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Dear Parents/Guardians,

Did you know that there is a fantastic Music Centre in Preston, where you child can come and explore and wide variety of groups and ensembles?

At Preston Music centre we pride ourselves on developing our pupil's musicality through inclusive, fun, and educational sessions.

Each Thursday we have:

- **"Percussive Beats"** – Our BRAND-NEW percussion ensemble. Led by Trevor Bartlett this is no ordinary percussion group. Trevor is a professional Orchestral Percussionist and Drummer, and in these sessions, pupils will have the opportunity to explore a wealth of tuned and untuned percussion instruments.  
**No experience necessary. 4.30pm – 5pm**
- **"Band for All"** - Our centre Band is led by Sam French, who is our County Jazz lead. The band is suitable for EVERYONE who is learning an instrument, from beginners who have had 2 lessons up to grade 8. Playing in a group is a vital skill to learn as a musician and this is a group where listening skills, reading skills, and playing by ear are all enhanced.  
**From beginner to advanced. 5.45pm- 6.15pm**
- **Ukulele group** – Our fabulous ukulele club is led by Richard Moss, who is a professional Folk musician. Ukulele is a great instrument and accessible for pupils of all ages. Playing a wide variety of tunes, pupils can quickly learn in this fantastic ensemble.  
**Suitable for compete beginners upwards – instruments available to hire. 5.15pm- 6.45pm**
- **"Preston Young Voices" Choir, Launching 17<sup>th</sup> OCT.**  
We are extremely excited to finally be able to launch our Choir. Led by Julie Rayton, the choir will be a fully inclusive space for pupils from KS2 up to KS5 to come together to have fun and learn to sing as a group singing a wide variety of songs from different genres.  
**No experience necessary. 4-5pm**

Music centre takes place at **Fulwood Academy, Black bull lane, PR2 9YR,**  
Thursdays in term time.

Ensembles/ groups come under our "Silver Membership" at a cost of £29 per term.  
This one fee gives access to **ALL groups!** One price for everything!

For more information and how to sign up: [Preston Music Centre - Lancashire Music Hub](#)

Or follow us on Facebook: [\(2\) Facebook](#)

To arrange to bring your child along for a trial session to any or all of the above groups, please contact me on the details below.

We look forward to meeting some of you soon!

Best wishes

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