



Music

Learning a tuned instrument



The B note



It's really hard to keep my other fingers away from the holes and just cover one.

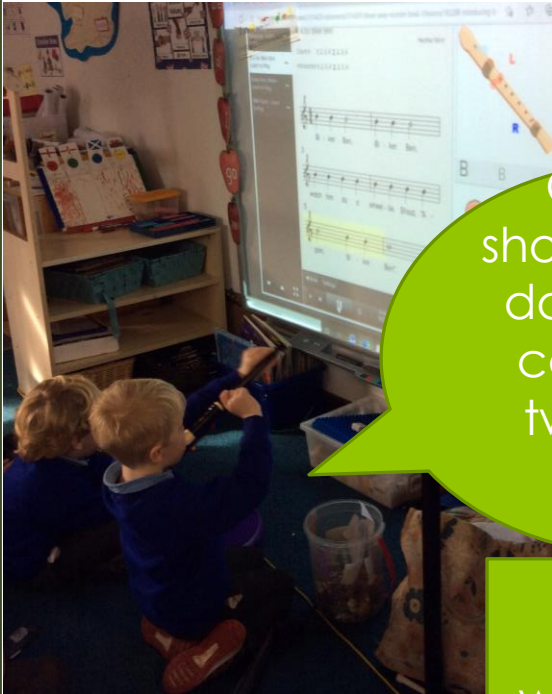


We had to do some warm up exercises for our fingers and practice moving them before having a go on the recorders. We then played the B note alongside a song.



I keep calling it a flue and not a recorder – silly me.

The A note



Can you shout when to do one hole covered or two, that'll make it easier.



We then had a go at learning the A note which needed two holes covered and not one. To challenge ourselves we then played the A and B note alongside a song. It was really tricky to change between the notes but it sounded really good by the end.



The G note



We must always keep the hole at the back covered.



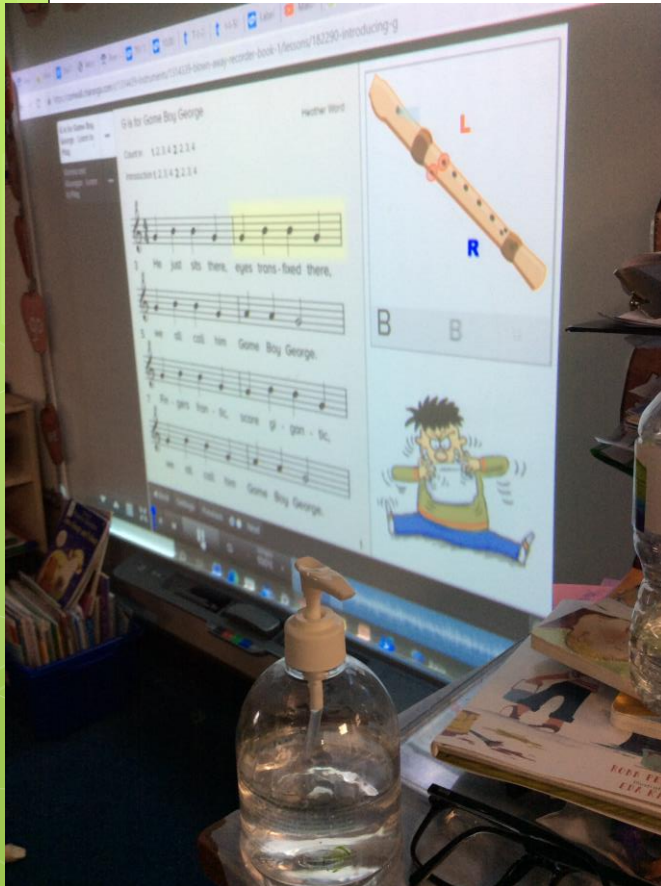
Three holes covered and the back one too for the G note.



This one is tricky, I have to use so many fingers.

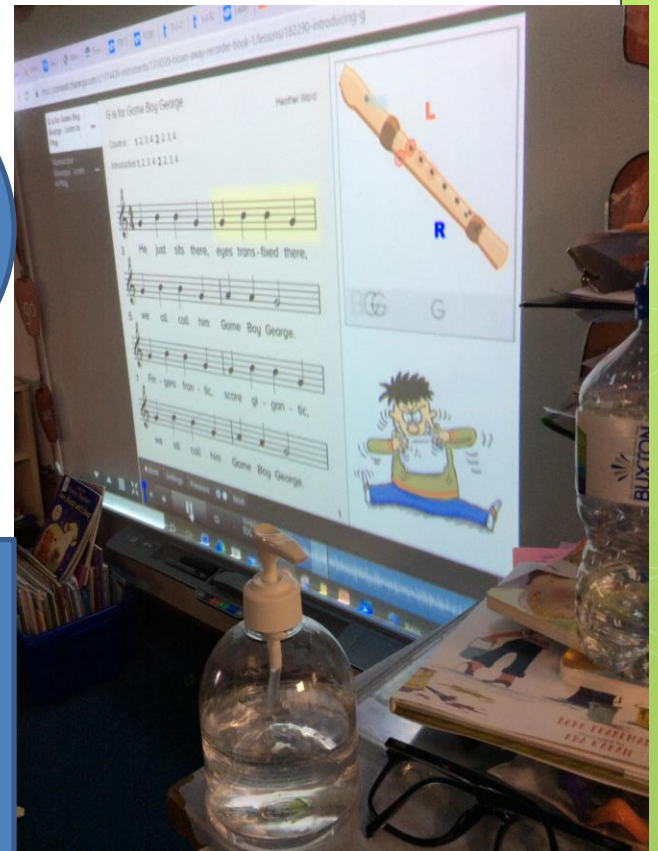
Playing B, A and G alongside a song ☐

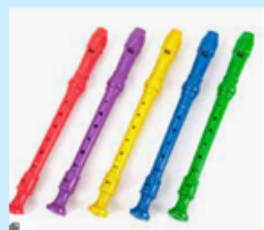
We are playing with all of the notes!



Can you call out how many holes to cover like before? It's easier than saying the note.

A member of staff walked in and said we sounded so much better than before and that we had improved lots!





Our Endpoint

Playing up to 3 different notes on a recorder alongside a piece of music.

What we already know:

-How to play some notes on a glockenspiel in time to a well-known nursery rhyme.

Culture Capital

- Learning to appreciate music and how it is created.
- Listening to our peers and giving and receiving constructive criticism.

Subject Specific Vocabulary

Note	A symbol or letter that represents a sound.
Instrument	A device used to make music such as a recorder, guitar and drum kit as examples.
Tuned instrument	An instrument that has been set to make particular sounds.
Rhythm	A strong, repeated sound.

Forever Facts

I know that to get better at playing an instrument, I must practice.

I know that to play a particular note on a recorder that my fingers must be placed in a specific arrangement.

I know how to hold a recorder accurately and which hand should cover which holes.

Exciting books



Skills

- I can play the B note, A note and G note by positioning my fingers accurately.
- I can play the notes in a rhythm.