



Dear parent / guardian

For some time your school has been providing children with the opportunity to learn a musical instrument in partnership with the **Music for Schools Foundation**, a non-profit making charity that provide small group lessons on Clarinet, Flute, Recorder, Trumpet, Cornet and Saxophone.

Every year the previous year 6's move onto their new school and this means we have space to give some more pupils the opportunity to learn to play an instrument.

### **Why should my child learn to play an instrument?**

Our amazing tutors make lessons fun, and children who learn to play a musical instrument also perform better in Maths, English and Science. There are social, emotional and developmental benefits too, such as improved memory, patience, perseverance and self-confidence.

### **How much does it cost?**

Your child can learn to play for **around £1 per day** and packages include an instrument, music book, music stand, book bag and instrument maintenance cover. If you already have an instrument you can just pay for lessons and there are also reductions for children eligible for Pupil Premium.

### **WHAT TO DO NEXT**

#### **To enrol for lessons:**

Lessons will be starting soon - enrol within the **next seven days** to ensure that your child doesn't miss out! Just visit [www.mfsf.org.uk](http://www.mfsf.org.uk) and click on **Enrol**.

#### **Or for more information:**

Register your details at [www.mfsf.org.uk/interested](http://www.mfsf.org.uk/interested) and we will be in touch.

We look forward to meeting your child and starting them on an amazing musical journey!