## Music- Yr 1-2's

Term 1 Music will focus on students exploring and expressing ideas. This covers how to use instruments safely and respectfully, how to create a safe music class environment, whereby everyone is supported to express their musical learning. Students will also discover the diversity of sound that different instruments make.

Beat versus Rhythm will be the initial focus of the term, whereby students will identify the beat within a song and how a rhythm (long, short and no sound) is different and used to create music alongside a steady beat. Students will have the opportunity to play both the beat and the rhythm. Plus write rhythms that are the start of music composition. This will lead into activities that will develop student's pitch and an understanding of melody.

