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Music Curriculum Statement

Autumn 2022

Wellsprings School Vision statement



Intent

Here at Wellsprings Primary School, our music curriculum aims to inspire creativity, self-expression, and to encourage children on their musical journey as well as giving them opportunities to connect with others. By listening and responding to different musical styles, finding their voices as singers, performers and as composers, will enable them to become confident, reflective musicians.

At Wellsprings children will develop and demonstrate progress in the following areas:

Singing

- Listening and appraising
- Composing
- Performing
- Musicianship

Our aim is that every child should develop solid foundations in these key areas of music. Ensuring that they are adequately prepared for the next step in their musical learning journey. Children will explore a variety of music genres from across the world, developing their understanding of music and strengthening their sense of identity by establishing and making comparisons to their own preferences.

<u>Implementation</u>

Music at Wellsprings is taught in a whole-class setting by the class teacher. Lessons are designed so that children can create their own music, sing, listen, play and perform. This is embedded into classroom activities, music lessons, performances, assemblies and learning instruments.

<u>Impact</u>

Our curriculum ensures all pupils develop the skills set out by the National Curriculum and we hope that children will leave Wellsprings with a lifelong love of listening to and performing music. 'Music is a universal language that embodies one of the highest forms of creativity' (The National Curriculum).

An action plan has been created by the subject leader to monitor targets across the school. The subject leader will liaise with staff to discuss strengths and any emerging needs.