Music Development Plan: Outline 2026-2027

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<tr><td rowspan="2">Vision Statement</td><td>What is realistic to achieve in the next year (or be more positive about the here and now!)?</td><td>At St Cuthbert's Primary School, we understand that music is a powerful, unique form of communication that can change the way pupils feel, think and act. Music is a way of expressing oneself and it can highly influence their personal development. It brings together intellect and feeling and enables personal expression, reflection and emotional development. We strive to develop pupils' ability to listen and appreciate a wide variety of music and make judgements about musical quality.</td></tr>
<tr><td>Where do you want your Year 1 cohort to be by the time they leave primary school?</td><td>Music Teaching at St Cuthbert's will lead to the children making progress in musical skills and knowledge. Children will gain confidence in their musical abilities and will be able to enjoy and appreciate music. With our music curriculum children can develop their musical passions, which we hope they will continue to practice and develop throughout school and into adulthood.</td></tr>
<tr><td colspan="2">Curriculum Music:

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• Arrange pupil voice with children to hear their views on the Music Curriculum.
• Charanga followed throughout school.</td></tr>
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Co-Curricular: **Our vision is that children at St Cuthberts will have the opportunity to join extra curriculum clubs and have the opportunity to learn how to play a musical instrument from a trained specialist.**	**<u>Key Short Term Actions</u>** • Ensure pupils in KS2 have the opportunity to play the Ukulele from a specialised teacher. • Opportunities for Children to join school choir. • Opportunities for children to learn to play a musical instrument (Recorder club).
Enrichment: **Our vision is that children have the opportunity to perform outside of school and have access to live performances.**	**<u>Key Short Term Actions</u>** • Children to take part in performances outside of school. • Include information about music hub clubs. • Children to have the opportunity to hear a live performance. (Band come into school)