

Overview

Due to a variety of reasons including technical difficulties, scheduling issues and fairness to the staff involved, we will be unable to offer individual music and LAMDA lessons until we return. However, music and drama will still go on!



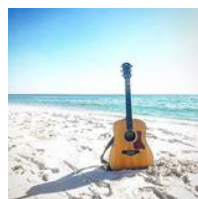
All of the pupils who would have music or LAMDA lessons normally will receive a programme of study from their individual teacher which should take them up to half term.

They will receive this next week. Pupils are also able to seek expert advice about speech and drama or their instrument and their practice from the relevant department at School. Mr Rye, Miss Barnes, Mrs Honey & Mr Kaye are on hand to help you: Email: tkaye@dokschoo.org.

It would be ideal if individual music and LAMDA pupils kept a video diary of their progression through a piece they are learning, which they could then show to their teacher at a later date.

Mr Rye's Podcasts

What a wonderful way to spend an hour listening to these glorious podcasts.



<https://soundcloud.com/nickryemusic/sets/mr-ryes-music-podcasts/s-flxuCNhilwD>

A weekly podcast exploring all things musical, including music from all genres and for all ages, interviews with famous artists, tenuous musical links, unexpected cover versions and tributes to artists past and present. And even some jazz! Accompanying Spotify playlists for each podcast will soon be found here:

<https://open.spotify.com/playlist/3AOWB7LhW3C4dzg0l6kadg?si=b9lpYTvRRj-hjRb0fPAAfA>

What is planned

Mr Rye has a whole range of ideas to keep the extra-curricular music playing:

- Composition competition to create a DoK school song/theme
- The challenge to contribute to the 3 Little Birds video (more on that next Tuesday!)
- A series of Podcasts
- A virtual summer concert - pupils can send in videos of them performing pieces and we will put a video together/put them on social media
- Senior and Junior Chamber Choir will still run with guide tracks going to all members for them to learn.



Similarly, Mr Wilson's Big Band members will receive their parts and the same for the Ukulele club. There will be a weekly composer of the week playlist made and uploaded to Google Classrooms

Pupils can suggest Artist of the Week to Mr Rye and then make a playlist once the successful candidate has been chosen.

Useful Links

BBC Bitesize - Music

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/z9xfq8>

Melodics is an app that adapts to your abilities and musical tastes to help you get better at playing keyboards, pad controllers, and drums.

<https://melodics.com/>

Rockschool Youtube Channel

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC5EJoUbN53OyBemEsrMvszA>

ABRSM You tube Channel

<https://www.youtube.com/user/ABRSM1/playlists>

For younger pupils – brilliant!

<https://www.royalalberthall.com/about-the-hall/news/2020/april/meet-the-orchestra-with-alberts-band/>

For singers

<http://www.vocalist.org.uk/>

For theory and pianists

<https://www.youtube.com/user/typur/>

Experience the London Symphony Orchestra from multiple camera angles

<https://play.lso.co.uk/>

8 stunning theatre, music and dance performances you can watch for free via the BBC

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/articles/11TQYCxzFdVxJ9mnsCwctfF5/eight-stunning-live-performances-you-can-watch-for-free>