

# Music development plan summary: Langold Dyscarr Community School

## Overview

| Detail                                                                             | Information                |
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| Academic year that this summary covers                                             | 2024-2025                  |
| Date this summary was published                                                    | November 2024              |
| Date this summary will be reviewed                                                 | November 2025              |
| Name of the school music lead                                                      | Debbie Rogan               |
| Name of school leadership team member with responsibility for music (if different) | Gemma Barlow/Michelle Neal |
| Name of local music hub                                                            | Charanga                   |
| Name of other music education organisation(s) (if partnership in place)            |                            |

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.

## Part A: Curriculum music

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

You can find our Long Term Overviews on our school website in the curriculum folder and you can also see how we are making music more accessible for our send pupils within that area too.

Music Allocation:

EYFS- In the Early Years, pupils are exposed to music through structured play and spontaneous play with a variety of instruments and sound makers

KS1 and KS2 classes- Music is taught for x1 hour per week

This musical learning is further supplemented by weekly singing assemblies in each key stage, lasting 20 minutes.

Our music curriculum is informed by the model music curriculum (March 2021), non-statutory guidance for teaching music from Key Stages 1 to 3 and is taught using the

Charanga Music School units. Each class is also taught a unit using the BBC Ten Pieces.

Pupils have a variety of opportunities in school learn or play an instrument during lesson time including how to play the glockenspiel, recorder and ocarina. Each class has two opportunities to perform what they have learnt each year during a class assembly and performance for parents.

As a school we are currently applying for a My Music grant which will enable us to provide a music intervention across school for pupils who struggle with dysregulation.

## **Part B: Co-curricular music**

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

At Langold Dyscarr, we currently offer peripatetic drum lessons with DCP Drums, East Midlands, Ocarina Club and have a whole school choir who regularly perform within the local community and take part in Young Voices each year.

Our school choir performs both in school and within the local community and takes part in Young Voices every year.

Parents pay privately for the 1-1 drumming lessons that their children receive. All pupils are invited to attend both choir and Ocarina clubs and these are both offered free of charge.

Singing is part of our music curriculum and all pupils in school take part in an additional 20-minute singing assembly each week. Songs learned are sung in productions and other events such as Easter service, Christmas service and other celebration events throughout the school year.

Langold Dyscarr has links with a charity in Worksop called Focus on Young People, each year we take part in the event with our school choir performing alongside other schools and organisations.

## Part C: Musical experiences

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

Musical experiences on offer at Langold Dyscarr Include:

- a variety of choir performances throughout the year
- Performance in class assemblies and choral poetry/music performance to parents
- Opportunities to sing in church
- Weekly singing assembly
- Singing at celebration events such as DART, leaver's assemblies, end of year productions, Harvest Festival and Christmas.
- Focus on Young People
- Young Voices
- Singing at the Christmas lights switch on in the local village
- Langold's Got Talent takes place every summer and any children can audition and then perform to the rest of the school and parents.
- Class assemblies
- Pupils have opportunities to view live music during our yearly panto visit, Year 6 play in a week production and drumming performances in assembly.

## In the future

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

- Ocarina unit to be delivered
- Drumming intervention for pupils who struggle with dysregulation
- Music within choral performances
- Opportunities for playing other musical instruments
- Training on Tyco drums so that staff can incorporate them into their lessons
- Other opportunities for viewing live performances- look into who can perform in assembly