

## Newsletter

Issue 9

### Music Special

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# The Grange School, Daventry

## Head Teacher's Welcome

Dear parents & carers,

Welcome to this special edition of our school newsletter.

We are delighted to announce that we have, once again, been nominated for a Music Mark award. Our nomination was made by Northamptonshire Music And Performing Arts Trust (NMPAT), in

recognition of our commitment to high quality music in the school.

Dear Head Teacher and Governors,

### Congratulations and welcome to Music Mark Schools!

Your school has been invited by your Music Service to become a Music Mark School. They have recognised the value that you place on music and add you to the growing network of Music Mark Schools we support across the Music Mark Subject Association.

We would like to thank you for all the hard work you and your colleagues do. The fact that pupils at your school are able to access and engage with a high-quality music education and your dedication to offering and delivering a broad and balanced curriculum is being celebrated.

We are delighted to receive this award again and this special newsletter will help you to understand why we place such importance on music.

Vicki Masters Headteacher



## DREAM BELIEVE ACHIEVE

**10 Things Schools Should Know About Music**

- 1 Music boosts school improvement
- 2 Music Improves learning skills
- 3 Music fosters team working
- 4 Music builds life skills
- 5 Music underpins better behaviour
- 6 Music encourages creativity
- 7 Music is for life
- 8 Music is an educational building block
- 9 Music is fun
- 10 Music is for everyone

**MUSIC MARK**

### Every EYFS Child A Musician

In EYFS, we have a focus on percussion instruments.

Reception & Nursery children will be taking part in a Samba Drumming workshop this year.

Their long project, will be led by our EYFS Team and will focus on world percussion.

### Every Year One Child A Musician

**Samba Drumming**

Year 1 children will take part in a Samba Drumming workshop this year.

**Let's Play Percussion**

NMPAT will be running a term long project with our Year 1 children.

**Curriculum Music**

Our children have weekly music lessons, following the Charanga curriculum.

## Every Year Two Child A Musician



### Let's Play

NMPAT will lead Year Two children in a term long percussion project.

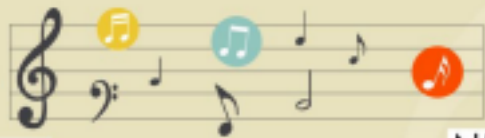


Year Two children will be taking part in a Spoons workshop.

We follow the Charanga music curriculum for our weekly music lessons.

## Every Year Three Child A Musician

We follow the Charanga music curriculum for our weekly music lessons.



Year Three children will take part in a didgeridoo workshop with Jonny Cape, the Didgeridoo man!



NMPAT will lead weekly Strings lessons with every Year Three child.

## Every Year Four Child A Musician



Year Four children will take part in a Gamelan workshop.

Year Four children will also learn to play steel pans.



We follow the Charanga music curriculum for our weekly music lessons.

## Every Year Five Child A Musician

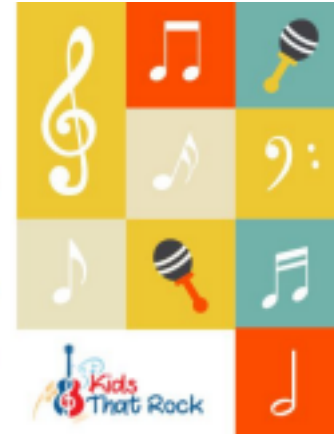


Year Five children will take part in a term long project playing guitar with Matt from Kids That Rock.

They will also get creative and form a junk orchestra for a term-long project.



We follow the Charanga music curriculum for our weekly music lessons.



## Every Year Six Child A Musician



SCHOOL OF BEATBOX

Year Six children will have a term long beatboxing project working with Danny Labbe from School of Beatbox.

We follow the Charanga music curriculum for our weekly music lessons.



Year Six children will take part in a term long project playing guitar with Matt from Kids That Rock.

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