

Message from Mrs Eadie 18 January (WK2 - 2021)

Good morning everybody,

I hope you are all keeping safe and well and enjoying your learning on line. It is so lovely to be able to keep in touch and be taught by your teachers isn't it. I'll bet you are missing them very much. I know they are missing you all too.

Please don't worry about trying to do everything on here. There is a lot and it's just to give you a wide variety of musical activities to break up your day. You can do as much or as little as you like! For example you might like to sing a warm up from the Daily Big Sing, or access the #feelgoodfifteen# from Sing Up. It's up to you, but remember.....a song a day keeps the blues away!



LOVE MUSIC TRUST LESSONS

EYFS/KS1 <https://youtu.be/kpZuX33i8Lk>

Following on from last week's lesson about trains, this week we are to use the sounds of the sea to investigate high/low sounds in music. Can you spot the high and low sounds? The musical term for this is called **PITCH**.

Sounds of the Seaside: <https://youtu.be/g-4jywjdjy0>

La Mer by Debussy: <https://youtu.be/SgSNqzA37To>

The big ship sails on the ally-ally-oh:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/school-ra...>



KS2 - <https://youtu.be/j7E4vGTdMs0>

Our lesson today continues to be inspired by the sea. We are to listen to two pieces then using the Listening and Responding frame write a word or two about all the different elements such as PITCH (high/low sounds), TEMPO (speed), DYNAMICS (loud/soft or quiet), MOOD (calm/busy or chaotic), DURATION (long or short sounds), TEXTURE and TIMBRE.

What piece of music or song reminds you of the sea?

YEAR6 **LOCKDOWN BRASS LESSONS!** <https://youtu.be/DV07Ldw4QJo>

Yahoo! All you amazing brass players from Year 6 are now able to have your music lesson on line!

Please follow the link to find a recorded instrument lesson from **Mr Birch**.

It is very important that you watch this first lesson as there are tips on how to sort out the valves on your trumpet/ baritone if they become stuck. Please, do take care of your instruments and treat them with respect, particularly when unpacking and packing them away. They are terribly expensive and need to be looked after.

First tune is a recap of Hot Cross Buns but there will be new songs and tunes added each week along with the backing tracks. If anyone else in the family plays an instrument, get them to join in too!

If you need help with your instrument or have any queries about the lesson, please e-mail me and I can try and sort out any problems you may have!

The Love Music Trust songwriting competition

As mentioned last week for all you budding composers, the LMT is delighted to announce the launch of their songwriting competition for pupils in Key Stage 2 (that's YR3-6) and Key Stage 3 (which is not us but you might have an older brother or sister who would like to have a go!)



If you are interested in finding out about this there's a helpful 'how to' video by Jay Stannard who is a composer and musician. You may recognise him from previous LMT on line lessons!

<https://www.lovemusictrust.com/songwriting-competition>.

DAILY BIG SING



Here we are again with our fabulous Daily Big Sing. You may just want to have a go at the warm up song instead of the whole video. This week we are singing some songs with a 'HAPPY' theme. Don't forget to get mums and dads up singing too.

Monday	Oh Happy Day	https://youtu.be/uiAD4bpiNq0
The warm up for this is called BINGO. Great fun!		
Tuesday	Happy Together	https://youtu.be/k2LCa1IxJZE
Today's warm up is called 'Warm up and Stomp' which I know lots of you already know.		
Wednesday	Feeling Good	https://youtu.be/eRz7_834Elk
Baby 1,2,3 is today's warm up song. See if you can manage it without getting muddled!		
Thursday	3 Little Birds	https://youtu.be/-NjVG7pHRuE
Today's warm up is one I know you are all familiar with. It's Grandma Rap!		
Friday	Happy Talk	https://youtu.be/yxoLDRqmOng
The warm up for this is a bluesy version of Frere Jacques and it's called Brother Jake!		

SING UP <https://www.youtube.com/singup>

Did you manage to watch the #feelgoodfifteen# video last week from Singup? We watched it in our Yr3/4 bubble and it was great fun. We did lots of warm up exercises with our voices and then learnt a song called Great Day! YR1's did any of you recognise our plasticine person warm up?

How about joining us at 9am on Tuesday morning for 15 minutes to get our brains warmed up with song ready for your daily lessons.

To help out our schools the Sing Up team are to be running live sessions on Tuesday mornings at 9am with a #feelgoodfifteen# minutes of singing and musical fun to wake you all up in readiness for a day of learning.

Tune in on **Tuesday 19th Jan @9am** for the second of their weekly series of live sessions, run by a range of fabulous vocal leaders. You can access it either on the Sing up Youtube channel or their Singup at home channel <https://www.singup.org/singupathome> where they will live stream for anyone wanting to watch. Don't worry if you miss it as each video will be saved so you can catch up afterwards.

Let's all enjoy the benefits of singing at home!

Enjoy your week everyone, work hard and don't forget to SING!

Mrs Eadie 
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