



# Music

## INTENT

The intent of our Music curriculum:

Is to help children feel that they can be musicians, and to develop a life-long love and appreciation of music. We focus on developing the skills, knowledge and understanding that children need in order to become confident listeners, composers and performers. Our curriculum introduces children to music from all around the world and across generations, teaching children to respect and appreciate the music of all traditions and cultures.

Our Music curriculum intent is:

- To develop talents in all areas of music, including creating and composing music, and experiencing different genres.
- To make music accessible to all by providing opportunities for children to learn a new instrument.
- To make singing a focus for all year groups and participate in performances or special events throughout the year.

IMPLEMENTATION	<p>The experiences your children will receive:</p>	<p>Will ensure that all children will receive opportunities and experiences at Caedmon and, that without school, they may not get the same offer. As a pupil at our school, your child will have access to the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Music lessons that engage and inspire children through a bespoke curriculum.</li> <li>• Memorable moments, such as participation in large performances and celebrations.</li> <li>• The opportunity to participate in extra-curricular activities such as the school choir and partake in performances which take place outside of school at care homes and our local church.</li> <li>• Fortnightly singing assemblies where children are introduced to a range of genres and musicians.</li> </ul> <p>Our music lessons will ensure that children develop their skills of singing; playing tuned and untuned instruments; improvising and composing music; and, listening to and responding to music. They will develop an understanding of the history and cultural context of the music that they listen to and learn that music can be written down and read through notation. Our Music curriculum helps children develop transferrable skills, which are vital to children's development as learners and beyond.</p>
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IMPACT	By the end of their time at Caedmon Primary, we hope our children:	<p>... will have:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Realised music is more than just singing a song and understand how to appreciate different genres of music.</li> <li>▪ Learned music terminology and notation, as well as knowing how to perform, listen to, review and evaluate music across a range of historical periods, genres, styles and traditions.</li> <li>▪ Learned to sing and to have used their voices to create and compose music on their own and with others.</li> <li>▪ Have had the opportunity to learn a musical instrument and explore how music is created, produced and communicated, including through the inter-related dimensions: pitch, duration, dynamics, tempo, timbre, texture, structure and appropriate musical notations.</li> <li>▪ An understanding that music is made through playing instruments and is composed and written down.</li> <li>▪ Developed their creativity by exploring a wide range of musical aspects and know how music is influenced by the time, place and purpose for which it was written.</li> </ul>
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