

## Bidston Village CE Primary: Music Curriculum Overview 2023-24

EIB1 will be following the Year 1 units for music and EIB2 are following the Year 4 units.

	FS	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
	Across the units of work children will listen and appraise, sing, play instruments and perform.	Across the units of work, children will listen and appraise, play instruments, compose, improvise and perform.					
Autumn 1	<b>Me!</b> Learning to sing action songs and nursery rhymes	<b>My Musical Heartbeat</b> How can we make friends when we sing together?	<b>Pulse, Rhythm and Pitch</b> How does music help us to make friends?	<b>Writing Music Down</b> How does music bring us closer together?	<b>Playing the Clarinet</b> Children receive lessons from Edsential peripatetic teachers	<b>Melody and Harmony in Music</b> How does music bring us together?	<b>Music and Technology</b> How does music bring us together?
Autumn 2	<b>My Stories</b> Learning to sing action songs and nursery rhymes, beginning to play classroom instruments	<b>Dance, Sing and Play!</b> How does music tell us stories about the past?	<b>Playing in an Orchestra</b> How does music teach us about the past?	<b>Playing in a Band</b> What stories does music tell us about the past?	<b>Playing the Clarinet</b> Children receive lessons from Edsential peripatetic teachers	<b>Sing and Play in Different Styles</b> How does music connect us with our past?	<b>Developing Ensemble Skills</b> How does music connect us with our past?
	Christmas nativity Children will sing familiar songs, develop performance skills and build a repertoire of songs and dances.						
Spring 1	<b>Everyone!</b> Learning to sing action songs and nursery rhymes, beginning to play classroom instruments	<b>Exploring Sounds</b> How does music make the world a better place?	<b>Inventing a Musical Story</b> How does music make the world a better place?	<b>Composing Using Your Imagination</b> How does music make the world a better place?	<b>Playing the Clarinet</b> Children receive lessons from Edsential peripatetic teachers	<b>Composing and Chords</b> How does music improve our world?	<b>Creative Composition</b> How does music improve our world?
Spring 2	<b>Our World</b> Learning to sing action songs and nursery rhymes, using voice and playing instruments	<b>Learning to Listen</b> How does music help us to understand our neighbours?	<b>Learning to Listen</b> How does music help us to understand our neighbours?	<b>More Musical Styles</b> How does music help us to get to know our community?	<b>Playing the Clarinet</b> Children receive lessons from Edsential peripatetic teachers	<b>Enjoying Musical Styles</b> How does music teach us about our community?	<b>Music Styles Connect Us</b> How does music teach us about our community?
Summer 1	<b>Big Bear Funk</b> Learning to sing action songs and nursery rhymes, using voice and playing instruments	<b>Having Fun with Improvisation</b> What songs can we sing to help us through the day?	<b>Exploring Improvisation</b> How does music make us happy?	<b>Playing the Clarinet</b> Children receive lessons from Edsential peripatetic teachers	<b>Expression and Improvisation</b> How does music shape our way of life?	<b>Freedom to Improvise</b> How does music shape our way of life?	<b>Improvising With Confidence</b> How does music shape our way of life?
Summer 2	<b>Reflect, Rewind and Replay</b> Consolidation of learning throughout the year, revisiting a selection of nursery rhymes and action songs	<b>Let's Perform Together!</b> How does music teach us about looking after our planet?	<b>Our Big Concert</b> How does music teach us about looking after our planet?	<b>Playing the Clarinet</b> Children receive lessons from Edsential peripatetic teachers	<b>The Show Must Go On!</b> How does music connect us with the environment?	<b>Battle of the Bands!</b> How does music connect us with our environment?	<b>Farewell Tour</b> How does music connect us with our environment?