

BUILD A CREATIVE COMMUNITY

BECOME A BRISTOL BEACON MUSICAL SCHOOL

and nurture a community of creative learners

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We know that music is a powerful tool when placed at the heart of schools – that's true now more than ever.

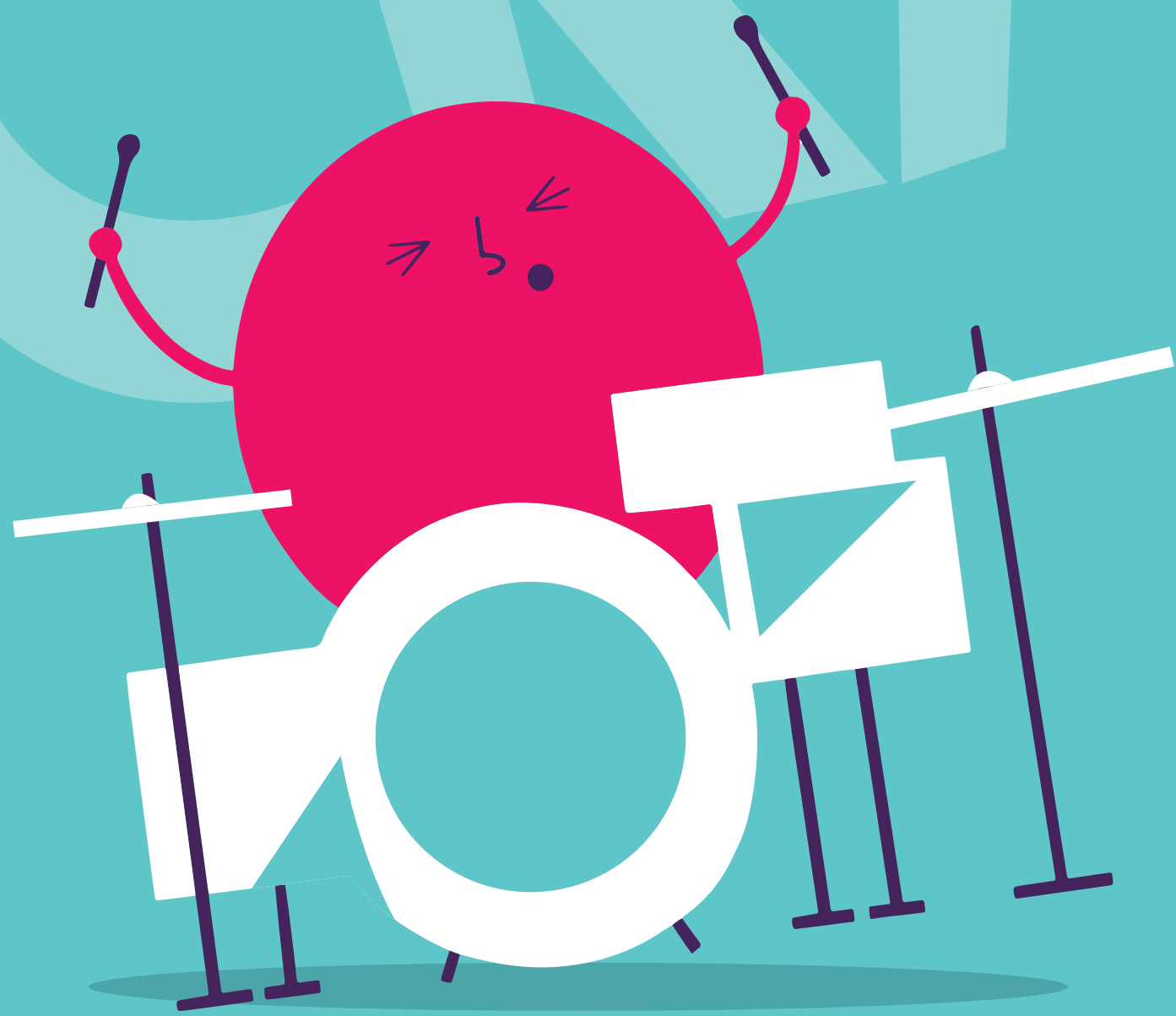
We believe that engagement with music is the key to wellbeing, personal and academic achievement and fostering a positive relationship with the world.

Our experienced and knowledgeable team are here to support you to create a musical culture in your school. Being a Bristol Beacon Musical School means you will have the resources and tools you need to bring music to life in your school.

Whether you are already a musical school or just starting out on the journey, the Bristol Beacon Musical Schools membership aims to support all schools in the city to achieve musical excellence. Our award-winning programme supports schools through a range of high-quality curriculum resources, enrichment activities and teacher training opportunities.

We work closely with the Department for Education, Ofsted, Arts Council England and industry organisations across the music education sector to make sure we are at the cutting edge of best practice in musical teaching and learning. Our experienced and knowledgeable team are here to support music in your school.

During the Covid-19 global pandemic, young people across the UK experienced different levels of difficulty, stress, loss, worry, anxiety, and trauma. Regular routines and social structures were disrupted or lost, and many social interactions moved online. The effects of the pandemic have had a significant effect on the mental health and wellbeing of children and young people. Music has a wonderful restorative effect and can help to boost positive thinking, create social bonds and generate self-esteem.



The Programme

Instrumental Music Lessons

We provide highly skilled specialist instrumental Music Tutors who are reflective practitioners and receive ongoing peer support and mentoring. In addition, all tutors are fully DBS checked and have had OCR checks where relevant. This enables your pupils to access high-quality music lessons, that are fully supported by the Bristol Beacon education team. We provide discounts on lessons for pupils in receipt of Pupil Premium, free lessons for Children in Care and with an Educational Health Care Plan and an Instrument Hire Scheme, so all children in your school that want access to a music lesson should be able to do so.

Managing music lessons in your school

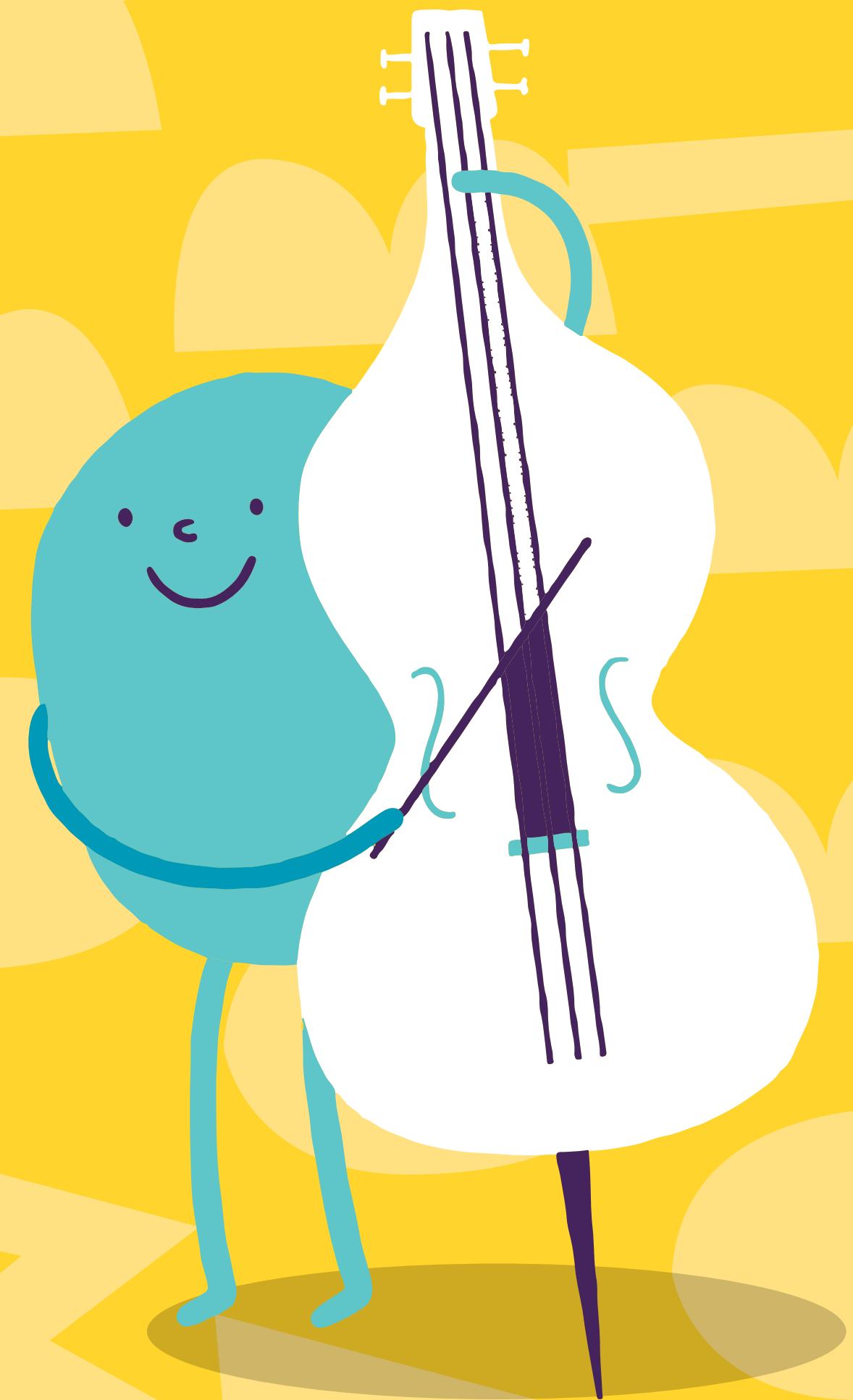
We can manage music lessons in your school through the parent pay and lesson management system, SpeedAdmin. This removes the financial and administrative burdens of managing instrument lessons in your school and means that we can timetable lessons and deal directly with parents for payments and enquiries.

DEVELOP LIFE SKILLS

No more chasing parents! In addition, all contractual arrangements with music tutors are made through Bristol Beacon so you just have to let us know if you wish to make any changes and we'll do our best to accommodate these as swiftly as possible.

Whole Class Ensemble Tuition (WCET)

Whole Class Ensemble Tuition is available to all schools in the city and is subsidised for one KS2 year group. Not only is this a fun way for children to learn about playing an instrument, but it also supports your school to meet the requirements of the National Music Curriculum. Schools have a wide choice of instruments including steel pans, ukulele, samba, djembe drumming, stomp, wind band, woodwind, violin, brass, rock band, guitar and recorder. In addition to the subsidised sessions, schools can also book for any other KS2 year group, where each class receives 10 x 1-hour sessions over two terms, with the option to extend this across the whole academic year.



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School Music Education Plan (SMEP)

No school improvement plan is complete without a 'School Music Education Plan' (SMEP). Developed with Ofsted and the Department for Education, every school should have an up-to-date plan and we can support you to create this for your school. This bespoke strategic document addresses all areas of music at your school and is developed through 1-2-1 meetings to support your school's musical strategy. A music staff meeting or whole staff INSET training is also available.

Bristol Music Curriculum

Bring music to life in your school through our award-winning Bristol Music Curriculum. These plans are developed by outstanding music teachers across Bristol, for Bristol schools. This enables you to develop your own 'cultural capital' in line with the National Curriculum. Included in the Curriculum are fully planned lessons, resources and pointers to trusted partners to ensure you are providing the best curriculum for your school.

PLAY IN A
ROCK BAND

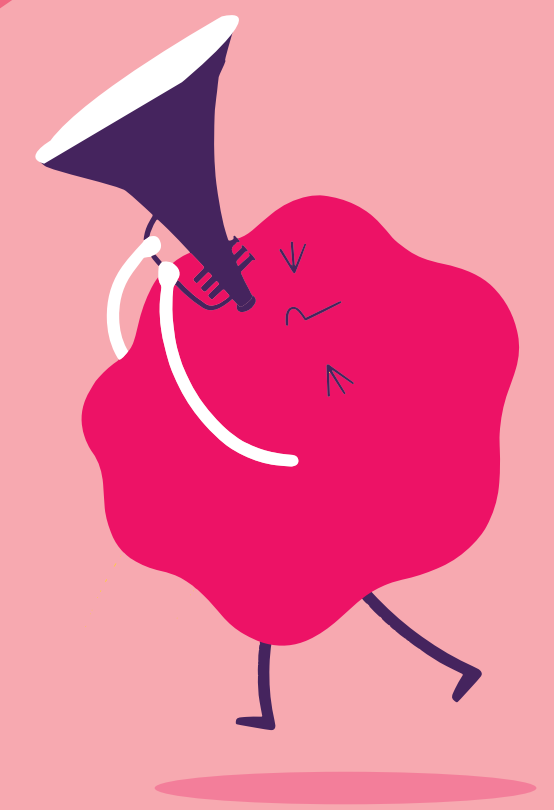
On signing up for a Bristol Beacon Schools Membership, you will receive a free set of our Musical Moments Cards and Rhythm Cards which will also support music throughout out your school, for which training can be provided.

Creative Partnerships

In addition to our curriculum, we support creative partnerships between schools and national arts organisations. These creative partnerships help to broaden and enhance the school curriculum offer.

BORROW AN INSTRUMENT

FREE LESSONS
AVAILABLE



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Singing Schools Programme

Singing in Bristol schools is vital not only for cohesion but also for the wellbeing of every pupil in your school. Bristol Beacon offers advice, training and support to help you develop and maintain a robust and positive singing ethos in your school. Join with other schools to take part in mass participatory singing celebrations at St George's and 'coming soon' at our magnificent Bristol Beacon concert venue.

Online Lessons and Digital Resources

We will continue to offer online instrumental lessons and activities where required. We have produced a range of digital resources, including short singing-based activity videos for KS1, WCET music sessions, and an introduction to learning musical instrumentals.

Continued Professional Development (CPD) for non-specialist and specialist teachers

Bristol Beacon run an extensive programme of training throughout the school year. Developing expertise in your team is vital to supporting an ongoing musical culture and we offer a year-round training programme, led by our primary specialist team, to support and further develop teacher confidence to lead music in your schools. Examples of this training include collaborating with national partners such as the Royal Opera House and Sound and Music to roll out national initiatives, as well as exploring key stage specific curriculum progression and support with Ofsted Music 'Deep Dive'.

FLEXIBLE LEARNING



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Schools Performance Platform

The Bristol Beacon Schools Performance Platform provides opportunities for students to perform outside of school settings and raise the profile of music making in your school communities.

Special Schools

We have an exceptional team of teachers with specialist knowledge of SEND settings and your membership includes access to Open Orchestras and bespoke creative music making opportunities. Get in touch with our team to make the most of your free membership.

Infant Schools

We have a reduced membership fee of £150 for Infant Schools, which includes all the CPD sessions, Bristol Music Curriculum and Creative Partnerships, Singing Schools Programme and participation in performance events. Talk to our team about whole class EYFS and KS1 music activities.

**PERFORM
YOUR SONGS**

REDUCED MEMBERSHIP





Membership

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MEMBERSHIP A

MEMBERSHIP B

NON-MEMBERS

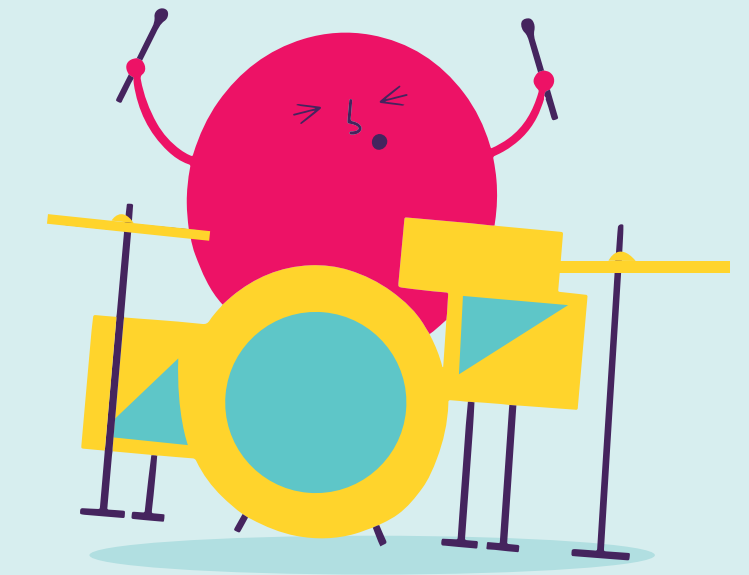
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| School Music Education Plan Meet with a member of the Bristol Beacon education team to review and discuss music planning in your school. | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| Staff Meeting, CPD and Training Plan and deliver music curriculum training at one staff meeting | ✓ | ✓ | X |
| INSET Day Plan and support delivery of music curriculum training in one INSET day | X | ✓ | X |
| CPD Attendance at regular curriculum support CPD sessions, eg. Bristol Music Curriculum Priority booking and discounted fee at specialist training sessions. | ✓ ✓ | ✓ ✓ | X X |
| Curriculum Resources Bristol Music Curriculum — full access | ✓ | ✓ | X |
| Whole Class Ensemble Tuition (WCET) 10 weeks (plus 1 planning session) of WCET - free for one KS2 year group. Continuation charged at subsidised rate of £200 per class, per double term. Additional WCET year groups charged at £36.50 per hour. | ✓ | ✓ | X |
| Instrument Loan for WCET Free instrument loan for all WCET programmes, including delivery and cleaning. | ✓ | ✓ | X |
| Singing Schools Programme Support to develop a singing strategy through CPD, curriculum and performance activities. | ✓ | ✓ | X |
| Access to Performance KS1 & KS2 Singing Events — access to all resources and events. Priority booking. Preferential rates for Schools Performance Platform in the Bristol Beacon. | ✓ ✓ ✓ | ✓ ✓ ✓ | ✓ X X |

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Membership continued...

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| Participation in Primary Orchestra Programme Access to all resources and workshops Priority booking | ✓ ✓ | ✓ ✓ | ✓ X |
| Instrumental/Vocal Lessons We undertake employment and vetting checks and all tutors have enhanced DBS clearance, ongoing CPD, reflection cycle and peer support. | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| SpeedAdmin Registration portal for timetabling and financial administration of instrumental lessons. | X | ✓ | X |
| Funded Support for Pupils Free lessons and instrument loan for Children in Care, with an EHCP or with a physical disability. 25% subsidy and free instrument hire for pupils in receipt of Pupil | ✓ ✓ | ✓ ✓ | Contact the education team to discuss how we can support pupils in your school |
| Workshops Whole day or half day workshops on any of the projects included in the WCET options - subsidised rates for membership schools £150/£100 | ✓ | ✓ | X |
| Bespoke For bespoke tuition or training, please contact the Hub team | X | X | X |
| Special Schools To discuss a bespoke programme for your schools, contact the Hub team | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| Annual Membership Fee (payable in September)* | | | |
| Primary School | £300 | £600 | — |
| Infant Schools | £150 | — | — |
| Special Schools | Free | — | — |
| Earthsong (Schools participating in the Earthsong programme receive a £300 discount on Membership A or B) | £0.00 | £300 | — |



Additional fees

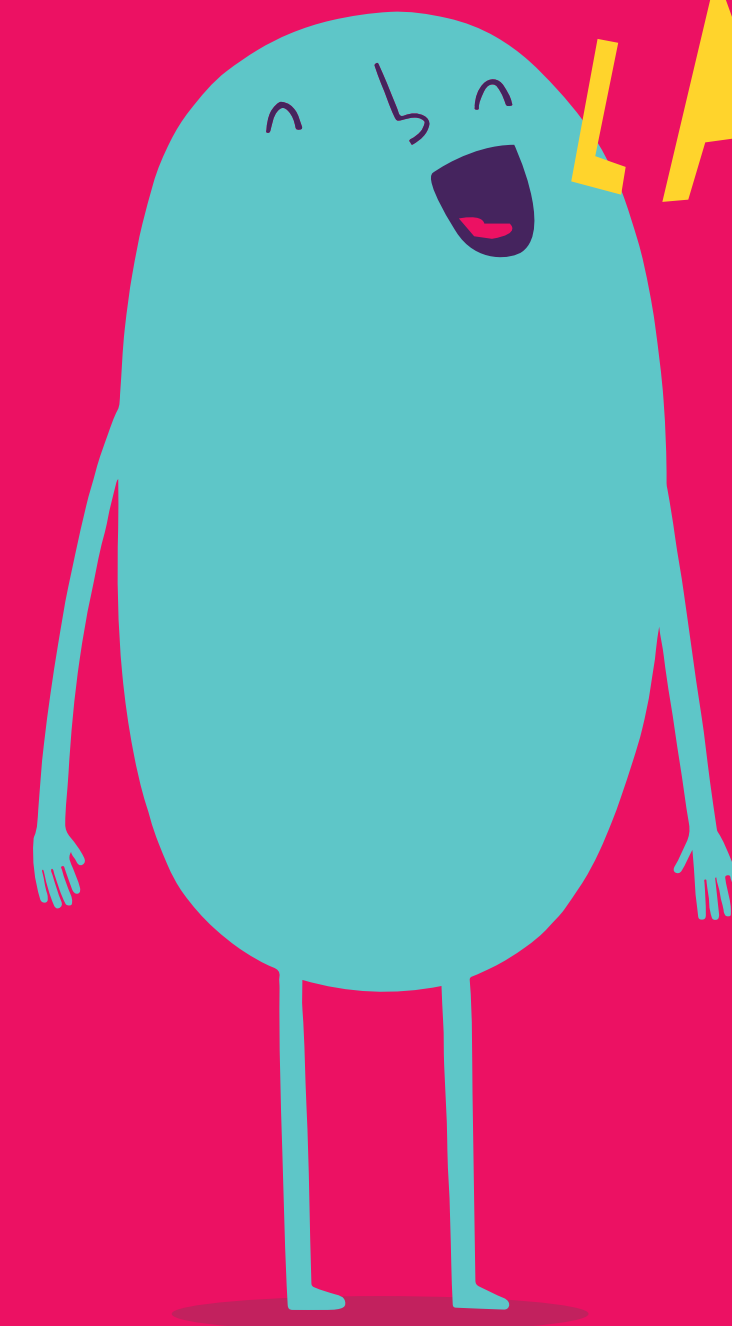
MEMBERS

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| School Music Education Plan | Bespoke meetings – £36.50 per hour | Bespoke meetings - £40.00 per hour |
| Annual Inset/Consultancy | Lead one staff meeting: £50.00 One day's INSET: £150.00 One day's consultancy: £200.00 | Lead one staff meeting: £75.00 One day's INSET: £200.00 One day's consultancy: £250.00 |
| SpeedAdmin for Schools (for administration and billing of instrumental lessons) | N/A | N/A |
| CPD and Training eg. Ofsted Deep Dive, Bristol Music Curriculum | Discounted rates for additional places | Price on application |
| Curriculum Resources & Support | Price on application | Price on application |
| Whole Class Ensemble Tuition (WCET) | Additional WCET year groups or projects - £36.50 per hour | All WCET activities charged at £36.50 per hour |
| Instrument Loan for WCET | Included in WCET charge | Price on application |
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| Workshops | Whole Day - £150 Half Day - £100 | Whole Day - £240 Half Day - £160 |
| Bespoke activities and tuition / PPA Music Specialist cover | Price on application | Price on application |

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