

Music development plan summary: Newman School

Overview

Detail	Information
Academic year that this summary covers	2023-24
Date this summary was published	November 2024
Date this summary will be reviewed	November 2025
Name of the school music lead	Mrs Sarah Kulmer
Name of local music hub	Rotherham Music Hub
Name of other music education organisation	Nordoff and Robbins Music Charity (Music Therapy)

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.

Whiston	Dinnington	NAR
<p>All students are in EYFS, KS1 or KS2 and have weekly music lessons. Children are taught in their class groups, and follow the appropriate outcomes for the curriculum pathway. Children are taught small steps so they are building their musical knowledge, skills and understanding in order to progress through the curriculum pathway they are on, or progress on to the next pathway.</p> <p>Music in EYFS and KS1 is likely to be taught through continuous provision activities and explicit lessons. Music in KS2 will be taught as specific subject lessons (45 minutes per week). Some students access music therapy</p>	<p>All students in KS3 (and some but not all KS4 students) will be accessing a weekly music lesson (usually equivalent to 1 hour per week). Students will generally be taught in their form groups.</p> <p>Students will be following an adapted form of the Model Music Curriculum . Students in KS4 and 5 do not study music specifically unless accessing music through the options carousel, continuing with an AQA unit award qualification. individual musical instrument lessons are available from the Rotherham Music Service.</p> <p>Students in KS3 have the opportunity to participate in</p>	<p>The majority of students in KS2 and 3 will be accessing a weekly music lesson (usually equivalent to 1 hour per week). Some students may be accessing a bespoke curriculum and this may affect the subjects that they initially study.</p> <p>Students will be following an adapted form of the Model Music curriculum.</p> <p>Students in KS4 and 5 do not study music specifically unless accessing music therapy sessions with the Nordoff Robbins Music Therapist or individual musical instrument lessons from the Rotherham Music Service.</p>

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Co-curricular music

<p>Singing and vocal work is embedded into the life of the school and into every pupil's curriculum experience, drawing on a wide range of high-quality, age-appropriate repertoire and developing musicianship. This has been developed through online and face to face CPD delivered by the Royal Opera House (as part of the Rotherham Capital of Culture initiative). Pupils from Primary have participated in the 'One Voice' event.</p> <p>Musical instruments have been purchased through funding from 'Friends of Newman' and a Newman Rock Band is rehearsing at lunchtimes at our Dinnington site – the group is co-ordinated by a talented teaching assistant who has previously worked for Rotherham MISE (Music In Special Education Project).</p> <p>Primary and EYFS staff have attended CPD provided by the Rotherham Music Hub and two staff have attended training in TACPAC (sensory music offer) which has been disseminated throughout Primary and Secondary Departments.</p> <p>Music Lead continues to action plan with Rotherham Music Hub to strive towards delivering the 2023 government framework : 'The power of music to change lives: a national plan for music education.' It sets out a vision to enable all children and young people to: learn to sing, play an instrument and create music together. have the opportunity to progress their musical interests and talents, including professionally.</p> <p>A weekly Music lunchtime club is available at our Dinnington site in addition to a Karaoke club and Rock Band. There is a choir at Dinnington and Whiston sites.</p>

Musical experiences

<p>Pupils have attended concerts provided by the Rotherham Music Hub at Rotherham Minster and the One Voice event at Magna.</p> <p>Pupils have had the opportunity to listen to the musical talent from the current Newman staff team.</p> <p>Pupils have attended the Pantomime at The Crucible Theatre and enjoyed performances from visiting professionals.</p> <p>Pupils will be offered sensory musical experiences from visiting professionals (Sound Scape) and The Sound Beam will be further utilised and CPD offered to staff.</p>

In the future

The music lead is forging links with local schools, colleges and universities to provide further opportunities for pupils to experience live musical experiences. The Rotherham Music Hub continues to offer opportunities for pupils to experience live music performed by professional musicians.

The music lead is working with Kathryn Hathaway (Rotherham Music Hub) to provide further 1:1 or group instrumental tuition (Guitar, Voice and Keyboard). Other instrumental tuition is available upon request and peripatetic availability. There will be a charge to families for lessons.

Further opportunities for co-curricular group music making will be developed at our Whiston Na NAR site.

Sign posting to local out of school clubs and groups will be shared via the school and Rotherham Music Hub website.