

## Music at Chisenhale

In EYFS, pupils are introduced to music in the provision of 'Expressive arts and design' throughout the setting where pupils engage with musical ideas and concepts during free flow as well as during through whole class singing.

In KS1 and KS2, a programme called Charanga is used for the delivery of music lesson that meets all the statutory curricular requirements in the National Curriculum for England. It is centred around three 'big ideas'.

### **Listening and Appraising -**

Pupils listen to and explore music produced by others and themselves. They express their ideas and feelings about music and consider its intended effects.

### **Playing and Performing -**

Pupils learn to use their voices expressively and move onto singing in a range of styles and forms. They play a range of tuned and untuned instruments and take part in performances for a wide range of audiences.

### **Creating and Composing -**

Pupils create a variety of music through improvisation and composition, they use their voices and instruments.

There are also many additional performance opportunities for pupils such as whole class djembe lessons in Year 2 (run by THAMES Music Education Service), the Big Sing (this year for pupils in Year 4 and 5) and the 12 Choirs of Christmas (Years 5 and 6).

Pupils may also elect to access lessons delivered through THAMES Music Education Service and RockSteady.

ROCKSTEADY LINK - <https://rocksteadyltd.com/>

THAMES MUSIC EDUCATION SERVICE LINK - <https://thames.towerhamlets.gov.uk/Home.aspx>

