

Music

Music is a universal language that embodies one of the highest forms of creativity. Students perform, listen to, review and evaluate music across a range of different times, types and styles. In Year 7 you will be able to learn to play the keyboard and ukulele, as well as using your voices as an instrument. The music area is a fun place to be, with various different instruments and practice rooms available. Students also have a chance to join the choir, and to sing and perform in various performances.

Task 1. Perhaps you could make your own musical instrument at home, your own 'junk percussion' instrument. Below are some examples you could consider:

1. Bottle shakers. Collect small plastic bottles, fill with seeds, rice, beans etc. Do different levels of contents give a different sound?



2. Use wooden coat hangers and a stick to make rhythm sticks

3. Funky junk kitchen band. Gather a range of kitchen utensils, for example pots and pans, grill trays, metal, plastic and wooden items to explore different sounds.

4. Bucket drums. Beg and borrow some different metal and plastic buckets and containers. Grab a couple of wooden spoons and get drumming!



Task 2. Can you unscramble the following letters to find the musical instruments? We've started one for you!

Scramble	Instrument	Scramble	Instrument
BUTA		ONAPXHESO	
ARLIETCN		POHXONYEL	
TUFLE		ONIHUEMPU	
EBOO		ASONSOB	
ITPMNAI		IPNAO	
IILVNO		RIAMBAM	
MTETRPU		DNIACROCO	
ROMBONET		LELOC	
TOENIRBA		BULEOD SASB	DOUBLE BASS
LIAVO		GROAN	
RAPH		DLOOBWOCK	
NCREFH NOHR		GINRATEL	