



MUSIC EXPRESS **ONLINE**

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A&C Black launches award-winning music scheme online

Teachers are facing huge challenges this term in preparation for the new curriculum and need the support of up-to-date resources. A&C Black has embraced the changes across many subjects, including Music, and understands the imminent challenges facing both schools and music hubs.

It has been over ten years since the publication of the bestselling Music Express scheme of work, which was successfully used in primary schools and music services around the UK. The end of August sees the launch of this scheme as a digital-based subscription service, containing everything needed to teach the new Music curriculum from Early Years to age 11. As well as all the new content from the 2014 editions of the Music Express books it contains additional resources from the original books, a song bank and other regularly updated resources.

A summary of contents:

- All materials written by renowned primary music education specialists
- Over 300 lessons, divided by age group and term and searchable by subject or theme
- Over 400 songs in a song bank searchable alphabetically or by age, theme, style or format
- Resources for whole class instrumental teaching
- Physical, vocal and focus warm-ups for different age groups
- Materials to develop basic musical skills
- Lesson plans, schemes of work and more for all music curricula of Great Britain and Northern Ireland
- No music reading required

Designed to provide teachers with clear progression in music as well as cross-curricular topic work, Music Express Online has been specially devised to support both non-specialist and specialist teachers. It can be used as a complete scheme or as a dip in resource to tailor make music provision.

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