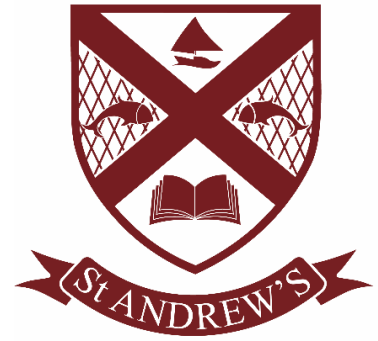


St Andrews Southgate (CE) Primary School Music Development Plan 2024-2025



Overview

Detail	Information
Academic year that this summary covers	2024-2025
Date this summary was published	October 2024
Date this summary will be reviewed	July 2025
Name of School Music Lead	Miss M. Triddon
Name of local music hub	Enfield Music Service

This is a summary of how our school delivers the music curriculum to all our pupils across three areas: curriculum music, extra-curricular provision and musical experiences, as well as what changes we are planning in future years. This information is to help pupils, parents and carers to understand what our school offers and who we work with in order to support our pupils' music education.

Part A: Curriculum Music

This is about what we teach in lesson times, how much time is spent teaching music and any music qualifications or awards the pupils can achieve.

At St Andrew's Southgate we are proud to provide a rich and diverse experience of music for all of our children. We believe that music has a positive impact on children's personal and creative development as well as all areas of learning.

As part of our music curriculum, we encourage children to express themselves creatively, build confidence, develop coordination and enhance their communication skills.

The aims of our music curriculum are:

- To provide real, relevant, immersive and purposeful opportunities for children
- To develop skills in singing, listening, composing and performing
- To listen to, review and evaluate music across a range of historical periods, genres

and traditions

- To sing and use voices creatively
- To create and compose
- To learn to play a variety of musical instruments.
- To develop an understanding of music and its inter related dimensions: pitch, duration, dynamics, tempo, timbre, texture, structure and musical notations.

At St Andrews, Music is taught every week by the class teacher. These lessons are between 35-45 minutes long per week. All children from Year 1-6 also take part in a 25 minute weekly singing assembly. Music in EYFS involves children singing songs, making music, dancing and experimenting with ways of adding their own ideas to known songs.

Our Music curriculum uses Charanga. Musical achievement relies on hard work and dedication. We ensure students' musical journeys are about playing and creating music, not reading about others doing it. Charanga helps us achieve this at St Andrews in the classroom.

Whole class instrumental lessons take place in Year 5. Our current offer is as follows:

- ❖ Two Terms (Aut & Spr) Whole class *Year 5 Recorders*

We work closely with Enfield Music Service to ensure that children have access to whole class instrumental lessons and utilise their training support to ensure high quality teaching and learning in music at St Andrews.

EMS Instrumental lesson: piano, keyboard, guitar.

RockSteady lessons and band opportunities: guitar, bass guitar, keyboard, drumkit, vocals.

Part B: Extra-curricular Music

This is about opportunities for our pupils to sing and play music, outside of lesson time, including choirs and ensembles, and how pupils can make progress in music beyond the core curriculum.

Monday - KS2 Choir - 12.10-12.40 - Miss Triddon

Thursday - Yr 5 and 6 Recorder Club - 12.10-12.40 - Miss Triddon

Friday - Playground Singing Buddies - 12.10-12.40 - Miss Triddon

Part C: Musical Experiences

This is about all our other musical events and opportunities that we organise, such as singing in assembly, concerts and shows, and trips to professional concerts.

In 2024-2025 St Andrews plans to provide the following musical events and opportunities for children across the school:

- Singing assemblies for every child across the school from Y1-Y6
- Choir performances in assembly
- Choir performances at Christmas (Christmas fair)
- Spring Concert for ensembles and soloists.
- Summer Concert Year 6 instrumentalists and ensembles.
- Voice in a Million at Wembley Arena (and on Stage!)
- Enfield Music Partnership Festivals which run termly
- Year 2 carol singing at local nursery
- Receptions Christmas sing-along for parents
- Year 1 and 2 Nativity to parents at Christmas
- Year 6 Summer Show to parents
- Year 5 recorder concert for parents
- RockSteady Band rehearsals and performance to parents and children - giving the opportunity for children in KS1 and KS2 to be part of a rock band!

Looking to the future

This is about what the school is planning for subsequent years.

For the Academic Year 2024-2025 and beyond, St Andrews aims to provide opportunities for children to see live music performances. This will be achieved in partnership with the Enfield Music Service and its partners that work throughout the borough of Enfield to provide workshops and live music experiences. As the year continues, further developments will undoubtedly need to shape the action plan for the future. The Music Lead will work to ensure that St Andrews Southgate strives to improve in terms of Music provision for all pupils.

Further information

Enfield Music Service Store: <https://traded.enfield.gov.uk/musicstore>

Rock Steady Music School: <https://www.rocksteadymusicschool.com/>

Dfe Music education: information for parents and young people:
<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/music-education-information-for-parents-and-young-people>