

Music development plan summary: Aylburton C of E Primary

Overview

Detail	Information
Academic year that this summary covers	2024/25
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Name of the school music lead	Adam Ramli
Name of school leadership team member with responsibility for music (if different)	
Name of local music hub	Make Music Gloucestershire
Name of other music education organisation(s) (if partnership in place)	

This is a summary of how our school delivers music education to all our pupils across three areas – curriculum music, co-curricular provision and musical experiences – and what changes we are planning in future years. This information is to help pupils and parents or carers understand what our school offers and who we work with to support our pupils' music education.

Part A: Curriculum music

This is about what we teach in lesson time, how much time is spent teaching music and any music qualifications or awards that pupils can achieve.

We deliver a broad and balanced music curriculum in line with national requirements.

We deliver a minimum of one hour a week of high-quality music lessons.

We assess the learning through a variety of means including formative assessment on INSIGHT tracker.

We understand that music opportunities will support children's mental health through a sense of belonging.

All children are given the opportunity to learn a musical instrument through private tuition, held at school, led by the Gloucestershire Music Peripatetic Service.

For Aylburton's Music Curriculum documents, please see our school website.

Part B: Co-curricular music

This is about opportunities for pupils to sing and play music, outside of lesson time, including choirs, ensembles and bands, and how pupils can make progress in music beyond the core curriculum.

Pupils at Aylburton C of E Primary School have the opportunity to participate in individual or small group instrument tuition delivered by Gloucestershire Music Hub. Instruments include piano, guitar, violin and recorder.

Each year we organise for all KS2 pupils to have a ten week block of lessons through Ensemble Music Tuition where they learn to play a musical instrument, including guitar and violin.

Each week, staff offer a free after school choir club to give pupils the chance to sing for fun and perform at events such as Young Voices.

Part C: Musical experiences

This is about all the other musical events and opportunities that we organise, such as singing in assembly, concerts and shows, and trips to professional concerts.

As well as Young Voices, Aylburton C of E Primary gives children as many opportunities for singing and performing as possible. For example, whole school Praise (singing worship) takes place every Tuesday where children learn and practise worship songs, both traditional and modern, and these are performed to families at our local Church for Harvest, Easter, Year 6 Leavers and Christingle.

Each term (3 times a year), all classes perform in their class assembly which includes singing to the families.

Working on a 2 year rolling programme with our mixed age classes, KS2 children experience live music at the Cheltenham Jazz Festival. Year 3&4 will experience a live music workshop through Gloucestershire Music called 'Mysteries of the Musiverse.'

Year 6 pupils perform an annual leavers' show and also attend Gloucester Cathedral for a multi-school leavers service.

Every year, all children go to the theatre to watch a live pantomime, allowing children to be immersed in a theatrical, musical experience.

In the future

This is about what the school is planning for subsequent years.

- We aim to hold more music concerts/ events for our whole community.
- We aim to develop links with our local secondary schools to provide music support, provide musical performances and loan instruments.
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Further information (optional)