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Give it a go! #Learn to Play
Percussion Instrumental Lessons at Lepton CE Primary Academy

Dear Parent/Carer
I am writing to invite your child to take advantage of a fantastic opportunity to access **free** percussion instrumental lessons on a trial basis. The lessons will be on snare drum, glockenspiel and 3-piece drum kit and will be offered by Louise Emms in partnership with Musica Kirklees.
The lessons will consist of groups of two or three pupils being taught in a 15-20 minute period and there will be a total of three sessions over a period of three weeks, during the school day. Musica Kirklees will provide instruments, sticks and music for the taster lessons.

How do I apply?
Applications should be submitted via email to louise.emms@musicakirklees.org, containing your child's name and year group.

What happens after the taster session?
We hope that your child will enjoy learning a new skill and develop their enthusiasm for making music. If they choose to continue learning, there will be opportunities for further lessons with Miss Emms. There is a charge for lessons beyond the taster sessions. Further information will be provided at the end of the sessions (alternatively please visit musicakirklees.org) . Please also note that we have a direct debit payment scheme to spread the cost of lessons and Kirklees Priority Passport holders can benefit from discounted lessons.

There are many benefits; both social and academic, gained by learning to play an instrument and it is a skill that will then stay with your child for life. If you have any questions about the percussion taster opportunity please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,
Louise Emms

Percussion Teacher
Musica Kirklees