

Music vision statement

“Without music, life would be a mistake” –

Friedrich Nietzsche

At Capel St Mary Primary School, our vision is founded by our school name, CAPEL. This is also reflected in our Music vision. We want children to CARE about other cultures by experiencing their music. We want children to ACHIEVE the best that they can by using skills they wouldn't normally use in the classroom. We want children to PERSEVERE when they find things difficult when learning an instrument and to see first-hand that practise does make perfect. We want children to ENJOY Music and find happiness in making noise and appreciating sounds. We want children to LEARN about Music, if knowledge is power, then we want our children to be the most powerful musicians they can.

Music speaks to all children and allows those who struggle academically to shine through another outlet. It is a subject that children enjoy taking part in and brings enjoyment to many. We have many performing opportunities at Capel which gives the children a chance to develop confidence and their talents and this will assist them throughout their adulthood. We are building well-rounded individuals by exposing them to different genres and allowing them to creatively respond to these. They explore various rhythm patterns and styles and begin to learn how to read and write music. We want children to appreciate art and how it influences the world today.