

# RECEPTION AND YEAR ONE

## RESOURCES AND LINKS JANUARY 2021

### THE CARNIVAL OF THE ANIMALS

This half-term we will be learning about a famous piece of music all about different animals and the instruments of the orchestra which represent them.

Here is the link to watch a video of The Carnival of the Animals by the French composer Saint-Saens. It shows a real orchestra playing the music with beautiful animations of the animals, and the captions are in Spanish!

<https://youtu.be/obzbLu3sLyM>

And here is a fun video from Disney's Fantasia of the last part of the piece including some animals which Saint-Saens didn't write about!

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OvPjtolaJZk&feature=youtu.be>

And if you would like to find out more about the instruments of the orchestra have a look at the videos from Albert's Band on the Royal Albert Hall website.

<https://www.royalalberthall.com/about-the-hall/news/2020/april/meet-the-orchestra-with-alberts-band/>

Here is a diagram of where the groups of instruments of the orchestra sit.

