

The Hermitage Infant and Junior Schools Subject Action Plan for September 2025 to July 2026

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Intended Impact/Objective (INTENT)	Actions needed (IMPLEMENTATION)	Success Criteria (IMPACT)	Monitoring Strategy	Completion Date	Funds
To improve consistency of Music teaching by experienced staff	Junior: Music to be taught by class teacher across the year. Infant: On-going CPD for support staff Regular CPD for all staff so they are not deskilled	Music is delivered by qualified teachers/trained staff the majority of the year. Teachers are more readily able to assess their classes needs thereby improving outcomes for children Children receive a more consistent and high-quality provision	Leaders to 'check-in' with staff as to who is teaching Music each half term. Leaders to monitor SeeSaw more closely to ensure consistency in year groups and across school	Summer	
To create a unified language for Music to be drawn up by Leaders	Leaders to draw up a draft 'language' curriculum for staff Each lesson to include a 'language' component at the beginning. Children to be tested at the end of each unit on their recall of core language (Junior)	Children will have a better core grasp of Music language which is transferrable The schools are more aligned so the transition from Infant to Juniors is smoother	Results from end of unit tests Evidence on SeeSaw of language teaching Pupil voice conferencing to check knowledge	Summer (reviewed termly)	

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To build on foundations of assessment and	Report statements to be reviewed by Leaders so	Children will follow a clearer progression in Music	Termly check-ins on SeeSaw	Reviewed Termly	
make the process more rigorous	they are more rigorous and progressive	There will be year on year improvement against	Pupil voice		
	SeeSaw to evidence the statements for reports	stronger strands and standards	Report statement trackers		
	Staff training on how to assess Music	Parents and pupils will get clearer feedback on next steps and where they need	to be monitored and completed		
		to focus next			

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