



Four Oaks Primary School – Music School Overview

At Four Oaks, we recognise the importance of a progressive curriculum which builds over time from EYFS to Year 6. For further details of the Education Programmes at EYFS and KS1 and KS2, please see the Statutory Framework for the Early Years Foundation Stage 2021 and the National Curriculum for Key Stage 1 and 2, 2014.

Year Group	AUTUMN	SPRING	SUMMER
Nursery	Communication and Language - Sing a large repertoire of songs. <i>Opportunities for learning may include weekly song linked to the key text added to the Nursery Song Sack.</i> Expressive Arts and Design - Listen with increased attention to sounds. <i>Opportunities for learning may include playing sound-matching games.</i> - Respond to what they have heard, expressing their thoughts and feelings. <i>Opportunities for learning may include listening to music whilst painting or drawing.</i> - Remember and sing entire songs. <i>Opportunities for learning may include providing daily singing opportunities including sounds with actions to support memory.</i> - Sing the pitch of a tone sung by another person ('pitch match'). <i>Opportunities for learning may include adults supporting children to sing a range of songs e.g. 'Rain rain' uses a smaller pitch.</i> - Sing the melodic shape (moving melody, such as up and down, down and up) of familiar songs. <i>Opportunities for learning may include singing a range of nursery rhymes that include different melodies.</i> - Create their own songs or improvise a song around one they know. <i>Opportunities for learning may include children listening to songs without words.</i> - Play instruments with increasing control to express their feelings and ideas. <i>Opportunities for learning may include children accessing a range of different musical instruments daily.</i>		
Reception	Communication and Language - Listen carefully to rhymes and songs, paying attention to how they sound. <i>Opportunities for learning may include providing opportunities to clap out the beat structure of well-known rhymes and songs.</i> - Learn rhymes, poems and songs. <i>Opportunities for learning may include helping children to join in with refrains using call and response.</i> Expressive Arts and Design - Create collaboratively sharing ideas, resources and skills. <i>Opportunities for learning may include children working together to create a collective piece of music using a range of musical instruments.</i> - Listen attentively, move to and talk about music, expressing their feelings and responses. <i>Opportunities for learning may include introducing children to new music for example linked to story settings.</i> - Sing in a group or on their own, increasingly matching the pitch and following the melody. <i>Opportunities for learning may include playing pitch-matching games.</i> - Explore and engage in music making and dance, performing solo or in groups. <i>Opportunities for learning may include playing movement and listening games e.g. march to the sound of the drum and creep to the sound of the tambourine.</i>		
ELG	Expressive Arts and Design- Being Imaginative and Expressive - Sing a range of well-known nursery rhymes and songs - Perform songs, rhymes, poems and stories with others, and – when appropriate – try to move in time with music.		

REC	Me!	Everyone	Big Bear Funk
	My stories	Our World	Reflect, Rewind and Replay
YEAR 1	Hey You!	In the Groove	Your Imagination
	Rhythm in the Way we Walk and Banana Rap	Round and Round	Reflect, Rewind and Replay
YEAR 2	Hands Feet Heart	I Wanna Play in a Band	Friendship Song
	Ho Ho Ho	Zootime	Reflect, Rewind and Replay
YEAR 3	Let Your Spirit Fly	Three Little Birds	Bringing Us Together
	Glockenspiel Stage 1	The Dragon Song	Reflect, Rewind and Replay
YEAR 4	Wider Opps - Guitar	Wider Opps - Guitar	Wider Opps - Guitar
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YEAR 5	Livin' on a Prayer	Make You Feel My Love	Dancing in the Street
	Classroom Jazz 1	The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air	Reflect, Rewind and Replay
YEAR 6	Happy	A New Year Carol	Music and Me
	Classroom Jazz 2	You've got a Friend	Reflect, Rewind and Replay