**Oldham Primary Music Conference Booking Form**

**Thursday 13th March 2025 8.45am-3pm**

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| **Fee\*** | £50 for Oldham Schools contributing via DMG Use code: DMG  £80 for other schools and settings Use code: OTH  Free of charge to schools releasing OMS staff Use code: FREE  Free of charge to trainees in Oldham schools and/or with Manchester Nexus Use code: TRAIN |
| **Venue** | The Lyceum Building, Union Street, Oldham OL1 1QG |
| **Further Information** | The entrance to the Lyceum Building is on Firth Street, at the back of the Old Town Hall.  Lunch will be provided for all delegates. |
| **Payment Information** | Invoices will be sent after the event. In the event of a delegate cancelling at short notice (less than 7 days), the full fee will be charged, regardless of whether the school/establishment contributes via the Curriculum Enrichment Funding/DMG scheme. |

\*Please note different charges for non-district schools, non-school settings (e.g. Pre-schools, private Day Nurseries) and Oldham schools not contributing via curriculum enrichment funding/Devolved Music Grant –formerly DSG.

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| **Name of Delegate** |  |
| **School** |  |
| **Telephone Number** |  |
| **School Email address** |  |
| **Delegate email address** |  |
| **Special dietary requirements** |  |
| **Special access requirements** |  |
| **Booking/Fee Code** | DMG  OTH FREE  TRAIN |

**Workshop Choices** (see next page for options):

*Please indicate your preference using “1” as first choice, “2” as second choice etc. through to “6”.*

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|  | BBC Musical Storyland |  | **Office Use Only** |  |
|  | Chair Drumming |  | Date form received |  |
|  | Vocal Health |  | Date Confirmation Email sent |  |
|  | Singing in the Classroom (Sparkyard) |  | Date Invoice sent |  |
|  | Integrating Music into Class topics |  | Date Payment received |  |
|  | Music and Maths |  |  |  |
|  | Transforming the Recorder |  |  |  |

Complete and return this form to [musicservice@oldham.gov.uk](mailto:musicservice@oldham.gov.uk) with the subject heading PRIMARY MUSIC CONFERENCE no later than 6th March 2025

**Workshops**

*These are 45 minute workshops. There will be 3 workshop sessions during the Conference – please indicate your order of preference on the booking form. We will endeavour to allocate delegates to 1st, 2nd and 3rd choices, but this is dependent upon the number of delegates who attend.*

**Musical Storyland (EYFS & KS1)**

This workshop will look at the recently developed CBBC Musical Storyland series for EYFS and KS1. The BBC have developed ten 10-minute story animations based around traditional tales from the UK and around the world including China, Africa, the Caribbean and India. Original music is played by members of the BBC Philharmonic and renowned musicians from other traditions giving children the chance to see and hear different instruments. Access to lesson plans and additional resources will be provided.

**Chair Drumming (KS2)**

Chair Drumming is great for developing rhythm, pulse and co-ordination, leading to the transferring of these skills to a drum kit. It’s also lots of fun too and has been used widely in schools with pupils of all ages. This session will explore a range of resources and teach you the basics of chair drumming. If you enjoyed Bucket Drumming at last year’s conference, this is the next step for you and your students!

**Vocal Health**

Vocal health is not just for singers! This session will cover vocal care techniques, voice disorder prevention and lifestyle factors affecting vocal health. Please bring a bottle of water for the practical aspect of this session. This session will be led by a fully qualified Vocal Health First Aider.

**Singing in the Classroom: Sparkyard**

In this session you will consider why singing is an important part of the Music and wider curriculum, understand how music can boost well-being, become familiar with good singing technique and explore ways to teach that to children. You will consider how to build singing into the curriculum. Sparkyard is a subscription platform for primary schools. It has more than 1000 songs from the Out of the Ark song library, as well as assemblies, resources, a flexible Music curriculum and much more. All Oldham schools are entitled to a 30% discount for Sparkyard.

**Integrating Music into a Class Topic (KS2)**

Simple strategies for incorporating Music into class topics which will enable your pupils to develop their composing, performing and listening skills.

**Music and Maths (EYFS/KS1)**

Music and maths are closely related in early childhood, and activities that combine the two can help children develop mathematical thinking skills.  Come and explore how beat, rhythm and melody can develop a range of mathematical skills including 1:1 correspondence, number systems, patterns and sequences.

**Transforming the Recorder (KS2)**

Learn how to make the recorder sound melodious, not cacophonous! This workshop offers a complete unit of work and essential tips for teaching the recorder to primary pupils. Discover effective techniques and engaging activities to build students' skills and confidence. Empower your classroom with beautiful music.