## Infant Strings Project **WEEK by WEEK SUMMARY – Summer Term**

This term should focus on consolidation and creativity

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| Week | Learning Objective **Pupils should learn…………..** | Summary of Teaching activities Key – Singing/Kodaly, Movement, Instrumental | **Notes** |
| 1 | *To listen and respond musically*  *String levels*  *ensemble* | **Circle**  Hello song - sung by pupils  **Songs/Movement**  Hi-Lo Chicka Lo  **Instrumental**  Bow hold check  Rock and Roll  Air bowing  **Repertoire**  Hoe Down – step first as a reminder of structure | The start of this term is preparation for the infant/Elfin celebration concert  Focus on listening for ensemble quality |
| 2 |  | **Circle**  Hello song  **Songs/Movement**  Hi Lo Chicka Lo in pairs  **Instrumental – choose from**  Bow hold check  Rock and Roll  Air bowing  Simon Says  Swinging left elbow  **Repertoire**  Hoe Down in sections |
| 3 | *Interpretation – especially with In Flight*  *dynamics* | **Circle**  Hello song  **Songs/Movement**  Anna Lou  **Instrumental – choose from**  Bow hold check  Rock and Roll  Air bowing  Simon Says  Swinging left elbow  **Repertoire**  Hoe Down  In Flight |
| 4 | *Bow distribution and speed* | **Circle**  Hello Song  **Song/Movement**  Sing ‘Anna Lou’  **Instrumental**  Bow hold check  Rock and Roll  Air bowing  Simon Says  Swinging left elbow  **Repertoire**  Hoe Down  In Flight  Anna Lou |
| 5 | *Co-ordination* | **Song/Movement**  Oliver Twist  **Instrumental**  Bow hold check  Rock and Roll  Air bowing  Simon Says  Swinging left elbow  **Repertoire**  Hoe Down – work on bowing, tone quality, accuracy In Flight  Anna Lou |
| 6 |  | **Song/Movement**  Oliver Twist – in circle  **Instrumental**  Bow hold check  Rock and Roll  Air bowing  Simon Says  Swinging left elbow  **Repertoire**  Hoe Down – work on bowing, tone quality, accuracy In Flight  Anna Lou |
| 7 |  | **Song/Movement**  Oliver Twist – practice  **Instrumental**  Bow hold check  Rock and Roll  Air bowing  Simon Says  Swinging left elbow  **Repertoire**  Happy Haydn Rhythm Train  Boogie Band |  |
| 8 |  | **Song/Movement**  First You Make Your Fingers Click  **Instrumental**  Bow hold check  Rock and Roll  Air bowing  Simon Says  Swinging left elbow  **Repertoire**  Happy Haydn Rhythm Train  Boogie Band |  |
| 9 |  | **Song/Movement**  Oliver Twist – in circle  **Instrumental**  Bow hold check  Rock and Roll  Air bowing  Simon Says  Swinging left elbow  **Repertoire**  *Choose from*  Happy Haydn Rhythm Train  Boogie Band |  |
| 10 |  | Prepare for performance next week  Include presentation and performance skills. Focus on ensemble and tone quality |  |
| 11 |  | **Do a performance for the school and parents if possible or use this week to prepare for a performance next week.** |  |

Notes.

* Please refer to ‘Infant String Activities’ information
* Any appropriate pieces or activities can be used to achieve the same outcomes but they should be based on Kodaly and Dalcroze principles