

St Philip CE Primary School

School Improvement Plan

Music

To secure an outstanding quality of music education.

Success Criteria

Music Curriculum

- 1.1 Curriculum plans are ambitious; they are of high quality, clearly sequenced. Vocabulary is reviewed to ensure progression across year groups.
- 1.2 Curriculum plans are skills based and teachers give opportunities for children to develop these skills.
- 1.3 Children who have music lessons have the opportunities to perform on their instrument in weekly music lessons.
- 1.4 Children in Year 4 have the opportunity to access whole-class guitar tuition. They have the opportunity to continue these skills through extra-curricular clubs.
- 1.5 Curriculum plans are supplemented and supported through high quality, evidence based resources. A range of high quality resources are used to support teaching and learning. Royal Opera and Ballet scheme of work to be implemented and reviewed in Y3 and 6.

Co-curricular Music

- 1.6 A wide range of small group of instrument lessons take place.
- 1.7 A number of ensembles and clubs run on a weekly basis.
- 1.8 School choir, which is open to all KS2 children, rehearse on a weekly basis lead by a specialist.
- 1.9 Children who are Pupil Premium or SEND continue to have access to free tuition, bursary places or clubs.

Musical Experiences

- 1.10 All KS2 children have the opportunity to perform to an audience on a weekly basis during worship. Instrumental groups to be invited to join.
- 1.11 All children who are taught an instrument in school have an opportunity to perform at least once a year.
- 1.12 All children to be provided with listening opportunities from a wide range of performers, both in person and online, developing cultural capital.

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Actions: Autumn Term	Who	Dates	Actions: Spring Term	Who	Dates	Actions: Summer Term	Who	Dates
1.1 Subject champion to use AI to review vocabulary across school. Vocab should be progressive and not repeated.	JC	Dec 24	1.1 Subject champion to review vocabulary with pupil voice.	JC	Feb 25			
1.2 Subject champion to review the scheme of work to ensure a skills-based curriculum in accordance with the MMC. Clearly define and specify composition skills and expectations.	JC	Nov 24	1.2 The subject champion will lead a staff meeting to establish a clear, shared understanding of the expectations and progression of skills in composition	JC	March/ April 25			
1.3 Subject champion and office staff to open up annual brass launch to encourage new children to take up instrument lessons.	JC VR	Sept 24	1.4 subject champion and office staff to update the list of children who attend music lessons in school, and any children who have lessons externally. This will support staff in providing differentiation in musical performances.	JC VR	Feb 25			
1.4 plans from music hub to be reviewed and a knowledge organizer and vocab consistency of teaching and learning.	JC	Jan 25						
			1.5 ROB plan to be reviewed from last year in Y6 to ensure this meets the needs of pupils. Y3 to be used to implement the new ROB LKS2 scheme.	JC AD	March 25			
			1.6 Rocksteady to be reviewed. Offer to increase numbers and hold a recruitment event.			1.6 A review to take place on the hours given to instrumental lessons and the range of instruments offered. Survey to be completed to review any children who have left and find possible reasons to increase retention.	JC	June 25
1.7 Clubs to take place: Choir, flute club, guitar club. Clubs are to be open to all children in KS2. Rocksteady to remain in place for KS2.	JC VH	Sept 24				1.7 VH/JC to research opportunities to put in place for September 25 to enable extra-curricular opportunities for KS1.	JC VH	July 25
1.8 School choir to be opened up to all KS2. This is now increased to 60. Extra member of staff to be sought. Choir will be free for all children. Led by music lead who is a music expert with a masters degree.	JC LP	Sept 24						
1.9 Choir is free and open to all children. Rocksteady – 2 bursary places in use	JC	Sept 25	1.9 Flute and guitar clubs to be opened to PP and SEND children for free. School to review ways we can offer	JC VH	March 25			

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	VH		instrumental lessons to more PP children. Possibility of buying more instruments.					
						1.10 children who have instrumental lessons in school to be invited to perform in worship throughout the half term.	JC LD	April/May 25
1.11 Rock steady concerts to be planned in for each term. Jan to be used in place of Dec to allow for Christmas Nativities.	JC VH	Sept 25				1.11 Brass, guitar and woodwind groups to be invited to perform in their own concert at the end of the year.	JC LP	July 25
			1.12 Y4 to go to the Royal Liverpool Philharmonic Hall to watch school's concert.	JC HL	March 25			

Governor Evaluation Autumn	
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