

## P R E S E N T   S C H O O L   O F F E R

### TAKE A LOOK AND SIGN UP TO OUR WORKSHOPS FOR KSI-5

#### KSI-2 CPD VOCAL WORKSHOP

This free session: "Singing - A whole School Approach and Lifting Barriers" is aimed at all staff, teachers, TA's and music coordinators who either wish to get started on their school singing journey, or for schools with well-established choirs and whole school singing. The event will take place at Marsh Green Primary School on Monday 4th March 3.45-5.00 pm. Contact us for details and to enrol using the contact details below

#### KSI-2 PRIMARY MUSIC FESTIVAL

The Primary music festival is being held in different venues from 12th - 21st March. The concerts offer a great opportunity for choirs and instrumental groups to perform in a supportive and informal setting. This year there are 21 participating schools. For more information about how you can join in this year or next please contact us using the email below



#### KSI-2 £1 TICKET SCHEME

The £1 Ticket Scheme is designed for families who have been referred to Wigmore Hall through partner organisations. Families who face financial barriers can be referred to the scheme and access Wigmore Hall's family events.

Those on lower incomes can access £1 tickets to a range of activities:  
<https://www.wigmore-hall.org.uk/learning-and-participation/families/1-ticket-scheme>



#### KSI-3 DIGITAL WORKSHOPS

Our digital music partners from Conductive Music will be delivering music technology workshops in schools this term, bringing music, sciences and technology together in exciting hands-on sessions for children in Y1 to Y6. Education & Bass will deliver two digital music production workshops after ½ term in Sydney Russell School and Warren School to pupils in KS3. Further bookings can be made for schools that have pupils that are interested in music production techniques.



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#### KS2-5 THAMES REACH YOUTH ORCHESTRA

The Thames Reach Youth Orchestra (TRY) workshop will take place during the half term on Monday 19th and Tuesday 20th February. Pupils from Thurrock Music Service and the CMS will rehearse a range of repertoire together at Purfleet Royal Opera House Production Park. The course is open to all pupils playing an orchestral instrument to a standard of Grade 3 and above. Application forms available from [cmsoffice@lbbd.gov.uk](mailto:cmsoffice@lbbd.gov.uk)

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## PRESENT SCHOOL OFFER

### TAKE A LOOK AND SIGN UP TO OUR WORKSHOPS FOR KS1-5



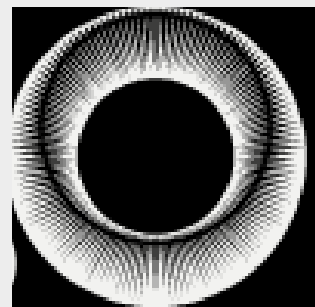
### KS3+ END OF TERM ENSEMBLES

The CMS ensembles concert will be held at Sydney Russell Secondary School from 6-7pm. Entrance is £4 per adult (children are free) on the door. We welcome all to come to celebrate the progress of our young people. The ensembles will take place on Monday 25th of March.

**THE FOLLOWING WORKSHOPS ARE FULL BUT IF YOU ARE INTERESTED, PLEASE ENQUIRE AND YOU WILL BE FIRST CONTACT FOR FUTURE IF AND WHEN WE RERUN THE SESSIONS**

### KS1 Concerts- Music in the Round

Music in the Round will be returning to perform in Barking Broadway Theatre. The concerts, suitable for Reception and Key Stage 1 children are in June and booking is now open. These concerts are popular and book up fast! This year the team will perform the Chimpanzees of Happy Town. Each concert on Thursday the 6th of June lasts 45 minutes and schools can choose between the 10.45 morning delivery or afternoon 1.30 delivery. The cost per pupil for the concert is £5 and any accompanying adult comes for free.

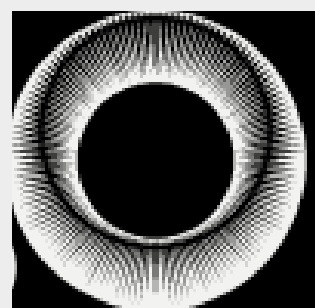


### GRADE 4+ LSO DISCOVERY

Create composition project will take place in Richard Alibon ARP. LSO Activate rehearsals continue and CMS pupils will participate in March. We will host East London Academy string development workshop for pupils of Grade 4 and above. The workshop will be led by four members of the LSO string sections, and will conclude with a short concert for parents and friends.

### KS3- WE COMPOSE

Music in the Round will commence the WeCompose for KS3 pupils in Dagenham Park Community School, Sydney Russell School & The Warren School. Pupils will work with professional composers and a string quartet. CPD will be given to teachers, an Introductory Concert and school visits are all included for all. In this programme, professional composers who will work alongside school music teachers to help the pupils produce compositions that will be performed at the culmination concert at the Broadway Theatre on 1st July.



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## CELEBRATIONS

The annual CMS Staff Christmas concerts took place in schools over seven days from the 12th December to 20th December. Twenty Five concerts were given in schools including Primary, Junior, Infants, and Special Schools. Our nineteen piece orchestra made from CMS staff and five CMS alumni. The concerts included popular and seasonal music and were interactive with pupils having the opportunity to sing songs including Taylor Swift (Shake it Off) and George Michael (Last Christmas) which was the current chart No. 1.

The pupils were entertained with information on the instruments and the music performed and they participated in rhythm and conducting games. The questions asked at the end of each concert certainly showed their enthusiasm for the music performed to them.

The three concerts at Trinity School included a performance with the CMS staff orchestra by the Trinity Clarinet group in Last Christmas specially arranged for the occasion by their clarinet teacher.

Four pupils in the group have been playing since their WCET lessons in the school and are now in Y12 & Y13. One of the clarinet group had just completed his Grade 3 ABRSM clarinet exam and passed with 115/150, a fantastic achievement. The pupil was thrilled to find out his result on the day that he was performing with the CMS Orchestra at his school.



**Contact us at [cmsoffice@lbdd.gov.uk](mailto:cmsoffice@lbdd.gov.uk)**

## FUTURE SCHOOL OFFERS

**Our new schools offer will be circulated to you in March  
but here is a short overview of CMS 24/25**

### Whole Class

In this exciting programme, children will learn an instrument together as a whole class. A number of instruments choices are available.

- 35 Weeks of lessons
- 1 hour per week
- 1 tutor from CMS
- Delivery, insurance and hire of instruments
- Performance opportunities
- Instrument replacement and repair
- Whole Class Plus for our premium service and 2 tutors also available
- Prices from £1800 per year including School Hub Grant

**Find out More:**

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KS2 offer

### 1:1 and Small Group

We provide small group or one to one tuition from KS1-5. A number of instrument options are available.

- 35 Weeks of lessons
- 15, 20 and 30 minute sessions available
- Prices are set per hour allowing students to benefit from lower rates by participating in small group lessons if requested
- Delivery, insurance and hire of instruments
- Performance opportunities
- Instrument replacement and repair
- Prices from £48.25 per hour funded by schools or parents/carers

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KS2- KS5 offer



### Charanga

Charanga is available to all schools participating in Whole Class

- Online resource including pre built lessons
- Numerous musical instrument courses available
- Specialist SEND resources available
- Short courses in Global Music including Samba and Djembe
- Pupil and staff logins
- Interactive features available including mixing software
- Also available for secondary programmes

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## Partner Opportunities

Performances and workshops with our partners are fundamental to our varied service. These opportunities are often short notice, so to keep up to date, sign up to our newsletter. Our partners include but are not limited to:

- Classical: Barbican, LSO, ROH, BBC
- Global Music: Barking and Dagenham Carnival
- Digital Music: Access to Local Studios
- Local Providers: Inspiring Futures and Cultural Ed. Partnership
- Music for STEM: Education and Bass, Conductive Music

**More information:**  
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## Extra Curriculars

We offer activities including lessons and ensembles for schools during lunch breaks and after school sessions.

- 30 weeks offered
- 30/45 minute sessions
- This can include pupils, staff, family and age specific or intergenerational groups
- Hire of instruments is offered
- Prices from £1080 per group per year

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## Other Offers

We offer a number of other services that help schools achieve their musical goals.

- **Curriculum Support** for early years to Key Stage 2 including lessons of 30,45, 60 minutes from £1008 per class
- **Advisory Support** for school leaders, coordinators, heads including writing the school music plan, peer moderation and CPD from £67.25 per hour
- **Bespoke Curriculum Projects** are also available to build partnerships with groups of schools towards a catered musical outcome

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