

Music at Bishop Tufnell CE Infant School

At Bishop Tufnell CE Infant School we aim to engage and inspire pupils to develop their talent as musicians and their love of music. Self-confidence and creativity are just some of the skills that are nurtured through the subject of Music.

During Key Stage 1, pupils listen and respond to a variety of different genres of music. They play a range of musical instruments, both tuned and untuned, working to create short individual and group compositions to create different moods and effects.

Pupils sing a diverse range of songs, chants, and rhymes, and add accompaniments with both musical instruments and vocal sounds.

Music links with a range of other subjects. For example in English, it helps develop pupils' spoken language, whilst in Mathematics it aids children in their understanding of pattern. Sound is an important area in Science as well as being a key part of Music. Pupils learn about music across a range of historical periods, thus connecting with History.

Through Music, children can develop a greater understanding of cultural and religious traditions. Interpreting Music through dance helps children to express their sense of rhythm. PSHCE and Music have a strong connection in developing children's self-confidence, and sense of achievement.

Music is an important element in our termly school productions and services at our local churches. Music is a key part of daily Collective Worship with regular Sung Worship times for all children.

