



Sir John Cass's Foundation
Primary School
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Music (strings) Year 6

Aim to play for about 15 - 20 minutes a day.

Below are suggestions, but the main thing is to enjoy playing. Feel free to try the new pieces listed if you want to experiment. Then when we are back at school you can perform them!

To play along with backing tracks you can use your CD or go to this link at You Tube where you can find all the backing tracks for Books 1.5 and 3 for no charge:

https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=OLAK5uy_l4Kr2Db31-Ohgp7csFG0t0wuJeexTNVGw

Try this each day but you can vary the pieces for variety if you want:

- WARM UP - easy pieces, play any TWO of the following:

Harry Hotspur (Book 1.5)

Easy Streets (Book 1.5)

Carnival (Book 2)

- Next, warm up your left hand.

Play a scale either from D or G (two octaves). Try it in 2 different rhythms of your choice. (e.g. Picadilly Circus, we are the champions, etc)

- Next, try some medium difficult pieces. Play any TWO of the following:

Carnival (Book 2)

Come Follow (sheet copy)

Wizards United (sheet copy)

- Finally, try one of the more challenging new pieces. Choose any ONE of the following:

Café Calypso (Book 3)

Reel (Challenging – Book 3, Easier – Book 1.5)

Oh When the Saints (Book 1.5)

If you do not have sheet music for any pieces above, scanned copies for you to download will be here soon. Or you can buy Vamoosh books from www.vamooshmusic.com

If you have any questions then email the school and we'll get back to you!

Katherine