

# Call for Composers: Transform Primary School Poetry into Music

Are you a composer with a passion for bringing words to life through music? We have an exciting opportunity for you!

## **About the Project:**

The Voices of Children in Northern Ireland have exhibited a collection of heartfelt and imaginative poems. We are seeking talented composers to volunteer their skills and set these poems to music, creating a magical fusion of young creativity and musical artistry. The first ten compositions, based on poems written by students of Woodlawn Primary School, have been completed and are available here.

### What We're Looking For:

- Passionate Composers: Whether you're a seasoned professional or an emerging talent, we welcome composers who are enthusiastic about working with children's poetry.
- **Diverse Musical Styles:** All musical genres are welcome. We encourage a variety of styles to reflect the diverse voices and themes of the poems.
- **Collaborative Spirit:** Composers could be open to working closely with educators and possibly even the young poets themselves to ensure the music truly captures the essence of the poems.

## Why Volunteer?

- **Inspire Young Minds:** Your music will help children see their words come to life, fostering a love for both literature and music.
- **Community Engagement:** This is a chance to contribute to the cultural richness of Carrickfergus and support local education.
- **Creative Fulfilment:** This project offers a unique creative challenge and the opportunity to explore new artistic horizons.

### How to Get Involved:

- 1. **Submit Your Interest:** Send an email to <u>info@sillysavvystudio.com</u> with a brief introduction, a sample of your work, and why you're interested in this project.
- 2. **Create and Collaborate:** Once matched, you'll work on setting the assigned poem(s) to music, with opportunities to collaborate with teachers and students.

### Timeline:

Submission Deadline: 26 June 2024

Music Creation Period: July- September 2024

Join us in this enchanting journey to bring the dreams and stories of young poets to life through the power of music! For inquiries, please contact <u>info@sillysavvystudio.com</u>. We look forward to hearing from you and creating something truly special together!