

**DEVELOPING YOUNG MUSICIANS** 

Dear Parent / Carer

The ability to sing or play a musical instrument is something that can bring a lifetime of joy. It open doors to rich and varied experiences that would otherwise not be available. Put simply, the sooner we start, the better!

The benefits of learning a musical instrument at a young age are well recognised. These include building confidence and self-esteem; improving patience, perseverance, and focus; cultivating creative, deductive, and collaborative skills; and reducing stress and anxiety. Our video "Let's Make Music" highlights these with young musicians talking about the positive influence music has had on their lives.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0d5xzPZZRDI

In Cowbridge we currently offer lessons on Brass, Woodwind, Strings, Drums, Guitar, Piano, and Voice. There is a musical instrument to suit everyone: there are lots to choose from. We have put together a series of videos introducing you to the different instrument families so you can get an idea of what they sound like and how they work.

https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLj20KlfSIIBPvFCl8YbqLVW-2PUTsVL-6

If you are interested in registering your child for music lessons, there is further information on the enclosed flier. Alternatively, you can visit <u>https://cavms.co.uk/</u>

We look forward to starting your child on the wonderful journey which learning a musical instrument can be.

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