



## **Sing Up's Music curriculum for Primary School, ages 3 to 11**

Sing Up Music is a foundation to deliver a creative, varied, and engaging programme of high-quality classroom music that sets out the knowledge, skills and understanding to be gained by all pupils at each stage of learning, including Early Years Foundation Stage.

Sing Up Music takes an integrated approach to musical learning, and together the units represent a complete, and progressive library of resources that meets the requirements of the National Curriculum for Music and suggested approaches of the Model Music Curriculum.

Building from the former Sing Up Music we're developing new units of work SING, LISTEN, COMPOSE and PLAY. Through each unit children will experience music making where listening, singing, playing, improvising, and composing are interwoven. A Musical Literacy toolkit (coming late autumn 2021) will support generalist music teachers teach core concepts of beat, rhythm, and melody, including introducing notation with KS1 and KS2 pupils. Not forgetting EYFS we're introducing units of work developed in partnership with London Rhymes and based on Music Development Matters and the new Statutory Framework for Early Years.

Sing Up Music is accessible for all those teaching and delivering music in primary settings – for music and non-music specialists alike. Our resources are fun and engaging for pupils, providing access to a broad and diverse range of repertoire, approaches, and musical traditions.

### **What's new?**



Revamped 'Sing' units – expanded units of work from the former Sing Up Music. These units have been reworked to build in more opportunities for listening, playing and where appropriate using musical notation. They are based around a song and take an integrated approach with listening, singing, playing, improvising, and composing activities. They include complementary listening suggestions from the Model Music Curriculum.



Composing units – activities supporting young people to develop skills in improvising and composing, and to find their own creative voices.



Listening units – guides to support pupil’s understanding of the cultural, social, and historical context of music, helping them to develop active listening skills, to learn the language of music, and providing a broad and diverse experience of music. Pieces are specially selected from the Model Music Curriculum that will be accessible for the age group.



Downloadable and customisable PowerPoint presentation for all units featuring audio and video clips, and all the teaching information required to support classroom delivery.



Sing Up Music Early Years – a creative and holistic programme of songs and musical activities for nursery-aged children based on Music Development Matters and mapped against the EYFS Statutory Framework 2021.



A term-by-term overview of all units - mapped against the National Curriculum for Music and Model Music Curriculum an ‘at-a-glance’ view of how outcomes can be delivered for every year group.

## **We will keep adding to the Sing Up Music resources library, including:**



New Sing and Listen units - delivered ahead of each new half term



New Compose units written by living composers, delivered ahead of each new half term



Playing units – a multimedia suite of teaching and learning resources for whole-class instrumental learning, beginning with material for Ukuleles.



Musical literacy toolkit for KS1 and 2 music lessons - the toolkit will contain guidance to support teachers to actively teach about beat, rhythm, and melody, including introducing ways to integrate the use of musical notations. Videos demonstrating techniques, and transferable approaches can be used alongside Sing Up Music units of work.



A complete overview of all Sing Up Music resources – mapped against the National Curriculum for Music and Model Music Curriculum to provide an ‘at a glance’ view of how outcomes can be delivered for every year group.