

Music development plan summary: Bromstone Primary School

Overview

Detail	Information
Academic year that this summary covers	2024/2025
Date this summary was published	March 2025
Date this summary will be reviewed	September 2025
Name of the school music lead	Mrs Justyna Urban
Name of school leadership team member with responsibility for music (if different)	
Name of local music hub	Kent Music Hub
Name of other music education organisation(s) (if partnership in place)	I Rock

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.

To read in more detail about the provision music at Bromstone Primary School, please visit our music curriculum page <https://www.bromstoneschool.com/page/?title=Music&pid=329> Music is taught in class every week and is informed by the model music curriculum (March 2021) Lessons are a minimum of 40 minutes and are taught by class teachers or a music specialist. Teaching is supported by specialist planning through the Sing Up curriculum scheme of work. This musical learning is further supplemented by weekly singing assemblies in each key stage, lasting 20 minutes. Children in years 4 learn an instrument as a whole-class ensemble taught by music specialist from Kent Music Hub as part of the Wider Opportunities programme.

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 Bromstone Primary School, small-group band lessons taught by musicians from I Rock. Teachers visit the school and teach children in our lovely library space. We have a thriving Key Stage 2 Choir (in terms 3-6 we also invite Key Stage 1 children). Individual and small group lessons are funded by parents, however for those children who are Pupil Premium, these lessons can be funded by the Pupil Premium provision. We work closely with Kent Music Hub and Thanet Music Centre to ensure we can offer the best possible music opportunities for our children. If you have an enquiry regarding instrumental lessons on offer, please visit our school page on their website.

<https://www.kent-music.com/music-centres/thanet/>

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.

Children will have the opportunity to perform or experience high quality music this academic year. Please see below for a list of those opportunities:

- The Choir performing for residents of Bradstow Court
- The Choir performing for residents of Copperfield House
- The Choir Performing for residents of Chartwell House
- The Choir performing at Pierremont Hall
- The Choir performing at Broadstairs band stand
- The Choir Performing at Westwood Cross
- The Choir join other TELT choirs and perform during TELT picnic
- The Choir perform during Young Voices at O2 arena in London
- EYFS and KS1 perform at Christmas.
- I Rock band performing for parents two times per year
- EYFS children's Spring Sing.
- Shakespeare club performing

In the future

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

In future years, our Music Development Plan aims to achieve the following:

- Introduction of a wider range of instruments on offer for small group or individual lessons.
- Introduction of further whole-class ensemble projects delivered by a music specialist.
- Further develop performance opportunities for our young musicians throughout the school year
- Further develop engagement in extra-curricular music for Pupil Premium and SEND children.
- Develop a dedicated music teaching space for use by ensembles and class curriculum lessons