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Teaching music skills to inspire a love of music for life!

Key Objectives EYFS In Foundation music is taught through the curriculum area 'Expressive arts and design'. The Early Learning Goal for this area is:	Key Objectives Year One Children will learn:	Key Objectives Year Two Children will learn:		
Expressive Arts and Design Children sing songs, make music and dance, and experiment with ways of changing them. They safely use and explore a variety of materials, tools and techniques, experimenting with colour, design, texture, form and function.	 use voices expressively and creatively by singing songs and speaking chants and rhymes play tuned and un-tuned instruments musically listen with concentration and understanding to a range of high-quality experiment live and recorded 	 use voices expressively and creatively by singing songs and speaking chants and rhymes play tuned and un-tuned instruments musically listen with concentration and understanding to a range of high- 		
	 experiment with, create, select and combine sounds using the interrelated dimensions of music. 	 quality experiment live and recorded music experiment with, create, select and combine sounds using the interrelated dimensions of music. 		

How we teach music!

Music is taught through Music Express, a music scheme that provides a set of lesson plans, recordings and photocopiable activities for teaching each individual year group. The scheme is divided into six weekly music lessons over half a term. There are six units to cover the academic year. Year 2 also have Hampshire Music Service providing music tuition twice a year.

Why we value music!

The school actively encourages teachers to apply musical skills across the curriculum to enhance learning such as, developing sound listening and concentration skills, to promote positive behaviour in the classroom, reduce anxiety and develop positive relationships through singing! Use songs in maths to help children learn different mathematical concepts and sing stories in literacy to help children remember them. Music is a great way to inspire art-work and learn about different emotions and of course keep fit! We believe music makes learning fun, it inspires children, it helps to engage them to make them better learners.

Foundation Stage

In Foundation, Music is taught in a cross curricular approach incorporating all the aspects of the Development Matters Curriculum. However, there is also a weekly directed music lesson to develop skills using EYFS Music Express.

EYFS	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Units	Special People Beat and temp PSED	Growth & change Loud and quiet PD	Going places High and low CLL	Stories and sounds Structure CLL	Working world Texture UTW	Our senses Timbre EAD
Week 1	Hello	Winter	Noah	Colourful creatures	Farm time	Seaside
Week 2	My turn, your turn	Storm	Jack-in-the-box	Jamaquack jive	Our town	Clocks
Week 3	Hands feet and faces	Boo!	The three bears	Sing me a story	Recycling	Sound wall
Week 4	Spider tricks	Caterpillar	Popcorn	Copycat sounds	Light	Papery sounds
Week 5	Magic dove	Water, water everywhere	Rhyme time	Rock candy	Working toys	Cake makers
Week 6	Happy New Year	The special drum	Mousie Brown	Tell me a tale	Robots	Teddy Bear

Key Stage 1

Year 1	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
	Unit 1 Exploring sounds	Unit 2 Exploring duration	Unit 3 Exploring pulse and rhythm	Unit 4 Exploring pitch	Unit 5 Exploring instruments and symbols	Unit 6 Exploring timbre, tempo and dynamics
Week 1	Sounds all around	Songs long or short	Move yourself	High low frogs	All instrumental	Minibeast manoeurves
Week 2	Sounds unusual	Firework night	Follow me	High low - do you know?	Listen to the beat	Minibeast band
Week 3	Choose an instrument	Sound waves	Beat and rhythm	High low movers	Sound shapes	Gardens in the rain
Week 4	Stop start sounds	Pop, ripple and freeze	Drum beats and rhythms	More high low games	Be loud, be quiet	When the rain stops
Week 5	Sounds on the moves	Long winter, cold snap	Clap and wiggle score	Jack and the beanstalk	Treasure Island	Sun and rain rehearsals
Week 6	Sounds in the city	Moving into winter	Dragon score	High low story	Treasure island performance	April showers

Year 2	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
	Unit 1 Exploring duration	Unit 2 Exploring pulse and rhythm	Unit 3 Exploring pitch	Unit 4 Exploring instruments and symbols	Unit 5 Exploring timbre, tempo and dynamics	Unit 6 Exploring sounds
Week 1	Sounds long short long	Step run jump	Jump all around	Wood, metal, skin	Whatever the weather	Sound starters
Week 2	Play long and short	Beat and rhythm	High low quackers	Funny voices	Rain and sun fun	Sound sorters
Week 3	Long tail, short temper	Beat and rhythm time	Fossil feet	Cartoon voices	Gathering clouds	Sally go round the sun
Week 4	More long tails	Dinner time rhythms	Patterns in the rock	Cartoon tunes	Builders at work	Teatime sound makers
Week 5	Four -legged friends	Get ready to eat	Fossils on the march	Hairy scary	Flood warning	Sunset sounds
Week 6	Galloping away	Eat up well	Prehistoric music show	Hairy scary castle	Noah's ark	Sally's day