



## *Music Development Plan Summary*

*September 2024*

## A Summary of the Music Development Plan for Walbottle Village Primary School

Music is taught for 1 hour a week in all year groups at Walbottle Village Primary School. It is taught progressively using the 'Model Music Curriculum Scheme' provided by 'Charanga Musical School Scheme'. This weekly lesson ensures that all requirements of the National Curriculum for music are met (listening, singing, playing, composing, improvising and performing).

In addition to weekly music lessons, children enjoy a music assembly once a week. Over the year they focus on different musicians, music theory and learn new songs.

Walbottle Village Primary School has an extra-curricular singing club. This club supports its members to learn songs from different eras and genres. The singing club performs three times a year both in school and to the public. The children of Walbottle Village Primary School also perform to audiences at Christmas performances, Celebration events and assemblies.

All children who attend Walbottle Village Primary School until Y6 will have the opportunity to learn an instrument. Currently, all Y5 and Y6 children are being taught to play the ukulele. In lessons, children learn to play the glockenspiel and other untuned percussion instruments.

Opportunities are sought wherever possible to allow children to experience live musical performances once a year.