

Guitar/ Ukulele Lessons

Dear Parents and Child

Guitar and Ukulele lessons will begin again at Blakesley Primary School in September with start dates to be confirmed. In these sessions children can choose to learn guitar, ukulele or a combination of both. As part of their lessons your child will be taught all the basics of playing and understanding their instrument. During our 20 minute sessions children will be taught in pairs and lesson times will rotate so that children do not miss the same school sessions each week. Towards the end of the year children will perform the skill they have learned in a guitar and ukulele assembly.

Learning to play a musical instrument requires a serious commitment of time. Your child will only benefit from these lessons if they play for 5 minutes each day, so they will need their own guitar. The ideal guitar for this age group is a three quarter sized nylon strung guitar from around £40, and the most basic Ukuleles cost around £20. You can buy these on line or at most music shops. You will also need to purchase a learning book for your child which will cost no more than £10.00 for a beginner. The book will depend on age and ability, I will advise you on what book to get after the lessons begin. The cost is £5.00 per session and is payable per term. If you wish your child to be considered for Guitar or Ukulele lessons please complete the form below and return it to school as soon as possible.