



Parents/Carers May Newsletter

I hope you are safe and well. [Durham Music Service](#) is committed to supporting the music making during this challenging time.

- [Webcam teaching](#) for small group pupils.
- [YouTube Channel](#) to support Musical Progression in all year groups

Small Group Teaching Via Webcam

The responses has been fantastic to our webcam small group lessons.

"Lilly absolutely loved her lesson today and she is already on count down for next week it's on the calendar!"



Laura Jackson @MrsJacksonMusic · May 1

Bravo [@TrustDurham](#) and Mr Hartley, I learnt loads in this violin lesson too! Checklist for next week sorted! [#homeschool](#)



Lesley Hamill @lesley_hamill · Apr 30

Second online trumpet lesson with [@TrustDurham](#) (a bit more awake this week!). Loved the screen sharing so P could annotate his music. Absolutely brilliant, thank you [@CarolynTrombone](#) [#dmshomesessions](#)

Hopefully you have all managed to arrange lessons. [Please get in touch](#) if you haven't.

We'd love to hear and see the music happening at home. Tag us into any social media posts [#DMShomesessions](#)

We will be sending the Summer invoices from the 18th May onwards.

Bursaries

It has been great to be able to award bursaries for those that need it, we are getting through the applications as quickly as possible.

[Details about how to apply on our website.](#)

Appeal

To be able to fund the bursaries we are asking those that can to contribute to help those that need it to be able to continue you with musical learning.

Thank to those that have contributed we have raised £3,895 so far.

YouTube Channel

We are thrilled with the response to the YouTube Channel, with 6000 views over 2 weeks!

- [New Video everyday](#)
- [Resources accompanying](#) every video to develop the learning further the link to the resources is on our website or in the description to the video.
- All resources are listed on [our website](#) in the order by day or by year group

Year 4 Resources



Bubbligum | Rockin' Rhythm Friday Episode 2

Bubble Gum Bubble Gum Chew and blow - with pots and pan!

[Read more](#)



Lime in the Coconut | Ukulele Fun Wednesday Episode 2

Come and learn to Play Lime In Coconut, don't forget you don't need a ukulele, you could play the chords on guitar, keyboard or your favourite music app (e.g. Garage Band - free to download)

[Read more](#)



Rad LLama | Groovy Moovy Monday Episode 2

How about a rap about a totally rad lama and a bad camel to start your Monday!

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