

MUSIC MATTERS @ MOPS

Who is delivering the project?

LITTLE STAR - Kath Borer (Project & Music Leader)

Little Star live music sessions, are led using guitar, ukulele, piano, recorder and various sounds & percussion. Children will play & listen to a variety of instruments including, ukuleles, drums (djembe & gathering drum), tuned percussion, untuned percussion, keys, microphones. The focus of these sessions is on group music making and tracking physical, emotional and vocal responses to live music, song & rhyme.

JINGLE SING - Val Chandler (Music Leader, Jo Jingles)

Jingle Sing sessions will develop the children's vocal and sound making ability. Through song, visual aids, Makaton, puppets and sensory props these sessions will encourage children to find their voice through sound making, utterances and singing through the use of sign.

SENSORY SOUNDS - MOP's Team

Sensory Sound sessions are led and delivered by the team & volunteers at MOP's. These sessions will develop the children's sensory engagement & awareness. Using light, sound, tactile props, instruments, recorded music & voice sessions are conducted with the lights off using gentle lighting to create a calm/relaxing atmosphere.

ROSIES RAINBOW - Kasia Sikora -Black (Music Therapist)

Rosies Rainbow will provide a live music therapist who will work with all the children at MOP's on a 1-1 basis. Sessions aim to support expression of feelings, reducing distress and promoting well-being. Sessions will work with individual abilities and continue to support/meet personnel/project goals.

CONCERTINI - Julia Bentley-Dawes - (Co-ordinator)

Concertini will provide a musician x 3 sessions a term who will perform songs/rhymes/music at one of the weekly sessions above. Children will discover new instruments & sounds which we anticipate will evoke further responses.

Every term families will be invited to a live music/vocal concert. Concerts will be based around the termly theme and feature songs we have been learning including a Makaton song led by MOP's team.

MOPS TERMLY SHARING SESSIONS - Music Leaders & MOP's team

Children's accomplishments will be performed to family & friends each term.

All the music leaders will attend the sharing sessions and perform 1-2 pieces learnt. This is a real opportunity for the children, MOP's team & music leaders to share and develop performance skills and for the families to enjoy children's progress.

