



## Music Vision at Kingsway Primary School

Intent	Implementation	Impact
<p>At Kingsway primary School, we believe in positive outcomes for all. Our music curriculum aims to provide all pupils with a high quality music education which engages and inspires children to develop a life-long love of music.</p> <p>Through an engaging and interactive approach to teaching music, we aim to increase the self-confidence, creativity, and imagination for all the children we teach. We encourage children through a variety of opportunities for self-expression whilst creating a sense of personal achievement.</p> <p>At Kingsway, we strongly encourage self-belief and resilience and focus on skills that foster a deep sense of these characteristics. Through the teaching of music, we provide opportunities for children to play in small groups or</p>	<p>Our curriculum ensures that all children listen, appraise, sing, play, improvise, compose, perform, share and evaluate. These skills are core components for every classroom-based music lesson. We also aim to embed them in other areas of school life: weekly singing assemblies, various internal and external concerts and performances and opportunities to learn instruments in addition to those taught in music lessons.</p> <p>The intricacies of music (pulse, rhythm, pitch, tempo, dynamics, timbre, texture, structure and notation) are primarily taught within classroom lessons to enable the children to use and dissect key vocabulary and to understand how music is made, played, appreciated and analysed. Within these lessons, children at Kingsway also learn how to play an</p>	

<p>ensemble, promoting essential life skills such as teamwork, perseverance, enthusiasm, communication, friendship, independence, risk-taking and self-control.</p> <p>Music plays an important role in helping children to feel part of a community. We regularly organise and collaborate in projects to enable children to share their musical skills at different events both inside and outside of school.</p>	<p>instrument from the four main instrument groups: percussion, string, wind and keyboards. In learning to play a range of instruments, our children understand and learn how to read basic notation. They also learn how to compose music whilst focussing on different dimensions of music which creates an upwards spiral effect, feeding into their understanding when listening, playing and appraising music.</p> <p>Children also compose and perform using vocal sounds and body percussion – allowing them to develop their understanding of the musical elements without the added complexity of an instrument.</p>	
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