Crowmoor Primary School Curriculum Drivers Subject: Music



Aspiration	Children foster a love of music through our inclusive music curriculum which offers a huge variety of musical experiences to all our pupils. Children leave Crowmoor with the necessary skills to perform in front of others with confidence. We endeavour that all children leave Crowmoor as performers with a passion for music and choose to continue to develop this passion at secondary school and beyond.
Healthy Lifestyle	All children are encouraged to participate to develop their confidence and self-esteem. Children are given opportunities to sing and perform individually, as part of a small group and as part of a larger group. We believe that this helps develop their wellbeing and mental health. Children are actively involved in using and developing their singing voices, using body percussion and whole-body actions.
Communication	Music is used to allow children to express their feelings in a range of ways. Children can communicate through solo performances and in ensembles both using their voices and playing musical instruments. Children develop the skills needed to improvise and compose for a wide range of purposes enabling them to communicate through a range of stimuli. Children are given opportunities to learn and use music specific vocabulary in a meaningful context.
Knowledge of the World	Children are encouraged to develop a curiosity for Music. They are given opportunities to listen and appreciate live and recorded music from a wide variety of historical periods, styles, cultures, traditions and genres.
Community	Children have the opportunity to share and develop to their music skills within their year groups and across other year groups. Children have access to peripatetic lessons with other children. Children perform as part of the whole school for Harvest, Christmas and Easter celebrations.