the end of June. If 34 visits have taken place there will be no teaching on these days.				
<b>No DPA Teaching</b> (Staff training Day)					
<b>DPA Open Evening</b> Netherton Arts Centre					
<b>Inspire - Gala Concert Rehearsal</b> Netherton Arts Centre 19:00 - 21:00					
<b>Inspire - Meet the Music for SGIT students</b> Netherton Arts Centre, 18:00 - 19:30					
<b>Inspire Morning</b> Dudley Town Hall					
<b>Contingency Week 1</b>					
<b>Inspire Vocal and Orchestral Rehearsal</b> Venue TBC					
<b>Summer Music Festival</b> Mary Stevens Park					
<b>Contingency Week 2</b>					
<b>Inspire Gala Concert</b> Venue TBC	Contact 01384 813835 or <a href="mailto:dpa.cs@dudley.gov.uk">dpa.cs@dudley.gov.uk</a> for further details				
<b>Recorder Festival</b> Netherton Arts Centre					
<b>Teaching in lieu 6th May</b>					
<b>Live Music in Schools</b> (No DPA teaching)					
<b>Teaching in lieu 2nd May - last day of DPA teaching</b>					