MUSIC

We teach music at Kirkby Malham Primary School in a way that inspires our children to have a love of music and the desire to become musicians. This is achieved through regular singing practise of familiar, modern songs alongside more contemporary tracks linked to themes. Our planning and the implementation of our music curriculum is aimed to ensure all children are given the opportunity to listen to, discuss and develop a knowledge and understanding or preference of a wide range of music genres. Overall, our music curriculum intends to engage and inspire all of our children in order to increase self-confidence, creativity and sense of achievement.



YEAR A/B	AUTUMN	SPRING	SUMMER
CLASS 1	Reinforcing accurate pitching in singing Musical Opposites: High/Low, Fast/Slow/Loud/Soft Rhythm Patterns Listening to classical/world/folk music	Singing Extension of opposites work: gradation of pitch, tone & tempi Rhythm Patterns Listening to Classical/world/folk music	Singing Reinforcing Dynamics, Tempo, Pitch work Rhythm patterns Introducing basic notation Listening to Classical/world/folk music
CLASS 2	Autumn songs Beat Boxes Christmas Music	Pentatonic Scales The Orchestra Learning a tuned instrument	Music for films (Hans Zimmer) Composing class film Music Music from other countries.
CLASS 3	Playing percussion and singing (rhythm, metre and tempo) Percussion composition	Singing and playing melodies (diatonic scales, texture, dynamics, articulation) Melodic composition	Singing and playing in harmony(harmony, structure, form) Harmonic and Ternary composition