

An EYFS musician will:

In EYFS	 Listen attentively, move to and talk about music, expressing their feelings and responses. Sing in a group or on their own, increasingly matching the pitch and following the melody. Explore and engage in music making and dance, performing solo or in groups.
Perform This concept involves understanding that music is created to be performed	 To know twenty nursery rhymes off by heart. To enjoy moving to music by dancing, marching, being animals or Pop stars To sing along with a pre-recorded song and add actions.
Compose This concept involves appreciating that music is created through a process which has a number of techniques	 Invent a pattern using one pitched note, keep the pulse throughout with a single note and begin to create simple 2-note patterns to accompany the song
Appraise/Describe Music This concept involves appreciating the features of musical elements	 To know the stories of some of the nursery rhymes. To learn that music can touch your feelings. Explore high and low using voices and sounds of characters in the songs. Listen to high-pitched and low-pitched sounds on a glockenspiel.