Music Development Plan

School: Thomas Jones

Trust/local authority: Kensington and Chelsea

Local music hub: Tri-borough Music Hub

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Music Development Plan					
1 – Overall objective	At Thomas Jones, we want to create a passion for music in our children that will stay with them in their future lives. Our music curriculum is ambitious and we ensure that music is an inspiring and engaging experience that enables every child to develop their musical potential. Alongside this we want children to develop an appreciation of the value of music that is deeply personal to them. Our aim is for children to have a curiosity for the subject and a respect for the role that music may play in any person's life. Having a high quality programme of music for appreciation ensures this core value, we want to afford children the opportunity to encounter artists outside of their experience in life thus far. We endeavour to provide a variety of musical experiences through a curriculum which develops a critical engagement with music, allowing them to compose, and listen to with discrimination to the best in the musical canon.				
2 – Curriculum	Area	What happens now	What we would like to see		
Music	Overview	 Charanga Music Scheme Own intent and implementation documentation Coverage of EYFS/KS1/KS2 NC objectives planned Lessons delivered by class teachers Weekly lessons Assessed using tracking sheet and video evidence after each unit. 	 Ensure weekly lessons are secured CPD continue to be used to develop new and existing teachers' subject knowledge Consistent use of video evidence across all year groups to aid assessment 		

	Singing	 Opportunities in every lesson to sing (Charnaga scheme) Singing opportunities in assemblies – whole school, teachers, children performers, class performances, choir performances 	 More opportunities for visiting singing groups/ workshops Updating of music curriculum to incorporate songs from model music curriculum (listening list)
	Instrumental music	 Every unit containing instrumental performance and composition opportunities (Charanga scheme) – glockenspiel and recorder Video evidence used to record and assess 	Further whole class instrumental opportunities – flute/African drums/ukulele delivered by music specialists
	Technology	• Incorporated into music units – composition exercises (Charanga Scheme) whole class or on laptops	Class set of ipads to be used for garage band composition exercises
	Opportunities to experience live music performance	 Class trips to view live music performances – organised by music leader or class teacher Weekly assemblies School string recitals/ Christmas performances/ choir performance / class assemblies/ Year 6 productions 	Continue to ensure trips to see live performances are planned for each year group, at least once a year e.g. opera house, royal college of music
3 – Extra –	Area	What happens now	What we would like to see
curricular and Co-curricular Music	Overview	 Peripatetic music lessons – viola/violin/cello/piano - Led by specialist music teachers 30 min lessons every week Funded partly by parents, large school contribution Pupil premium children fully subsidised 	
	Singing	 Singing assemblies led by music leader accompanied by both backing tracks and live accompaniment (Autumn term) KS2 choir, staff choir (Autumn term) led by music leader Performance opportunities both in and out of school premises – Christmas production/ carolling on Portobello rd/ performing in local retirement home Participation in local community choir - NHP 	 More opportunities for singing assemblies throughout school year Set up KS1 choir More opportunities for 'out of school' performances

	Ensembles	String ensemble led by music specialist with children who receive peripatetic music lessons	More opportunities for children to perform during the school year – school assemblies (timetabled)
4 [–] Partnerships	Area Partnership or relationship with local music service or Music Education Hub Cultural partners for music	 What happens now Member of local music hub Member of Music Mark association Music leader attends CPD sessions termly and involved in discussion with other professionals about music plans, curriculum and leadership duties The Rhythm Studio Foundation – Music production workshops – year 5 music technology termly unit (to be implemented 2024/2025) 	What we would like to see Continued partnership with music organisation for all KS2 classes.
5 – Accommodation and Resources	Area Spaces for Music Resources available	 What happens now Lessons are taught in classrooms by class teachers Choir taught in school hall before school day Peripatetic lessons delivered in additional school spaces Whole class set of glockenspiels 	 What we would like to see Designated music room for private and whole class lessons with additional musical instrument storage, including a set of ipads to be used for composition exercises. Replenishment/ upkeep of class sets of
	for Music	 Whole class set of recorders Group of 15 African drums All string instrument for private lessons provided by the school School piano Subscription to Charanga music scheme Both tuned and untuned percussion instruments 	instruments • Additional funding to grow music resources
6– Pupil Premium and SEND provision	Area Overview	 What happens now Teachers ensure all children's needs are met by anticipating barriers and by modifying or adjusting planning where necessary. All lessons are inclusive and include all children were appropriate 	What we would like to see Opportunities for SEND specific music workshops CPD specifically targeted on supporting chn with SEND

Special Educational Needs and Disabilities	 All chn provided same opportunities, including provision of peripatetic music lessons Musical instruments adapted where necessary to support physical needs 	
Pupil Premium	 All peripatetic music lessons for pupil premium children subsidised Opportunities to join extra-curricular clubs i.e. KS2 choir 	Introduction of further extra-curricular opportunities - Possibly African drumming club.