



Holy Family Halewood
Foundation Stage
Expressive Art and Design – Music
Nursery



Themes covered during the term:

- The world around us
- National Anthems

Learning Statements: Taken from DfE Development Matters 2021

EYFS Statutory Educational Programme:

'The development of children's artistic and cultural awareness supports their imagination and creativity. It is important that children have regular opportunities to engage with the arts, enabling them to explore and play with a wide range of media and materials. The quality and variety of what children see, hear and participate in is crucial for developing their understanding, self-expression, vocabulary and ability to communicate through the arts.'

3 and 4 year old will be learning to:

- Listen with increased attention to sounds.
- Respond to what they have heard, expressing their thoughts and feelings.
- Play instruments with increasing control to express their feelings and ideas.



Children in Reception will be learning to:

- Listen attentively, move to and talk about music, expressing their feelings and responses.

Core Vocabulary

- World
- listen
- Country
- National Anthem
- Sound
- Sing
- instrument

Learning Opportunities

- Music from around the world – making our own music for different countries
- Music in different languages
- National anthem of 2/3 countries
- Environmental sounds – what can we hear outside?

Continuous Provision:

Equipment and resources continuously available to support Music:

- Outdoor Music station
- Musical instruments
- Interactive Whiteboard
- Globe
- Flags from around the world



Children's Interests:

Examples of children's interest to support these objectives and themes could include:

- Go Noodle
- Nursery rhymes
- Countries of interest
- Aeroplanes / flying

Yearly events during the term that support themes:

- Summer holidays
- Seaside