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Co-Headteachers Mrs Anne Kennedy and Mrs Katie Pearce

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Dear Parent/Guardian

Re: Year 12/13 Artist in Residence

We have arranged an inspirational art visit from the acclaimed artist Ian Murphy on **5th December 2018** for Year 12 and 13 Art students. The day spent with Ian Murphy will introduce our students to the technical skills the artist uses in his drawings and to challenge the students to extend their compositional understanding. We anticipate the experience will further enhance the students' key skills, sketchbook work as well as their development of ideas. The success of the workshop will not just be measured by the achievements on the day, but by how the techniques, visual stimuli in the sketchbooks, and the artwork inspire everyone going forward.

The day will run from 9am to 4pm with normal lunch breaks and will take place in the Art block. Students will register at 8.40am as normal.

To enable the workshop to go ahead we need a voluntary contribution of £32.45 per student. Payment and consent should be made via WisePay; simply login to your WisePay account for details.

If you need a reminder of your WisePay login please e-mail <u>w.simmonds@holt.wokingham.sch.uk</u> In the event of difficulties using this system, please telephone Mrs Simmons, the Assistant School Business Manager.

This is a voluntary activity and we reserve the right to cancel should there be insufficient uptake. Thank you for your support.

Yours sincerely

Miss J Schotting Art Teacher