

# Music at Montsaye

## Overview:

The aim of Music department is to give the skills required to be creative and inquisitive about the modern world. Those skills include ones that are specialist to Music and some that are key skills for the future. These include teamwork, evaluative skills, independent working and presentation skills.

As students move forward through the school we want students to develop their skills further and in more detail to the point where they have a toolbox to access Music at further education and to continue to enhance their cultural capital.

We are very proud to offer a wide range on peripatetic opportunities ranging from string, brass and music technology.

## Intent:

The Music Department at Montsaye Academy aims to develop young musicians so they are confident and collaborative. With a combination of teacher led delivery, independent rehearsal, performances and workshops we aim to complement the employability skills that they are developing in other subject areas as well as prepare students for the everyday world of working within a team.

## Student Vision:

- To develop students as well skilled performers.
- To provide students with a toolbox of skills that helps them in the future.
- To allow students to experience live and recorded Music within the context of the lesson
- To provide students with an insight into how this subject is going to be useful in their chosen next steps in life and increase their cultural capital
- To prepare students for the everyday life of working within a community.

**Exam Board:** Eduquas

**Assessment Method:** 60% Coursework and 40% exam

**The team:**

## Extra- Curricular

Due to the nature of the subject we believe that extra-curricular Music is a crucial especially as it has the ability to inspire so many students.

We will offer lots of opportunities for those students who want to further their interest in whichever area of the subject they want to excel in. That would include performing and technical support. We know that may inspire somebody to take this further after their time at the school is over.

