



Music Journey Map

Apart from Reception curriculum which is taught each year, the topics studied are on a three-year rolling programme, with teachers teaching the relevant skills for their classes through these topics. All children learn the skills progressively year-on-year, from the Skills Progression. All children moving through our school study all topics, whichever year they begin the school or whichever class they are in for our split year groups, Years 2 and 5. We deliver our curriculum from the Charanga Scheme of work which has been supplemented to ensure full coverage and range of the national curriculum. Our children in the Lower School learn to play the recorder and our children in the Upper School learn to play Ukulele. All children work towards a performance and every 2 years we proudly take part in Young Voices in Birmingham .

Through our curriculum, children learn to listen and appraise music, explore the history of music, read and write music as well as learn to use the correct terminology.



Reception	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Taught annually	Learning new songs	Exploring instruments. Learning new songs for the Nativity. Singing in a group.	Moving and talking to music (Rhymes)	Remember and sing entire songs.	Explore and engage in music making. Sing in a group or on their own	Sing in a group or on their own, increasingly matching the pitch and following the melody.
Years 1 - 3	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Journey Plan A 2021 – 22 2024 – 25	Hey You!	Singing: Songs and percussion for the Nativity	Rhythm in the way we walk and banana rap	In the Groove	Your Imagination	Blown Away recorder Book 1
Journey Plan B 2022 – 23 2025 – 26	Hands, Feet, Heart	Singing: Songs and percussion for the Nativity	I wanna play in a band	Zootime	Friendship Song	Blown Away recorder Book 2
Journey Plan C 2023 – 24 2026 – 27	Let your spirit fly	Singing: Songs and percussion for the Nativity	The Dragon Song	Bringing Us Together	Three Little Birds	Recorder Suggested Pathway



Years 4 - 6	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Journey Plan A 2021 – 22 2024 – 25	Mamma Mia	Stop	Lean on Me	Blackbird	Uke Suggested Pathway	Songs & Percussion for the Summer Performance
Journey Plan B 2022 – 23 2025 – 26	Living on a Prayer.	Make you feel my Love	The Fresh Prince of Bel- Air.	Dancing in the Street	Uke Suggested Pathway	Songs & Percussion for the Summer Performance
Journey Plan C 2023 – 24 2026 – 27	Happy	A New Year Carol	You've got a Friend	Music and Me	Uke Suggested Pathway	Songs & Percussion for the Summer Performance