



Tri-borough Early Years Music Consortium

Tri-Music Together

The Voices Foundation is delighted to be a partner of The Tri-borough Early Years Music Consortium (TBEYMC). The consortium, led by the Tri-borough Music Hub has been awarded £100,000 by Youth Music to support music in the Early Years. TBEYMC is delivering an exciting Early Years music project, *Tri-Music Together*, within the Tri-borough (Hammersmith and Fulham, Kensington and Chelsea, and Westminster) over a two year period, 2016-2018. This workforce development project aims to improve the delivery of music for birth to 5 year olds through a host of CPD sessions for EY practitioners, teachers and Music Leaders.

Since the project launched in October 2016, over 70 EY settings and 22 Music Leaders from the TBEYMC partner organisations have engaged in the project.

Since October 2016, the project has:

- Gathered and collated information from EY practitioners and teachers, and TBEYMC Music Leaders to identify the CPD that is needed
- Delivered 3 x Enabling Musical Environment CPD sessions for EY practitioners and teachers
- Delivered training on the EYFS and Characteristics of Effective Learning specifically for **TBEYMC Music Leaders**
- Delivered workshops on Supporting Maths through Music at the Tri-borough EY Conference
- Hosted the first in a series of sharing & networking sessions for EY practitioners, teachers and Music Leaders at the Royal Albert Hall
- Started the delivery of *Championing Music in the EYFS*, a 3 day course for Early Years practitioners/teachers and Music Leaders
- Presented at the London Early Years Music Network (LEYMN) annual Conference
- Created a free online resource bank
- Created a Facebook group to enable discussion, share ideas and support

Free Online resources

The resource section of the Tri-borough Music Hub Early Years website will be developed throughout the project in response to EY practitioner's, teacher's and Music Leader's needs. The free online resources can be found here:

http://www.triboroughmusichub.org/early-years/eyfs-resources/

Voices Foundation resources

The Voices Foundation's Inside Music teacher handbooks provide a complete resource for class teachers and music educators to support singing-based musical learning from the Early Years to Key Stage 2. The series of three books offers over 250 songs, games and activities to develop step-by-step learning which builds skills, knowledge and understanding. Books come with a CD of audio tracks, planning and assessment resources. To purchase our resources, click here.









