

Pupil Voice – Music

(Selection of answers given below - see full questions and answers in Music file – Nov 2022)

Question	Responses
1.Do you like music?	"Yes, I like it, it makes me feel calm" "It is fun to learn" "It learns you about pulse and rhythm" "If you do a certain song on a guitar or keyboard it can make you control your emotions" "After a busy morning of English and Maths it's just nice and calm" "Yes, I just like singing so much" "Music cheers you up it's one of my favourite lessons"
2.Tell me about some of the musical experiences you have in school.	"We listened to an orchestra and then had to write about it" "We do clapping and vocal and we sing in assemblies" "We heard a poem about an iguana and then had to make up our own" "I loved ukulele" "We use the instruments from the shelves in the hall" "We did the song we are in the groove – that was cool"
3.Can you tell me about the different types of music you have learned about?	"Rap, blue, rock and pop" "Classical" "We learn about composers and listen in assembly – Heidi puts the music on"
4.Do you play any instruments on class?	"The glockenspiels" "The ukulele" "We have instruments in a box like a drum, bells, maracas and we can play them when we want" "I sometimes bring my guitar in from home and play it to the class"
5. Why do you think it is important to learn about music?	"It helps us to read and write and gives us ideas" "It keeps you calm, it helps your voices, because you can change them and that's fun music makes you happy"

"Because if we want to be a musician or play an instrument when we are older"
"So, we can recommend genres to others"

6.Do you receive feedback on your music?

"Yes, the teacher will tell us how to improve it"
"Yes, like well done or keep going"
"We do that with partners"
"I sometimes do it in my head"

7. Anything else you want to tell me about music?

"I can do riffs"
"I read music on a sheet"
"Can we have African drums"