ENHANCING ENGAGEMENT THROUGH MUSIC THERAPY

ENGAGEMENT FOCUS activity 7:
investigation

Explore and focus on investigation in a supported, prompted or independent capacity. Investigation is actively trying to find out more within or about an activity or experience

Please complete a blank recording sheet for each musical activity and for this week it is Record week 7 (see separate recording sheets)
It will enable us to monitor the progress in this area through eye contact, facial expression, use of voice, initiating play on an instrument and prompting a movement.
If a parent/carer needs support with this then please contact your teacher for further assistance and guidance.

INVESTIGATION

Step 1: Here is a cover song of 'Dance Monkey' using the 'Bongo Cat' application to motivate and engage your child/pupil to begin this investigation activity
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=J2LBttJgCTk

Step 2: Using 'Bongo Cat' let your child/pupil investigate the varying sounds and timbres of instruments including the bongos, the piano, the cymbal and the marimba
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Step 3: Beginning with one instrument allow your child/pupil to investigate a new sound matching the musical symbols found on the next page to integrate their learning

Step 4: If your child/pupil wants to use other virtual instruments to expand their investigation skills click below for the guitar, the drums, the xylophone and the glockenspiel
https://www.virtualmusicalinstruments.com

Step 5: Notice your child/pupil's level of investigation skills and their association with the instrumental sounds with the visual references provided

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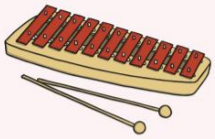
MUSICAL INSTRUMENT SYMBOLS

drums

piano

grand piano

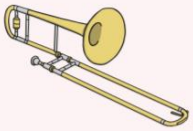
xylophone



glockenspiel

electric guitar

maracas



trombone

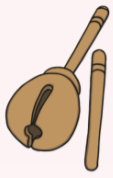
tambourine

saxophone

acoustic guitar

castanets

trumpet



tulip block

clarinet

hand bell