

Music development plan summary: St Luke's Catholic Primary School

Overview

Detail	Information
Academic year that this summary covers	2024-2025
Date this summary was published	June 2024
Date this summary will be reviewed	June 2025
Name of the school music lead	Sophie Benstead
Name of local music hub	Knowsley
Name of other music education organisation(s) (if partnership in place)	Sky Music Hub

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.

Our aim at St Luke's Catholic Primary School is to ensure every child is a musician and has access to a high-quality curriculum.

Music Curriculum

Our music curriculum is informed by the national and model music curriculum, delivered via schemes of work written by Sky Music Hub. This scheme allows for sequenced music lessons, ensuring that all children progress and build upon their music skills throughout each year group. Our Music Progression Skills Map details our student's progression of musical knowledge and skills from Nursery - Y6.

SEND

Through the use of the Sky Music Hub, music lessons are inclusive, accessible and enjoyable for all. This platform also offers a SEND section that provides extra support throughout lessons, when needed.

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.

Instrumental tuition

At our school, pupils are offered group instrument tuition; including ukulele and guitar. These sessions are taught alongside lessons and are provided through Front Row Music.

Choir

Throughout the year children are able to attend choir practice, performing their songs to the whole school and performing at local events.

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.

From Nursery to Year 6, each year group gets an opportunity to perform in front of the whole school and families. All children rehearse, learn and perform songs with opportunities for solo parts. Year 3 have the opportunity to attend an inspirational, educational and fun live music experience performed by the Liverpool Philharmonic Orchestra in one of the UK's best concert venues. Children are able to learn and perform songs weekly during whole school assemblies. Children in KS2 have the chance to perform at events in the local area. Musicians from the local area have also come to school to perform to the whole school.

In the future

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

<u>Aims</u>	<u>How we will achieve this</u>
1. Implementation of new Sky Music Hub curriculum	Change to knowledge organisers, sequenced learning objectives, pre/post learn. Evidence uploaded to one drive.
2. Cross-curricular links	Music lead to check for curriculum links and provide opportunities for performances.
3. Increase extra-curricular music opportunities	Music lead to organise music performances to come to the school and provide opportunities for classes to watch a range of live musical performances.