

## MUSIC

**INTENT** – Luddenden CE School is committed to providing an environment which embraces individuality, creativity, self-expression. Our music curriculum aims to ensure all pupils develop a love and appreciation of music through their experiences of listening, playing and singing. Children will have the confidence to freely express themselves through the medium of music. Our core values in music are love, friendship, compassion and openness.

**IMPLEMENTATION** – The aims of the National Curriculum are fulfilled through the use of [Charanga](#), a comprehensive online music package. It uses a repetition-based, practical and exploratory approach to musical learning. The interrelated dimensions of music weave through the units to encourage the development of musical skills as the learning progresses through listening and appraising, differing musical activities (including creating and exploring) and performing. Children are exposed to a variety of musical genres and develop the skills to identify and evaluate these. They are actively involved in developing their singing voices and musicality, both individually and as part of a group. Children learn how to handle and play classroom instruments and how to interpret musical notation.

**IMPACT** – Children enjoy music in all its forms. They develop their own musical taste and know about different music genres and the most influential musicians. Learning about the same musical concept through different musical activities enables a more secure and deeper learning of musical skills. Children are assessed using a range of strategies including individual and group performance; pupil voice; peer and self-reviews and verbal feedback. Children will be well equipped to use music as a form of expression. Children’s sense of self and wellbeing will be positively impacted.

Through exposure to music in school, children will have a heightened awareness of opportunities outside of school and access to these may therefore be increased.

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer2
Nursery	N. Bounce Into Action	N. Rainbow Magic	N. Happy Talk	N. Amazing Animals	N. Number Fun	N. Beep Beep Toot Toot
Reception/Year 1 Cycle A	1. Rhyming In Time	R. Creative Moves	1. Music Inspired By The World Around Us	R. Number Time	1. Sound And Pictures	R. Rhythm Adventure
Reception/Year 1 Cycle B	R. Chant To The Animals	1. Let’s Start Singing	R. Liltng Lullaby	1. Exploring Rhythm Patterns	R. Wellbeing Matters	1. Highs And Lows
Year 2/3 Cycle A	3. A Shining Performance	2. Let’s Keep Singing	2. Sound and Symbol 1	2. Sound and Symbol 2	2. Around The World	2. The Power Of Communication
Year 2/3 Cycle B	2. Questions And Answers	3. Sing And Move	3. Music And Video	3. You Gotta Try	3. Music And Sound	3. Sound Exploration
Year 4/5 Cycle A	5. Shaping Music	4. Singing And Traditions	5. Sounds Dramatic	4. Exploring Musical Contrasts	5. Carnival 1	5. Carnival 2
Year 4/5 Cycle B	4. Create And Notate	5. Unlocking Vocal Potential	4. Recycling Songs	5. Decoding Sound And Notation	4. FX Sound Effects	4. Round And Round
Year 6	6. Music Speaks	6. Express, Inspire And Perform	6. Music Reimagined	6. Musical Sketches	6. Music Remixed	6. The Grand Finale