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About the violin and viola. How they are made, what the parts are called, history, connection with the orchestra, related instruments and the physics of sound production.

Helpful hints and resources for exams. Syllabi, guidance for pieces/scales/aural tests/sightreading, assessment objectives and criteria, national curriculum information and details about university entrance points.

WIIFM? - what's in it for me? (pronounced wiif-im). How music improves intelligence.

Links with other curricula. Biology, physics, maths, technology, language.

Thinking of a career in music? A brief introduction into possible careers to start you on your investigative trail.

Composing. Internet resources from the BBC and elsewhere.



Other resources, pics, clipart, fun, jokes. Enjoy yourselves.

About Mrs Hackett. A photo and details about me.

Music Shops. Helpful information if you are not sure where to find a local music shop.

Software needed. Links to free downloads needed for pdf files, Windows Media Player and QuickTime. Accessing Moodle and advice on technical feedback/passwords.





Pupils own pages. Practice records to help you be organised. Guidance on practising and Associated Board exam procedure. GDAE videos to tune to. Timetables and pages for individual pupils can be accessed from this page for which you will need your own password.

Videos. Explore these in the holidays.

If you are in the junior school and feel you would like suggestions for where to start try the following:

About the violin and viola - 'How an instrument is made'. Then choose any other link to look at in the top section of that page.

WIIFM - 'The musical brain'.

Composing - click on the link 'composer page' and just drag and drop to get it to work.

Afterwards, if you've any more energy left, look at the jokes or clipart in **Other resources, pics, clipart, fun, jokes**.

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