

PiccoloMusic.co.uk – sessions for school children

Training / Enrichment / Tuition	Piccolomusic Children’s workshops – Sing a Song with clapping!
Duration	1.5 hours (2 x 45 minute sessions)
Suitable for	Year 2 to Year 4
Suggested number of pupils	30 max. with staff on hand to join in too
Workshop leader/s	Piccolomusic - either Anna Scantlebury & Abi Cotton plus members of their team (2 leaders per workshop)
Venue	School
Cost	2009/10 : Cost is £185 per 1.5 hour session including Notes and two facilitators attending.

Description

Sing a Song with Clapping is an interactive, lively and stimulating workshop for school children from year 2 to year 4. A few years ago, Piccolo introduced playground games workshops to many schools in North Tyneside. The benefits of playground games is well documented, and many schools are seeking to encourage this positive social interaction. Based on their experience working with children and adults, Piccolo have designed a workshop to encourage children to think about creating their own singing and clapping games using traditional songs and tunes and encouraging them to adapt them and think more creatively about how they can be sung both with their own age group and if they are teaching reception and year one children. Based on their work encouraging singing across the generations, Piccolo invites any staff, parents, grandparents and lunchtime staff to join in too. Their aim is to promote the idea of singing in the community and to use the school as a focal point to achieve this. Music and singing make the learning fun and accessible for all ability levels.

The school will receive Piccolos playground booklet and CD, so that teachers can continue to utilise the material in subsequent lessons.

Any interested adults, including parents, are invited to take part in these workshops to learn the songs.

Piccolomusic

Anna Scantlebury and Abi Cotton who run Piccolo, are specialist providers of singing workshops for young children, with over 9 years experience of singing in the North East. Conscious of the influence that music and singing games can have on children’s social/emotional development, their approach is to make songs great fun and very visual as well as physical, so that children cannot resist joining in, whatever their learning strengths. All session leaders are experienced with working with young children and are CRB checked. Inset training also available by arrangement.

17, St Oswins Avenue Cullercoats, Tyne and Wear NE30 4PH 0191 2528765
www.piccolomusic.co.uk