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Dear 6th grade performing arts families,

We are excited to offer our 6th graders a trip to the Atlanta Symphony and want to pass along the information to you. The ASO is a world class performing group and we are lucky to have them so close to home.

HERStory is a concert celebrating female composers and female historical figures who paved the way. From voting rights to civil rights to science discovery, audiences will explore the stories of key female figures such as Susan B. Anthony, Rosa Parks, Jane Goodall, and Mae Carol Jemison. This concert integrates social studies standards and music standards as we take an interactive and musical journey through time.

We also need plenty of chaperones for this trip, therefore parents are encouraged to join us. Please pay through OSP and complete the FCS volunteer training if you have not done it within the last 2 years.

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Feb 6, 2024

Students will attend their first period at 9:45 we will call all students to the cafeteria and assemble in chaperone groups to load busses.

9:45	Report to Cafe
10:15	Leave NMS
11:45	ASO performance
12:30	Leave ASO
1:30-2:30	Lunch at Northpoint Mall
3:30	Return to NMS

- Students are asked to pay a \$40 field trip fee via Online School Payments (OSP).
- Students will be expected to conduct themselves in a way that will represent NMS in a very positive and mature manner.
- Students will be transported by bus to and from the event.
- Students should wear their NMS music t- shirt
- Students will need money for lunch at Northpoint Mall, and they should bring a coat incase it is cold inside the ASO or outside.

Chaperones:

- Chaperones are asked to pay a \$40 field trip fee via Online School Payments (OSP).
- If you are chaperoning please email ClaymanE@fultonschools.org so you are added to the chaperone list
- Chaperones must have completed their volunteer training before we go, it can take a few days to complete and go through so please complete it early.
- Chaperones must attend a meeting in the NMS chorus room on Feb 6 starting at 9 AM. Please arrive by 8:45 so that we can start on time.

We already have your permission form so all you need to do to sign up is pay on OSP by January 30