

# RIVER VIEW PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Carers

From Year 3 onwards (Key Stage 2) your child will learn to play the recorder within their music lessons.

The National Curriculum for KS1 and KS2 states that all children should have the opportunity to learn a musical instrument and by the end of KS2 all pupils should have been taught to 'play and perform in solo and ensemble contexts, using their voices and playing musical instruments with increasing accuracy, fluency, control and expression.'

We would therefore, once again, like to give all children in Key Stage 2 the opportunity to purchase their own recorder, if they have not already done so. This will allow children to fully access the Music curriculum within school and also allow them to practise regularly at home. All children will need a recorder in order to take part in their Music lessons. If you have already purchased a recorder please ensure that your child brings it into school for lessons.

Recorders will be available to purchase through school at a cost of £3 each. This is excellent value for a good quality recorder that your child will be able to use throughout Key Stage 2. Please note that school no longer accepts money at the office, you can pay online via ParentPay.

In order to purchase a school recorder please pay via parent pay.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any queries or questions. Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

Miss Daly

