



Year 4 Music: Ukeleles

Summer term 1



Prior Learning

- Move confidently to a pulse and clap different rhythms
- Sing songs in a variety of styles with confidence
- Identify steady beat/no steady beat in a song
- Identify the tempo, dynamics and melody in a song heard
- Identify chorus and verse in a song



Cliff Edwards (ukulele Ike)





Vocabulary

 ukulele, fret, strum, strumming, ³/₄ time, pluck, tune, chord, major chord, minor chord, accent strum, rest

Sticky Knowledge

- How to hold a ukulele correctly
- How to strum by brushing down all four strings
- Down strum and up strum
- A chord is the sound of all four strings played together
- Strum on the beat and count
- Play chords f major, C major, G major, D7,A major and E7
- Play down strums to an accompaniment
- Maintain two or more different ostinato patterns in a small instrumental group against a steady beat.
- Play music that includes a REST
- Read and play from some conventional music symbols