Forest Park Music

We have been very fortunate in our school with the amount of Music provision our children have received for many years, both curriculum based and through extra-curricular clubs. Our bespoke curriculum ensures that our children are immersed in a broad range of Musical genres and experiences, aimed to create and foster a real love of Music.

Children in Key Stage 2 have the opportunity to learn an instrument, taught by the City Music Service, and we are excited to broaden the range of instruments on offer in the coming year.

A Songbirds club runs weekly for children in Key Stage 1 and a Key Stage 2 Choir for upper school children, both of which provide the exciting opportunity for children to perform in a concert at The Victoria Hall each Year.

A Recorder Club is held for children in Year 5 and Year 6 in preparation for an annual Recorder Festival at the Victoria Hall and the children have valued these opportunities to perform alongside other schools, as well as performing their very own solo.

Music underpins much of the curriculum provision in the Foundation stage at Forest Park and singing is an embedded part of our provision. Children are encouraged to explore their senses through singing, dancing and percussion instruments, as well as making and exploring sounds using everyday objects.

At Forest Park, we are extremely well resourced and we strive to provide the children with a broad diet of Musical experiences. Music builds self-esteem and boosts wellbeing, as well as encouraging teamwork and a sense of unity, creating a cultural harmony within our school.