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Dear Colleagues

**Music Conference Friday 11th July at Bath Spa University.**  
**MAKING CONNECTIONS**

**A one-day regional Music conference for ALL teaching staff, Music Subject Leaders, Headteachers and Governors.**

I write to remind you of the second regional Music Conference, which has been jointly organised and run by representatives of five LAs and Bath Spa University.

This event is an ideal opportunity for colleagues to update themselves on current music issues, to view good practice and gain ideas to take back to school. This year's theme of Making Connections will be introduced by the keynote speaker David Price who is a nationally known figure in Music Education and has spoken at many music conferences about Creativity. All delegates will be able to attend three workshops and look at the trade stands offering information, music books, and instruments for sale. The evaluations of last year's event were extremely positive. For a report of last year's conference go to [www.learningwithsouthglos.org/music](http://www.learningwithsouthglos.org/music) for a summary and pictures of the days events.

The cost is now **£80** per delegate, which includes lunch and all refreshments. Please find enclosed one copy of the information containing details of all the workshops that are available on the day. It would be appreciated if you could bring this information to the attention of teaching and support staff within your school and members of the governing body, in particular those with a strategic responsibility for Music in the curriculum.

**Booking your place:**

All information and extra booking forms can be downloaded from the music curriculum web site at [www.learningwithsouthglos.org/music](http://www.learningwithsouthglos.org/music)

The closing date for bookings is **Friday 27th June 2008**. There is a limit to the number for each workshop, so colleagues are advised to book early to avoid disappointment.

Thank you in anticipation of your support.  
Yours sincerely

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