

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