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Forton Primary School Science

Clougha Class Summer 1 & 2 Year B

Etymology – **vibrate** – from Latin vibrat – means ‘moved to and fro’.



Sound All Around By Susan Hughes and Ellen Rooney

Key Concept: Sound

Key Question: How do we hear different sounds?

How can we change sound?

Unit Overview:

N.C. LINKS: Sound – Pupils should be taught to:

- Identify how sounds are made, associating some of them with something vibrating.
- Recognise that vibrations from sounds travel through a medium to the ear.
- Find patterns between the pitch of a sound and features of the object that produced it.
- Find patterns between the volume of a sound and the strength of the vibrations that produced it.
- Recognise that sounds get fainter as the distance from the sound source increases.

Vocabulary:

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How sounds are made and how they travel to the ear. • Find patterns between the pitch of a sound and features of the object that produced it. • Find patterns between the volume of a sound and features of the object that produced it. • Recognise that sounds get fainter as the distance from the sound source increases. 	<p style="text-align: center;">Subject Specific:</p> <p>Vibrate, vibration, vibrating, sound wave, sound energy, volume, amplitude, pitch, ear, particles, distance, soundproof, absorb sound, vacuum, eardrum</p>	<p>Working Scientifically:</p> <p>Research</p> <p>Comparative and fair test</p> <p>Systematic Careful observation</p> <p>Thermometer Data Gather</p> <p>Record Classify Labelled diagrams</p> <p>Keys Bar charts Tables</p> <p>Conclusion Prediction difference</p> <p>Similarities Changes evidence</p>
<p>New Knowledge Progression:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vibrations. • Identify how sounds are made, associating some of them with something vibrating. • Recognise that vibrations from sounds travel through a medium to the ear. 	<p>Building on Prior learning KS1:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • I Identify and compare the suitability of a variety of everyday materials, including wood, metal, plastic, glass, brick, water, rock, paper and cardboard for particular uses. 	

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- Find patterns between the volume of a sound and the strength of the vibrations that produced it.
- Recognise that sounds get fainter as the distance from the sound source increases.
- Recognise that sounds can be made in a variety of ways (pluck, bang, shake, blow) using a variety of things (instruments, everyday materials, body).
- Sounds travel away from their source in all directions.
- Vibrations may not always be visible to the naked eye.
- **Pitch**
- Find patterns between the pitch of a sound and features of the object that produced it.
- Sounds can be high or low pitched.
- The pitch of a sound can be altered.
- Pitch can be altered either by changing the material, tension, thickness or length of vibrating objects or changing the length of a vibrating air column.
- Muffling/blocking sounds
- Recognise that vibrations from sounds travel through a medium to the ear.
- Sounds are heard when they enter our ears (although the structure of the ear is not important key learning at this age phase).
- Sounds can travel through solids, liquids and air/gas by making the materials vibrate.

- Find out how the shapes of solid objects made from some materials can be changed by squashing, bending, twisting and stretching (applying a force).
- Some materials can be found naturally; others have to be made.

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- Sound travel can be reduced by changing the material that the vibrations travel through.
- Sound travel can be blocked..

Key Skills (Disciplinary)

- Suggest their own ideas on a concept and compare these with what they observe / find out.
- Use observations to suggest what to do next.
- Discuss ideas and develop descriptions from their observations using relevant scientific language and vocabulary.
- Observe and record relationships between structure and function or between different parts of a processes.
- *(e.g. evaporation and condensation, different food chains, different electrical circuits).*
- Ask / raise their own relevant questions with increasing confidence and independence that can be explored, observed, tested or investigated further.
- Ask questions such as ‘What will happen if...?’ or ‘What if we changed...?’.
- Choose / select a relevant question that can be answered [by research or experiment / test].
- Suggest their own ideas on a concept and compare these with models or images.
- Increasingly support, listen to and acknowledge others in the group.
- Build on / add to someone else’s idea to improve a plan.

Sequence of Lessons:

1. LO – To describe and explain different sound sources.
2. LO – To explain how different sounds travel.
3. LO – To explore ways to change the pitch of a sound.
4. LO – To recognise that sounds get fainter as the distance from the sound increases.
5. LO – To investigate different ways to absorb sound.
6. LO – To create make a musical instrument to play different sounds.

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Enhancements: Science and Industry Museum

End of Unit Outcome: Making musical instruments.

Children will make their own musical instrument to investigate and make sounds with.

Oral Assessments:

Can you describe and explain different sound sources?

Can you explain how different sounds travel?

Can you explain ways to change the pitch of a sound?

Why do sounds get fainter as the distance from the sound increases?

Can you name different ways to absorb sound?