

Music News Summer 2023

A note
to say
"Thank
you!"



We would like to say a massive thank you to Annie and to George who have been offering before and after school instrumental lessons, at Emmaville, since October 2021. Our children have loved your lessons and you will be missed!

Annie and George will continue to be two of our recommended music teachers, but they will run their lessons elsewhere.



We are delighted to announce that our second Digital Concert, edited by Annie Ball, is available to view via a link on the External Musicians page of our school web-site!

Music Lessons - Before and After School

Music lessons with our external musicians are available for children who are in Years 1 to Year 6.

Our web-site page contains an information sheet about the lessons that are available, approximate cost of lessons and how we can help by providing some instruments for hire.

https://www.emmavilleprimary.org.uk/web/external_musicians/611949

I can be contacted for more information: KateJarvis@emmavilleprimary.org.uk but you should generally contact the relevant music teacher in the first instance, please.

The musicians may be teaching at the time of your call, so please leave a message if you get no answer. Once the timetable is full, music teachers will compile a waiting list and let you know if a place becomes available for the next half term.

*****For September 2023 - Please apply for a place by Friday 28th July 2023 *****

External Music Teachers from September 2023

Richard Scott will continue to offer guitar, ukulele and violin tuition.

We would also like to welcome and introduce the following music teachers who will be offering before and/or after school instrumental lessons from September. Please contact the relevant teacher for more information or to book a place for your child!

Various days and time!	Richard Scott Guitar: Years 3-6 Violin: Years 1-6 Ukulele: Years 1-6 Tel.No:- 07962335483 Email:- richard.md.scott@hotmail.co.uk		Hello! I'm Richard. I grew up in Newcastle, moved to Birmingham to do a music degree and have moved back to the North East with my wife and daughter. I love playing music, singing and dancing! My main instruments are the violin and guitar but I also play the ukulele, viola, mandolin, tenor banjo, steel pans and tin whistle. I was brought up on classical music and now I also play a lot of folk, jazz and even experimental improvised music!
Tuesdays (After school)	Helen Walker Trumpet: Years 5 and 6 (Meeting Room) https://helenwalker.uk/ Tel. No: 07751723806 Email: helenwalker222@icloud.com		Helen has 38 years of brass teaching experience, Helen's pupils have achieved ABRSM Grades 3-8, plus Diploma preparation. Helen has significant experience in education including teaching across 20 schools in County Durham and working as an Education Consultant with experience as a Primary Headteacher and Local Authority School Improvement Adviser. As a freelance musician, she currently plays trumpet with Wild Women of Wylam, French Horn with Orchestra North East and Flugel Horn with Hexham Brass Band.
Wednesdays (Before or after school)	Jen Thompson Piano: Years 1-6 (Dance Studio) Tel. No: 07985 223 480 Email: jenspianoschool@gmail.com		My wish for students is for them to become well-rounded and confident musicians, who can not only learn, play and understand music, but who can get creative and explore making their own. We learn best when we're engaged and having fun, and so my lessons combine time reading and playing music at the piano, individually and together, as well as a whole rainbow suitcase full of games!
Thursdays (After School)	Addo Koranteng Drums (Dance Studio) Mobile : 07795220967 Email:- addothesecond@gmail.com		Hi, my name is Addo Koranteng. I have been playing the drums for nearly 40 years now! I have been in various local bands over the years, playing at pubs, clubs, parties, corporate events and charity events. I have also been teaching drums for many years, privately but also for a couple of music services.

Music Co-ordinator: Mrs. Kathryn Jarvis, Reception Class Teacher