

TO: Parents of Hill 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> graders  
FROM: Michelle Herb, Hill Music Specialist  
RE: Young People's Concerts  
WHERE: The Austin ISD Performing Arts Center  
WHEN: Tuesday, November 13<sup>th</sup> 2018



The Hill Music Department is excited to announce that on November 13th, all Hill 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grade students will get to visit the AISD Performing Arts Center for the Young People's Concerts! The Performing Arts Center is located at 1500 Barbara Jordan Blvd. Austin, TX, 78723. Students will hear music from various composers including Leonard Bernstein, John Williams, Aaron Copland, and Antonin Dvorak.

I will prepare the students for the performance during music class time, discussing each composition and reviewing audience etiquette. While at the PAC, students will enjoy hearing the Austin Symphony Orchestra live and performing a song with the Austin Symphony. Our trip to see the Young People's Concerts correlates with the Music TEKS V: *Historical and Cultural Relevance* and VI: *Critical Evaluation and Response*.

Since this is a trip to hear the Symphony, we ask that all students wear nice clothes to school this day to get the true concert experience. That could be a dress, or nice pants and shirts, for girls, and a nice shirt and pants for boys. Please, no shorts on this day.

A HUGE "Dillo Cheer" to the Austin ISD Fine Arts Department for generously funding this trip for every elementary school in AISD year after year. Please contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

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### **The Young People's Concerts – Music trip for 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grades**

**Date:** Tuesday, November 13th, 2018

**Bus Leaves Hill:** 9:00am

**The Performance starts:** 10:00am

**Bus leaves the Long Center:** 11:00am

**Bus Returns to Hill:** 11:30am

NOTE: This trip should not affect lunches, however teachers will let you know if there are any special lunch arrangements.