



Inspiring children through excellence

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Dear Parent/Carer,

Clarinet and Trumpet Group Teaching - Year 5

During the academic year 2017 - 2018 the Year 5 children will have the opportunity to learn the clarinet and trumpet in small groups. The government are no longer subsidising this scheme; we feel it is so important that children have the opportunity to learn an instrument that we will be continuing. Mr Bishop will be teaching the trumpet and Mrs Wood the clarinet. The lessons will be in curriculum time, but not part of the weekly music lesson and the children will be taught in groups of 6 - 8 on a Wednesday afternoon at 1 - 1.30pm. The children will benefit from being in small groups and at the end of the 10 week session will have the opportunity to continue either through Surrey Arts on the clarinet or with Mr Bishop on the trumpet. These lessons will be at the full Surrey Arts' rates which can be found on the Surrey Arts website.

The Year 5 children in each Year 5/6 class will have lessons for one term, 10 lessons in total. The lessons for each class will be as follows:-

Term 1 Autumn Eagle Class

Term 2 Spring Falcon Class

Term 3 Summer Kestrel Class

We will be asking for a small donation from parents towards the cost of the lessons. The instruments are provided free of charge, all we ask is that the instruments are insured by you, usually they can be added to your house insurance at no extra cost. A loan agreement form will be sent home next term. Please do not send in any money now. Full details of the lessons will be sent to you at the beginning of next term.

Yours faithfully,

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