

Music development plan summary: Kemsley Primary Academy

Detail	Information
Academic year that this summary covers	2024 - 2025
Date this summary was published	September 2024
Date this summary will be reviewed	September 2025
Name of the school music lead	Maria Hardy
Name of school leadership team member with responsibility for music (if different)	Iris Homer
Name of local music hub	Kent Music
Name of other music education organisation(s) (if partnership in place)	Make Time For Music IRock

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.

Curriculum Music: Part A

At **Kemsley Primary Academy** we follow a curriculum which broadly echoes that of the model music curriculum (March 2021) but is developed to include up to date changes in the industry, teacher specialisms and equipment.

Our curriculum includes the following:

- 45-minute weekly lessons
- Singing
- Listening
- Composing
- Performing/Instrumental Performance
- Class instrumental ensembles
- Song writing
- Improvisation

Musical Opportunities in Class at **Kemsley Primary Academy** are as follows:

Year	Charanga (Whole Class)
2024/25	<p>Early Years Foundation Stage During the EYFS pupils explore and use a variety of media and materials through a combination of child initiated and adult directed activities. In music, the following Early Learning Goals (ELG) are focussed on.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ELG 16 Exploring and using media and materials: Children sing songs, make music and dance, and experiment with ways of changing them. They safely use and explore a variety of materials, tools and techniques, experimenting with colour, design, texture, form and function. • ELG 17 Being imaginative: Children use what they have learnt about media and materials in original ways, thinking about uses and purposes. They represent their own ideas, thoughts and feelings through design and technology, art, music, dance, role play and stories.
	<p>Key stage 1 During KS1, pupils will be taught to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use their voices expressively and creatively by singing songs and speaking chants and rhymes • Play tuned and untuned instruments musically, including glockenspiels. • Listen with concentration and understanding to a range of high-quality live and recorded music • Experiment with, create, select and combine sounds using the inter-related dimensions of music.
	<p>Key stage 2 During KS2, pupils will be taught:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • how to sing and play musically with increasing confidence and control. They should develop an understanding of musical composition, organising and manipulating ideas within musical structures and reproducing sounds from aural memory. • Play and perform in solo and ensemble contexts, using their voices and playing musical instruments, including glockenspiels, with increasing accuracy, fluency, control and expression. • Improvise and compose music for a range of purposes using the interrelated dimensions of music. • Listen with attention to detail and recall sounds with increasing aural memory.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use and understand staff and other musical notations. • Appreciate and understand a wide range of high-quality live and recorded music drawn from different traditions and from great composers and musicians. • Develop an understanding of the history of music.
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Co - Curricular Music: Part B

Extra- curricular musical opportunities are as follows:

Year	Music Service Provision (Make Time For Music) (A term of 10 lessons)	IRock KS1 + KS2	Clubs	Assemblies EYFS -Y6
2024/25	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In group, 20-minute, weekly lessons for Years 1 - 6 to learn keyboard and guitar - £70 • Individual 20 minute lessons for Y1-6 to learn keyboard and guitar - £123 • Individual 30 minute lessons for Y1-6 to learn keyboard and guitar - £180 • Beginners Group Package includes your first tuition 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An offer of high-quality instrumental progression for all children in Y1-Y6 to make progress outside of curriculum lesson time. • Lessons are offered for a parental contribution of £41.95 per month and is payable for 11 months of the year (no payment in August). • This covers a minimum of 33 lessons for the academic year. Parents and carers do not pay for School/Bank Holidays or Inset Days. 	<p>Choir</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Whole school, 1 hour choir lessons taught by inhouse music teachers. • All clubs are offered free of charge, with pupil premium funding supporting this. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An offer of high-quality, monthly singing assemblies for all children, led by the Music Lead.

	<p>book along with your first block of group lessons - £80</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Depending on circumstances, lessons are funded by school when necessary. This is on a pupil-by-pupil basis. • Opportunities for performance, through 2 concerts led by school per year. • Opportunities for children to join free Music Service area ensembles. • More info can be found at: www.maketimeformusic.org 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The subscription rolls over every year until they leave Year 6 – parents do not need to re-enrol every year. The subscription can be cancelled at any time although the cut off date is the 20th of the month. • IRock offer a first lesson guarantee, so if the child doesn't want to continue, they will refund the first month's payment. • Depending on circumstances, lessons are funded by school when necessary. This is on a pupil-by-pupil basis. • More info can be found at: www.irockschool.com 		
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Musical Experiences : Part C

School performance opportunities are as follows:

Year	Music Service Provision KS1 & KS2	Rock Steady KS1 + KS2	Clubs and Wider Opportunities EYFS -Y6
2024/25	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In school termly assembly performances to peers • Opportunities to play in Music Service concerts and Primary Proms. • Opportunities to join Saturday / out of school area ensembles with performance opportunities 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In school termly performances to peers and parents. 	<p><u>Choir</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Opportunities for all ages and abilities to appear in an in-school winter and summer performance. • An opportunity for KS2 children to sing with a number of other schools at The O2. • Opportunities to perform at local venues, including Highsted Grammar School for Highsted Music Jambouree. <p><u>Performances as audience members:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Opportunities to visit concert halls and professional music venues throughout the year for KS2. • Opportunities on site, throughout the year, for visiting professional musicians of a variety of genres and instrumentation available for KS1 +KS2.

In the future

Curriculum	Co - Curricular Music	Musical Experiences
Coordinate potential funding applications to expand curriculum provision including equipment and CPD. (Restore the Music) Introduce additional music clubs.	Review and potentially expand the use of electives to include other instruments.	Look to increase opportunities for children to perform onsite and offsite.