MUSIC CURRICULUM MAP 2022/23

INTENT:

- Celebrate Inclusion and bring all students together and help them feel connected to others through music.
- For students to be motivated to enjoy and succeed in music.
- To develop musical skills and concepts through listening, appraising, performing/singing and composing.
- To introduce a broad repertoire of music from Western Classical Tradition and the best popular music and music from around the world, developing an understanding of musical traditions in a variety of cultures, genres and historical periods.
- learn a musical instrument and give pupils the chance to progress to the next level of musical excellence through extra-curricular clubs.
- To include regular ensemble instrumental lessons and active engagement with technology as they have the potential to be a gateway to a life of enjoyable musical activity.
- Inspire and introduce students to musicians and ensembles outside the timetabled curriculum through extra-curricular clubs, workshops, theatre and concert visits.
- understand and explore how music is created and communicated, including through the musical elements/inter-related dimensions: pitch, duration, dynamics, tempo, timbre, texture and musical notations.
- develop social skills through co-operation with others in the shared experience of music making.

BIG THEMES:

SINGING: Students will sing regularly with a sense of ensemble and performance. Observing phrasing, accurate pitching and dynamic contrast.

Extra- Curricular singing mix year groups include Year 7 and 8 Singers and SATB choir. Yearly opportunities for vocal workshop with professional singers, arrangers and composers have included opera singers, acapella groups and world class vocal coaches/arrangers.

LISTENING/APPRAISING: Listening is fundamental to musical understanding. By learning to listen critically, pupils will expand their musical horizons and gain a deeper understanding of how music is constructed and what impact that can have. Students will listen to a broad range of music from great composers and a wide range of cultures and traditions with a focus on the technical (musical elements/DR SMITH) and the expressive (subjective and objective meaning). When/Where/Why/Context/Personal reaction.

Extra- Curricular listening in the form of visiting performance groups (past has included Royal Marines, Somerset Symphony Orchestra, Yaaba Funk. Also, external visits to the theatre to watch a musical and a concert hall to watch a symphony orchestra yearly.

COMPOSING: Building on explored melodic composition in KS2, students will continue to explore music through improvisation and will be given opportunities to learn about harmony. Students will be able to form and use primary chords in 2 keys and embellish these with basslines, melodies and rhythmic accompaniment.

INSTRUMENTAL PERFORMING: Whole class and small-group ensembles make up half of the KS3 curriculum. This will develop students' instrumental skills, overall musical skills and a greater appreciation for others' music making as an audience member. In KS3 this includes Rock and Pop bands, The Blues, Musical bands and West African Djembe drumming. Extra- Curricular instrumental mix year group ensembles include Mini Orchestra, Orchestra, Folk Group, Steel Pan Group, Indonesian Gamelan workshop

PRODUCTION: Students will explore how musical elements, technology and other resources are used in the performance, creation and production of music using software instruments, audio and software tools, manipulation techniques, inputting and editing audio, using effects, sampling, quantisation, sequencing and automation.

Key stage 2 (taken from the MMC)

At Key Stages 1 and 2, pupils should receive a minimum of one hour of teaching a week; this may take the form of short sessions spread across the week.

In Years 3 or 4, it is recommended that each class should start a whole-class instrumental programme lasting a minimum of one term. The mandatory term will be supported by teachers from the local Music Education Hub. Opportunities for development should continue beyond the mandatory term.

There should be access to both rhythmic and melodic instruments in Key Stages 1 and 2; this may be as part of the whole-class instrumental programme and/or in other classroom teaching.

Staff	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5 & 6
Notation			

	Crotchets, Quavers, Minims, All 5 th range of Octave, forte, piano	egro, Adagio, range of 3 rd range of),	Crotchets, Quavers, Minims, Rests Rallentando, range of 3 rd range of piano, crescendo, decrescendo	5 th range of Octave, forte, T	Crotchets, Quavers, Minims, Semibreves, Semiquavers, Rests, Fime Signatures 2/4, ¾ and 4/4, Allegro, Adagio, Accelerando, Rallentando, range of 3 rd range of 5 th range of Octave, forte, piano, crescendo, decrescendo	
Each year 7 SOW	will be taught over the space	e of half a term. Some extens	ion may be required due to mis	ssed lessons/timetabling etc.	The order the SOW as taught w	will vary for each class to
ensure all studen	ts have access to various res	source, instruments and envir	onments.			
MMC			Year 7	SOW		
Singing	Sing three- and four-part rounds.					
Listening	Using music from the list of sugges	ted repertoire or repertoire chosen by	each school, Year 7 pupils should be re-	-introduced to the meaning of the elem	ents specified on page 39 and their re	alisation in sound.
Composing	Compose bass lines using the root chord sequences on the keyboard bearing in mind phrase structure.	note of each chord. • Create melodic so or guitar in C major or A minor. • Explo • Harmonise the cadence points of the	ge of familiar songs as compositional most song-lines shaped by lyrics and/or harmo ore melodic line and simple structural ide se phrases. Improvise • Improvise new r Workstation. • Explore D minor and the	onic intention. Programme Music • Playeas, e.g. ABA.48 Melody and Accompar musical ideas over (a) a drone, (b) a cho	given chord sequences as examples on siment • Compose melodies using voca	f harmonic effect. • Compose al or instrumental improvisation,
Instrumental	Learn to find notes on the keyboar	ds. • Play rhythmically simple melodie	s on keyboard instruments, following sta	aff notation written on one stave. • Use	e notes within a range of a 5th transpo	sed into C major or A minor.
Performance						
Staff			/quavers, Dotted quavers/semiquavers,	Treble clef Middle C to F, Bass clef G to	o Middle C, ¾ and 4/4, C Major/A Mino	r, f and p, crescendo and
Notation	decrescendo, mp and mf, one ledg	er line, staccato and legato, G major/E	minor, 6/8 Slurs			
Year 7 SOW	The Voice and Musical Futures	The Power of the Pentatonic	Descriptive Music - Danse Macabre	Descriptive Music - Journey into Space	Pop Song Performance	Pop Song Composition
	Development of PERFORMING skills by learning chords to pop songs as a class. Learning about the voice, and singing rounds and a folk song, a musical song and pop songs. Development of musical element knowledge through listening	Individual PERFORMING and development of keyboard skills, music based on the pentatonic scale. COMPOSING through improvisation using the pentatonic scale. Development of notation and musical elements.	Group COMPOSING descriptive music based on 'Danse Macabre' by Saint Saens. Small ensembles using instruments. Development of ensemble performance techniques APPRAISING/LISTENING examples of descriptive music.	Paired COMPOSING music based on 'The Planet Suite' by Holst using garage band and Sibelius software. Development of software production skills APPRAISING examples of descriptive music.	Ensemble PERFORMANCE. Development of instrumental and performance skills through a performance of a pop song. LISTENING/APPRAISING Understanding instrumentation, structure, lyrics and context. Singing pop song chorus in 2 parts	Paired COMPOSING Pop songs. Chords, Harmony, Structure/Form, Texture, Melody, Instrumentation. 4 Chords in C major/A minor Pentatonic Riff and root note bass. Midi input and sequencing. Using microphones, it captures audio of melody lines and or rapping LISTENING/APPRAISING Understanding instrumentation, structure, lyrics and context of pop songs.
Prior Knowledge	Baseline assessment- a series of Focus on Sound homework's based on the elements of music (DRSMITH). Building on most Primary music work would be vocal. Singing: Build on Round and part singing from Primary school. Performance: No keyboard skills - may have completed a whole	Baseline assessment- a series of Focus on Sound homework's based on the elements of music (DRSMITH). No keyboard skills - may have completed a whole class project on an instrument in KS1/2. Possibly no Music Tech sequencing/composing experience.	Composition: Keyboard/Instrumental Skills First attempt at composing. Flexible differentiated resource. Appraising: listening to prominent compositions. Informing potential future learning at GCSE. Musical Elements. Performance: Keyboard/Instrumental Skills (Various YR 7 SOW), how to	Composition: Keyboard ('Introduction to music' YR 7 SOW), flexible differentiated resource. Appraising: listening to prominent compositions. Informing potential future learning at GCSE. Musical Elements. Introducing theory: addition of how to build chords, tonic and dominant, semitones and tones.	Performance: Keyboard/Instrumental Skills (Various YR 7 SOW), how to read basic notation, chord sheets and TAB. Appraising: listening to compositions for textural, instrumental and structural analysis, informing potential future learning at BTEC and GCSE.	Composition: Keyboard/Instrumental Skills (Various YR 7 SOW), flexible differentiated resource. Production: Developing basic sequencing software skills such as quantizing, automation, microphone skills. Appraising: listening to compositions for textural,

	class project on an instrument in KS1/2. Some primary schools may have ukulele clubs.		read basic notation, chord sheets and TAB.	Production: Developing basic sequencing software skills such as quantizing, automation.	Composition: Pop song compositional development, following on from Primary community sessions. Singing: Build on Round and part singing from Primary school and from term 1.	instrumental and structural analysis, informing potential future learning at BTEC and GCSE. Singing: Take inspiration and influence from songs learnt from KS1 and 2 and personal preference re style.
Metacognition and self-regulation	Modelling for individual parts as well as rehearsal practice skills. Scaffolded musical parts created, with opportunities to develop the musical line. Decision making – self-regulated group rehearsal time to compose an experimental vocal graphic score piece of music.	Modelling individual parts and modelling of ideas. Scaffolded musical parts created, with opportunities to develop the musical line.	Modelling individual parts as well as rehearsal practice skills. Scaffolded musical parts created, with opportunities to develop the musical line. Decision making – self-regulated group rehearsal time to compose a descriptive piece of music.	Modelling of ideas based upon prior knowledge of sequencing software and more in-depth skills needed to develop. Decision making – in choosing and organising their music in line with the elements of music.	Modelling of ideas based upon prior knowledge of sequencing software and more in-depth skills needed to develop. Decision making – in choosing and organising their music in line with the elements of music.	Modelling individual parts as well as rehearsal practice skills. Scaffolded musical parts created, with opportunities to develop the musical line. Decision making – self-regulated group rehearsal time to recreate a pop piece of music.
Developing literacy	KEY WORDS specific to SOW: Melismatic, Syllabic, SATB, Pitch, Graphic Score, Harmony, Vocal Cords, Larynx, Beat box, Rap, Opera, Pop, Yodeling, Canon, Unison, call and response, a Capella, Octave, Tab, Chord, Frets, Tuning Pegs, Structure. Good Cats Eat Aliens (Uke Strings) Eddie Ate Dynamite Good Bye Eddie (Guitar Strings) KEY WORDS general. Note Values Dynamic descriptors e.g crescendo	Peer assessment – students giving verbal feedback based upon other's individual performances, making sure to include specific musical vocabulary. KEY WORDS: Legato, Staccato, Pentatonic, Melody, Scale, Octave, Improvisation, Treble Clef, Treble Clef Staff Notation, Stave, Staff, Lines, Spaces, Black Keys, Sharps (#), Flats (b), Metre KEY WORDS general. Musical note values e.g. crotchets Dynamic descriptors e.g. crescendo	Peer assessment – students writing feedback based upon other's group performances, making sure to include specific musical vocabulary. Homework to use of focus on sound to inform key elements. KEY WORDS: Composer, Ostinato, Movement, Mood, Tempo, Instrumental Voices and Groupings (Orch groups), Waltz, dissonance, drone, chromatic, TriTone, Tone Poem, Metre 3/4 KEY WORDS general. Musical note values e.g. crotchets Dynamic descriptors e.g. crescendo	Peer assessment – students written, and verbal feedback based upon other's group compositions, making sure to include specific vocabulary. KEY WORDS specific to SOW: Suite Monophonic and polyrhythm Composer, Ostinato, Movement, Mood, Tempo, Instrumental forces, Brass, Strings, Woodwind Drums, Percussion, Pitch, Drone/Tonic Pedal, C Major, KEY WORDS general. Musical note values e.g. crotchets Dynamic descriptors e.g. crescendo	Peer assessment – students written, and verbal feedback based upon other's group compositions, making sure to include specific vocabulary. Lyric writing – thinking about phrase length, syllables and rhyming skills. KEY WORDS: Popular Song Structure: Introduction (intro), Verse(s), Strophic, Link, Pre-Chorus, Chorus, Bridge/Middle 8, Coda (outro); Lyrics, Hook, Riff, Melody, Countermelody, Texture, Chords, Accompaniment, Bass Line, Lead Sheet, Arrangement, Cover Version, Melodic Motion: Conjunct, Disjunct, Range; Instruments, Timbres and Sonorities in Songs. Semibreves, Minims, Crotchets, Quavers, Semiquavers, Dotted Crotchets/quavers, Dotted Quavers/semiquavers, Treble clef Middle C to F, Bass clef G to Middle C, ¾ and 4/4, C Major/A Minor, f and p, crescendo and decrescendo, mp and mf, one ledger line, staccato and legato, G major/E minor, 6/8 Slurs	Peer assessment – students writing feedback based upon other's group performances, making sure to include specific musical vocabulary. Homework to use of focus on sound to inform key elements. KEY WORDS: Popular Song Structure: Introduction (intro), Verse(s), Strophic, Link, Pre-Chorus, Chorus, Bridge/Middle 8, Coda (outro); Lyrics, Hook, Riff, Melody, Countermelody, Texture, Chords, Accompaniment, Bass Line, Lead Sheet, Arrangement, Cover Version, Melodic Motion: Conjunct, Disjunct, Range; Instruments, Timbres and Sonorities in Songs. Semibreves, Minims, Crotchets, Quavers, Semiquavers, Dotted Crotchets/quavers, Dotted quavers/semiquavers, Treble clef Middle C to F, Bass clef G to Middle C, ¾ and 4/4, C Major/A Minor, f and p, crescendo and decrescendo, mp and mf, one ledger line, staccato and legato, G major/E minor, 6/8 Slurs
Culture Capital	African Folk songs Inuit throat singing Yodeling Monk Gregorian Chanting	Pentatonic songs Trad. Amazing Grace Alicia Keys – New York Eliza Dolittle – Pack up	Heitor Villa Lobos – Little train of the Capoeira	Holst – Venus and Mars Williams – Star Wars/Harry Potter Copland – Rodeo	Bastille – Pompeii Walk the Moon – Shut Up and Dance	Pop Songs LOOK AT MMC

	Opera – Pavarotti	African Spiritual - Swing Low Sweet	Korsakov – Flight of the bumblebee	Saint-Saens – Swan	George Ezra – Shotgun	
	Rap – Will Smith	Chariot	Saint-Saens – Danse Macabre and	LOOK AT MMC	Reggae Mash up	
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Dissiplinant	Dayalanment of performing	Davidanment of performing Music	Davidanment of compositional skills	Davidanment of compositional skills	Davidanment of performing Music	Davalanment of compositional
Disciplinary	Development of performing Music based on written notation and improvisation. Development of personal performance skills Analysing performance work with a focus on the technical (musical elements/DR SMITH) and the expressive (subjective and objective meaning). When/Where/Why/ Context/Personal reaction.	Development of performing Music based on written notation and improvisation. Development of personal performance skills Analysing performance work with a focus on the technical (musical elements/DR SMITH) and the expressive (subjective and objective meaning). When/Where/Why/Context/Personal reaction.	Development of compositional skills based on written notation and improvisation and historical example using instruments. Development of personal performance skills Analysing performance work with a focus on the technical (musical elements/DR SMITH) and the expressive (subjective and objective meaning). When/Where/Why/Context/Personal reaction.	Development of compositional skills based on written notation and improvisation and historical example using technology. Analysing performance work with a focus on the technical (musical elements/DR SMITH) and the expressive (subjective and objective meaning). When/Where/Why/Context/Personal reaction.	Development of performing Music based on written notation and improvisation. Development of personal performance skills Analysing performance work with a focus on the technical (musical elements/DR SMITH) and the expressive (subjective and objective meaning). When/Where/Why/ Context/Personal reaction.	Development of compositional skills based on written notation and improvisation and historical example using instruments. Development of personal performance skills Analysing performance work with a focus on the technical (musical elements/DR SMITH) and the expressive (subjective and objective meaning). When/Where/Why/ Context/Personal reaction.
Substantive	Development of music theory/musical elements Understanding of key words Understanding of historical/cultural reference Understand physiological aspects of the human voice	Development of music theory/musical elements Understanding of key words Understanding of historical/cultural reference	Development of music theory/musical elements Understanding of key words Understanding of historical/cultural reference	Development of music theory/musical elements Understanding of key words Understanding of historical/cultural reference	Development of music theory/musical elements Understanding of key words Understanding of historical/cultural reference	Development of music theory/musical elements Understanding of key words Understanding of historical/cultural reference
Home Learning/	Note Lengths	Instruments of Orchestra 1) Strings,	Instruments of the Orchestra – Brass	Pop Song Structure and Basic Musical		
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Focus on Sound	Notes of the Treble Clef	2) Tuned Percussion 3) Untuned	and Woodwind	Signs		
	Pentatonic			and laceans /timetabling ats.		

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MMC	Year 8 SOW							
Singing	Sing chordal harmony in two or three	ee parts						
Listening	Using music from the list of suggest	ted repertoires, or repertoire chosen b	by each school, Year 8 pupils should r	eturn to the meaning of the elements	s specified on page 39 and start to practise	e identifying their use in music.		
Composing	Develop understanding of composition through one of/a combination of: 'Song' Writing (with or without lyrics) • Play chord sequences from familiar songs with rhythmic vitality. • Compose chord sequences on the keyboard or guitar in C major, G major, A minor or E minor. • Compose simple bass lines using the root note of each chord. • Create rhythmic accompaniment to support chord sequences. • Compose melodic lines, shaped by lyrics and/or harmonic intention. Programme Music • Compose chord sequences on the keyboard or guitar in C major, G major, A minor or E minor. • Compose a harmonic sequence in response to an extra-musical stimulus. • Use percussion and percussive sounds. • Explore melodic line/structural ideas, e.g. AABA. Melody and Accompaniment • Compose melodies using vocal or instrumental improvisation, bearing in mind phrase structure. • Harmonise melodies using the root notes from primary chords and appropriate cadences. Improvisation • Improvise new musical ideas over chord sequences or over a groove within a chosen key or keys.51 • Experiment with the use of sound and silence as well as anticipated and unexpected musical moments.							
Instrumental Performance	Expand the rhythmic scope of melo part.	dies on keyboard instruments, followi	ing staff notation written on one stav	e or two staves. • Use notes within a	range that includes a change of hand pos	ition and an optional lefthand		
Year 8 SOW	West African Djembe Drumming Ensemble PERFORMANCE of an African inspired drumming COMPOSITION.	Variations PERFORMANCE of a theme using keyboards. COMPOSITION of variations	Folk Music of the British Isles PERFORMANCE of a traditional Celtic folk piece of music.	History of Music PERFORMANCE Keyboard skill development performance of a	Pop Song Performance Ensemble PERFORMANCE. Development of instrumental and performance skills through a performance of a pop song.	Pop Song Composition Paired COMPOSING Pop songs. Chords, Harmony, Structure/Form, Texture,		

APPRAISING. West African instrumentation, Develop understanding of musical elements. Identify their use in music.

Singing traditional West African song chordal harmony

APPRAISING Theme and Variation. Develop understanding of musical elements. Identify their use in music.

Arrangement of a pop song using sequencing software. Midi input

APPRAISING traditional pieces including time signatures and instrumentation. Develop understanding of musical elements. Identify their use in music

well-known classical piece of music.

APPRAISING: Research project to include development of instruments and composers in the Baroque, Classical, Romantic Era's. Develop understanding of musical elements. Identify their use in music.

Development from Y7:

Extended/larger palette of Chords & Harmony, 4+ Chords in G major/E minor

APPRAISING Understanding instrumentation, structure, lyrics and context. Develop understanding of musical elements. Identify their use in music.

Singing pop song chorus chordal harmony

Melody, Instrumentation
Development from Y7:
Extended/larger palette of
Chords & Harmony, 4+ Chords
in G major/E minor Pentatonic
Riff and root note bass with
passing notes.

Midi input and sequencing.
Using microphones, it captures
audio of melody lines and or
rapping

LISTENING/APPRAISING
Understanding
instrumentation, structure,
lyrics and context of pop songs.
Develop understanding of
musical elements. Identify their
use in music.

Prior Knowledge

Performance:

Read basic rhythmic notation (crotchets, quavers, semiquavers, triplets, minims, semibreves and rests).

Read the notes of the treble clef within the stave – FACE/EGBDF acronyms.

Sing in a 4-part round and in 2-part harmony

Appraising:

Identify elements of music –
Dynamics, Tempo, Metre, Melody
(pentatonic, major and minor)
Instrumentation, Structure,
Texture (monophonic, rounds.
Describe elements of music above through listening tasks
(instrumental and song)
Identification of note lengths and pitch

Composition:

Rhythm and rhythmic notation. Structures: Storyboard, ABA, Verse/Chorus

Performance:

and sequencing

Basic 4 chord pieces of music using the midi keyboards, correct hand techniques for ukulele, guitar, bass and piano.

Improvise/vary/compose a melody based off a pentatonic or scalic idea

Read basic rhythmic notation (crotchets, quavers, semiquavers, triplets, minims, semibreves and rests).

Read the notes of the treble clef within the stave – FACE/EGBDF acronyms.

Appraising:

Dynamics, Tempo,
Instrumentation, Structure,
Texture.
Describe elements of music above
through listening tasks
(instrumental and song)
Identification of note lengths and

Identify elements of music -

Production:

pitch

Sequencing using midi keyboards with correct hand techniques using 4-chord patterns and root note bass.
Using software instruments

Performance:

Basic 4 chord pieces of music using the correct hand techniques for ukulele, guitar, bass and piano. Play a melody/counter melody on an instrument using the correct techniques. (Hand placement, tonguing, slurring, finger picking etc.

Read basic rhythmic notation (crotchets, quavers, semiquavers, triplets, minims, semibreves and rests). Read the notes of the treble clef within the stave – FACE/EGBDF acronyms.

Ensemble performance skills. Being able to learn an individual part and work collaboratively to get all textures together in time.

Appraising:

Identify elements of music –
Dynamics, Tempo, Metre (¾ Danse
Macabre and Amazing grace, 4/4
Pop songs), Melody (pentatonic,
major and minor) Instrumentation,
Structure, Texture.
Describe elements of music above
through listening tasks
(instrumental and song)
Identification of note lengths and
pitch

Performance:

chorus.

Basic 4 chord pieces of music using the correct hand techniques for ukulele, guitar, bass and piano.
Performing chords with different strumming patterns for verse and

Read basic rhythmic notation (crotchets, quavers, semiquavers, triplets, minims, semibreves and rests).

Read the notes of the treble clef within the stave – FACE/EGBDF acronyms.

Ensemble performance skills. Being able to learn an individual part and work collaboratively to get all textures together in time.

Performance/ Composition :

Basic 4 chord pieces of music using the correct hand techniques for ukulele, guitar, bass and piano.
Performance techniques of chords – broken chords, rhythms, Alberti bass Improvise/compose a melody based off a pentatonic or scalic idea.

Composition:

Rhythm and rhythmic notation. Melody using pentatonic, major and minor scale
Creating an ostinato based on a pentatonic/major/minor scale
Structures: Storyboard, ABA,
Verse/Chorus

Production

Using Software Instruments
Panning
Sequencing using midi
keyboards with correct hand
techniques using 4-chord
patterns
Using quantisation
Using dynamic automation
Recording lyrics using
microphones (opt)

Metacognition & Self-regulation	Modelling different drum strokes and correct instrument hold. Decision making – self-regulated group rehearsal time to recreate an African drumming piece of music. Time given to develop piece. Ideas based upon keyworks.	Using quantisation Using dynamic automation Optional recording lyrics using microphones Critical analysis of own work to spot areas to improve Modelling of ideas, based upon prior knowledge of sequencing software and more in-depth skills needed to develop. Decision making – in choosing and organising their music in line with the elements of music	Modelling individual parts as well as rehearsal practice skills. Scaffolded musical parts created, with opportunities to develop the musical line. Decision making – self-regulated group rehearsal time to recreate a Celtic piece of music	Online database (focus on sound) specifically designed for music knowledge. (Individual logons) Used for homework Decision making – picking out the most relevant knowledge for presentations and listening questions based upon keyword	Modelling individual parts as well as rehearsal practice skills. Scaffolded musical parts created, with opportunities to develop the musical line. Decision making – self-regulated group rehearsal time to recreate a pop piece of music.	Modelling of ideas, based upon prior knowledge of sequencing software and more in-depth skills needed to develop. Decision making – in choosing and organising their music in line with the elements of music
Developing Literacy	Peer assessment – students writing feedback based upon other's group performances, making sure to include specific musical vocabulary. Homework to use of focus on sound to inform traditional instruments KEY WORDS: Repetition, Cyclic rhythms, Ostinato, Riff, Syncopation, Master Drummer, Polyrhythm, Cross Rhythm, Accent, Polyphonic, Call and Response, Accelerando, Ritardando / Rallentando, Tempo, Chorus, Refrain, Djembe, Talking Drum, , Balaphone, Mebraphone, Kora Vocals: Choral Singing , Unison, Octaves, Parallel 5ths, Vocal Register, Vocables, Falsetto	Peer assessment – students written, and verbal feedback based upon other's group compositions, making sure to include specific vocabulary. Lyric writing – thinking about phrase length, syllables and rhyming skills. KEY WORDS NEW TO SOW: AUGMENTATION DIMINUTION, INVERSION, INTERVAL, RETROGRADE, RETROGRADE INVERSION KEY WORDS REVISITED MELODY, TUNE or THEME, PITCH, TEMPO, DYNAMICS, TEXTURE COUNTER-MELODY, DESCANT TIMBRE AND SONORITY ARTICULATION LEGATO STACCATO PEDAL /PEDAL NOTE or PEDAL POINT and often the TONIC PEDAL, DOMINANT, DRONE, MELODIC DECORATION trills, turns, mordents or passing notes. OSTINATO,	Peer assessment – students writing feedback based upon other's group performances, making sure to include specific musical vocabulary. Homework to use of focus on sound to inform key elements. KEY WORDS: History and Types of Folk Music: Folk Song, Work Song, Sea Shanty, Instrumental; Oral Tradition; Folk Song Accompaniments: Pedal, Drone, Ostinato, Chords (on piano, keyboard, guitar or ukulele) as Accompaniment: Triad, Broken Chord, Arpeggio, Alberti Bass; Harmony: Intervals, 5ths; Arrangement, Lead Sheet; Basic Folk Song Structure: Introduction (intro), Chorus/Refrain, Verse; Folk Song Textures: Melody, Chords, Bass Line; Instruments of Folk.	Appraising Research task – presentation on prominent composers from a specific era Correct use of keywords in presentations, grammar and spellings (use of focus on sound to inform key elements). KEY WORDS: Baroque, Ornament, Polyphonic Contrapuntal, Church. Sacred, Secular, Chamber Music, Suite, Viol, Lute, Valveless trumpet, Harpsichord, Organ, Major Minor, Terraced Dynamics, Imitation, Sequence, Fugue, Homophonic, Solo concerto, sonata, Binary Form, SATB Classical, Elegance and Balance, Question and Answer phrases, Imitation, Rising and falling sequence, Homophonic block chordal, diatonic harmony, modulation, Chromatic harmony. Cadences, Tonic and Dominant Pedels, Piano, Dynamics, Cresc. Dim. Articulations, Symphony, Sonata	Peer assessment – students written, and verbal feedback based upon other's group compositions, making sure to include specific vocabulary. Lyric writing – thinking about phrase length, syllables and rhyming skills. KEY WORDS: Popular Song Structure: Introduction (intro), Verse(s), Strophic, Link, Pre-Chorus, Chorus, Bridge/Middle 8, Coda (outro); Lyrics, Hook, Riff, Melody, Countermelody, Texture, Chords, Accompaniment, Bass Line, Lead Sheet, Arrangement, Cover Version, Melodic Motion: Conjunct, Disjunct, Range; Instruments, Timbres and Sonorities in Songs. Semibreves, Minims, Crotchets, Quavers, Semiquavers, Dotted Crotchets/quavers, Dotted quavers/semiquavers, Treble clef Middle C to F, Bass clef G to Middle C, ¾ and 4/4, C Major/A Minor, f and p, crescendo and decrescendo, mp and mf, one ledger line, staccato and legato, G major/E minor, 6/8 Slurs	Peer assessment – students writing feedback based upon other's group performances, making sure to include specific musical vocabulary. Homework to use of focus on sound to inform key elements. KEY WORDS: Popular Song Structure: Introduction (intro), Verse(s), Strophic, Link, Pre-Chorus, Chorus, Bridge/Middle 8, Coda (outro); Lyrics, Hook, Riff, Melody, Countermelody, Texture, Chords, Accompaniment, Bass Line, Lead Sheet, Arrangement, Cover Version, Melodic Motion: Conjunct, Disjunct, Range; Instruments, Timbres and Sonorities in Songs. Semibreves, Minims, Crotchets, Quavers, Semiquavers, Dotted Crotchets/quavers, Dotted quavers/semiquavers, Treble clef Middle C to F, Bass clef G to Middle C, ¾ and 4/4, C Major/A Minor, f and p, crescendo and decrescendo, mp and mf, one ledger line, staccato and legato, G major/E minor, 6/8 Slurs

Culture Capital	Traditional West African Spirituals West African Djembe Drumming Gumboot dancing (South Africa)	Mozart – Twinkle Twinkle Mahler – Frere Jacques Shubert – Trout Quintet	Various Celtic traditional folk songs including Fairy Dance, Dargason, Danny Boy.	Romantic Period, THEMES LEITMOTIFS EXTRAVAGANT DYNAMICS CHROMATICISM DISSONANCE RICHER HARMONIES - NATIONAL INFLUENCES TIMBRE & SONORITY Harps, Tuba, Piccolo, Bass Clarinet, Cor Anglais and Double Bassoon PROGRAMME MUSIC: PROGRAMME SYMPHONY, CONCERT OVERTURE, SYMPHONIC/TONE POEM, INCIDENTAL MUSIC, OPERAS, ORATORIOS, REQUIEMS, LIEDER, CONCERTOS "The Four Seasons" (Violin Concertos) by Vivaldi "Messiah" —	Taylor Swift – We Are Never Getting Back Together Bon Jovi – Living On A Prayer	Pop Songs LOOK AT MMC
	Gamboot dancing (South Amea)	Shabert - Hout Quintet	Mumford and Sons Ed Sheeran - Galway Girl Sea Shanty Drunken Sailor Wellerman Spongebob Squarepants Titanic	(an Oratorio) by Handel "Mass in B minor" (a sacred vocal work) by J. S. Bach "Raindrop Prelude" (solo piano piece) by Chopin "Hebrides Overture" (Concert Overture) by Mendelssohn "New World Symphony" (Orchestral work) by Dvorák	The Weeknd – Blinding Lights Ed Sheeran – Galway Girl	
Disciplinary	Development of ensemble Music performance based on grid rhythm and improvisation. Development of personal performance skills Analysing performance work with a focus on the technical (musical elements/DR SMITH) and the expressive (subjective and objective meaning). When/Where/Why/ Context/Personal reaction.	Development of performing and composing music based on written notation and improvisation. Development of personal performance skills Analysing performance work with a focus on the technical (musical elements/DR SMITH) and the expressive (subjective and objective meaning). When/Where/Why/ Context/Personal reaction.	Development of ensemble Music performance based on chordal harmony and melody Development of personal performance skills Analysing performance work with a focus on the technical (musical elements/DR SMITH) and the expressive (subjective and objective meaning). When/Where/Why/ Context/Personal reaction.	Development of solo Music performance based on written notation. Development of personal performance skills Analysing performance work with a focus on the technical (musical elements/DR SMITH) and the expressive (subjective and objective meaning). When/Where/Why/ Context/Personal reaction.	Development of ensemble Music performance based on chordal harmony, melody and rhythm notation, lead sheet and improvisation. Development of personal and ensemble performance skills Analysing performance work with a focus on the technical (musical elements/DR SMITH) and the expressive (subjective and objective meaning). When/Where/Why/Context/Personal reaction.	Development of composing music based on improvisation. Development of personal performance skills through speaking, rapping and singing. Analysing performance work with a focus on the technical (musical elements/DR SMITH) and the expressive (subjective and objective meaning). When/Where/Why/ Context/Personal reaction.
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Home Learning/ Focus on Sound	Africa Lesson 1	Variations lock down task?								
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MMC		sure all students have access to various resource, instruments, and environments. Year 9 SOW								
Singing	Sing homophonic and/or polyphonic	c harmony in three parts								
Listening	Using music from the list of suggest think about the impact this has on t		y each school, Year 9 pupils should lis	ten to a wide range of music and iden	tify how the elements specified on page 3	39 are used while starting to				
Composing	form. • Write simple bass lines using lines, shaped by lyrics and/or harmon extra-musical stimuli. • Use percuss improvisation, bearing in mind phramelodies using the root notes from key. • Improvise a melody on the vo	'Song' Writing (with or without lyrics) • Compose chord sequences on the keyboard or guitar in C, G or F major, A, E or D minor. • Compose contrasting chord sequences to create pieces in either ternary or verse/chorus form. • Write simple bass lines using the root note of each chord. Give these bass lines rhythm and use passing notes to enhance them. • Create rhythmic accompaniment to support chord sequences. • Compose melodic lines, shaped by lyrics and/or harmonic intention. Programme Music • Compose chord sequences on the keyboard or guitar in C, G, or F major, A, E or D minor. • Compose contrasting harmonic sequences that respond to extra-musical stimuli. • Use percussion and percussive sounds. • Explore melodic line, use of contrast and structural ideas, e.g. ABACA. Melody and Accompaniment • Compose melodies using vocal or instrumental improvisation, bearing in mind phrase structure. 10 The original melody is pre 1940 and Wallen's 2020 reimagining for BBC Proms provides fertile ground for discussion of compositional approaches. 54 • Harmonise melodies using the root notes from primary chords and appropriate cadences. • Embellish the accompaniment with passing notes. Improvise • Improvise melodies and riffs over chord sequences with a strong awareness of key. • Improvise a melody on the voice or an instrument to fit with the chord sequences created. • Take the listener on an original musical journey. Further increase the rhythmic scope of melodies on keyboard instruments, following staff notation written on two staves. • Add either a single note or chordal accompaniment to the melody; alternatively play a piece based								
Performance	on chords (e.g. an arrangement of t	· ·		, and the second	·					
Year 9 SOW	Film Music	Musicals	Video Game Music	Blues and Jazz	Sampling and Fusion	Ensemble Performance				
	PERFORMING James Bond leitmotif, sequence using computer software. APPRAISING film music leitmotifs and orchestration. Identifying features of film genre's through music analysis (DRSMITH) COMPOSING a character leitmotif. PRODUCTION techniques used in sequencing software: hitpoint sound effects, panning, automation, quantising.	Ensemble PERFORMANCE of a musical song. APPRAISING musical styles and songs from different kinds of musicals. Singing musicals in 3 parts	PERFORMING popular video game music melodies eg Mario COMPOSITION of character themes or character motifs APPRAISING examples of game music throughout history. Understanding how music is used within a game eg cues, suspense and what musical features are used to create these effects PRODUCTION techniques used in sequencing software: cells, automation, quantising.	PERFORMANCE of a blues piece, based upon the 12-bar blues, walking bass including developing improvisation techniques. APPRAISING blues music throughout its history. Its origins, how it was developed and understand how blues and jazz has influenced popular music including fusion. Writing lyrics and singing the blues	COMPOSING sampling. Using techniques learnt from exploring different methods and how they are integrated into other songs. APPRAISING looking into music from around the world. Picking out stereotypical features of the style to create a music fusion composition. Afrobeat, North Indian Classical Music, Bhangra, Tango, Celtic PRODUCTION techniques used in sequencing software: sampling, automation, quantising.	Group PERFORMANCE and rehearsal of a piece of music in a style best suited to the individual. Singing pop song chorus in 3 parts				
Prior knowledge	Composition: Performance and composition keyboard and instrumental skills (various Y7/Y8 SOW). Flexible differentiated and scaffolded recourses. Improvisation of rhythms to create a polyrhythm.	Performance: Keyboard/Instrumental Skills (Various YR 7/8 SOW). Flexible differentiated and scaffolded resource. Appraising: listening to compositions for analysis based around key terminology: Dynamics, Rhythm, Structure, Sonority, Instrumentation, Tempo, Texture, Harmony and Tonality (DRSMITH).	Performance: Keyboard/Instrumental Skills Film Music Composition: Performance and composition keyboard and instrumental skills (various Y7/Y8 SOW). Flexible differentiated and scaffolded recourses. Production: Sequencing software skills development. Film music Y9 (Following Y7/Y8/Y9 SOW).	Performance: Keyboard/Instrumental Skills (Various Y7/Y8/Y9 SOW). Flexible differentiated and scaffolded resource. Build on Improvisation stylistic development. Refining earlier attempts to improvise. Appraising: listening to compositions for analysis based around key terminology: Dynamics, Rhythm, Structure, Sonority,	Performance: Keyboard/Instrumental Skills (Various Y7/Y8/Y9 SOW). Flexible differentiated and scaffolded resource. Appraising: listening to compositions for analysis based around key terminology: Dynamics, Rhythm, Structure, Sonority, Instrumentation, Tempo, Texture, Harmony and Tonality (DRSMITH).	Performance: Keyboard/Instrumental Skills (Various Y7/Y8/Y9 SOW). Flexible differentiated and scaffolded resource. Appraising: listening to compositions for analysis based around key terminology: Dynamics, Rhythm, Structure, Sonority, Instrumentation,				

	Production: Sequencing software skills development. (Following Yr 7 & 8 SOW). Use of sound effects. Appraising: listening to compositions for analysis based around key terminology: Dynamics, Rhythm, Structure, Sonority, Instrumentation, Tempo, Texture, Harmony and Tonality (DRSMITH). IMPORT VIDEO AND AUDIO	Singing: Sang in chordal harmony	Appraising: Leitmotif Film music, listening to compositions for analysis based around key terminology: Dynamics, Rhythm, Structure, Sonority, Instrumentation, Tempo, Texture, Harmony and Tonality (DRSMITH). IMPORT VIDEO AND AUDIO	Instrumentation, Tempo, Texture, Harmony and Tonality (DRSMITH). Singing: Sang in chordal harmony	Composition: Performance and composition keyboard and instrumental skills (various Y7/Y8Y9 SOW). Flexible differentiated and scaffolded recourses. Developing compositional ideas through the concept of fusions and sampling. Production: Sampling Year 9 Game Music	Tempo, Texture, Harmony and Tonality (DRSMITH). Singing: Move to homophonic/polyphonic 3 part harmony
Metacognition & Self-Regulation	Modelling of ideas based upon prior knowledge of sequencing software and more in-depth skills needed to develop. Decision making in choosing and organising their music in line with the elements of music.	Modelling for individual parts as well as rehearsal practice skills. Scaffolded musical parts created, with opportunities to develop the musical line. Decision making self-regulated group rehearsal time to recreate a pop piece of music. Self/peer evaluation based upon basic performance skills.	Modelling of ideas based upon prior knowledge of sequencing software and more in-depth skills needed to develop. Decision making – in choosing and organising their music in line with the elements of music.	Development of performance skills with new improvisation styles linking with blues and jazz history. Specific videos of famous performers of these styles as well as using focus on sound database to research key elements of the improvisational style. Self/peer evaluation based upon basic performance skills as well as the new improvising and solo skills and 12 bar blues.	Modelling of ideas based upon prior knowledge of sequencing software and more in-depth skills needed to develop. Resources created with step-by-step guides on how to sample with pictures to demonstrate each instruction. Decision making — in choosing and organising their music in line with the elements of music as well as picking the best samples to create the fusion.	Modelling individual parts as well as rehearsal practice skills. Scaffolded musical parts created, with opportunities to develop the musical line. Decision making – self-regulated group rehearsal time to recreate a pop piece of music. Self/peer evaluation based upon basic performance skills.
Developing Literacy	Peer assessment – students written, and verbal feedback based upon other's group compositions, making sure to include specific vocabulary. Scaffolded Homework in a GCSE style essay. KEY WORDS: Leitmotif, Soundtrack, Theme Song, Mickey- Mousing, Concord/Discord, (Chromatic) Sequencing, Storyboard, 'Borrowed' Music, Music-Spotting, Interval of a 5th, Click Tracks/Timing, Theme, Sound Effects, Motif, Timbre/Sonority, Musical Clichés, Diegetic and Non- Diegetic Film Music.	Peer assessment – students writing feedback based upon other's group performances, making sure to include specific musical vocabulary. Homework to use of focus on sound to inform key elements. Scaffolded Homework in a GCSE style essay. KEY WORDS:	Peer assessment – students written, and verbal feedback based upon other's group compositions, making sure to include specific vocabulary. KEY WORDS: Chromatic Scale, Staccato, Jumping, Leaping, Disjunct, Syncopation, Sound Effect, Chip Tune, 8-Bit Music, Sampling, Synthesiser, Motif, Ground Theme, DRSMITH	Peer assessment – students writing feedback based upon other's group performances, making sure to include specific musical vocabulary. Homework to use of focus on sound to inform key elements. Scaffolded Homework in a GCSE style essay. KEY WORDS: 12-Bar Blues, Blues Chord Sequence, Blues Song Structure (AAB) Blues Scale, Blues Song Lyrics; Chords and Seventh Chords I, I7, IV, IV7, V & V7; Chord Vamps; Improvisation; Swing/Swung Rhythms; Ostinato, Riffs, Fills and Solos;	Peer assessment – students written, and verbal feedback based upon other's group compositions, making sure to include specific vocabulary. Lyric writing – thinking about phrase length, syllables and rhyming skills. Theme/genre relevance to lyrics KEY WORDS: Afrobeat: Highlife, Fela Kuti, American Soul, Funk and Jazz, Head, Syncopation, Riffs, Fusion, Scat, Improvised, Solo, Extended Chords, 7th Chords, Melodic Call, Chordal Response	Peer assessment – students writing feedback based upon other's group performances, making sure to include specific musical vocabulary. Homework to use of focus on sound to inform key elements. KEY WORDS: Popular Song Structure: Introduction (intro), Verse(s), Strophic, Link, Pre- Chorus, Chorus, Bridge/Middle 8, Coda (outro); Lyrics, Hook, Riff, Melody, Countermelody, Texture, Chords, Accompaniment, Bass Line, Lead Sheet, Arrangement, Cover Version, Melodic Motion: Conjunct, Disjunct, Range; Instruments, Timbres and Sonorities in Songs.

Culture Capital	James Bond Joker John Williams Hans Zimmer Other film music scores TBC LOOK AT MMC	Wicked Little Shop of Horrors Chicago Oliver Matilda Mamma Mia Grease	Koji Kondosuper Mario Bros. (1985)The Legend of Zelda (1986) Michael Giacchino The Lost World:Jurassic Park (1997)Medal of Honour (1999)Call of Duty (2003) Miekolshikawa Dragon Slayer (1993) Martin O'Donnell and Michael SalvatoriHalo (2002) Daniel Rosenfield	Louis Armstrong Bessie Davis Neil Hefti Alan Lomax Chanticleer Ella Fitgerald Sister Rosetta Tharpe	Fela Kuti: Water Get No Enemy Bellowhead: Roll the WoodPipe Down Lil Nas X: Old Town Road Nine Inch Nails: 34 Ghost IV Stevie Wonder: Superstition Marvin Gaye and Tammi Terrell: Ain't No Mountain High Enough Ella Fitz Gerald: One Note Samba Skatman John: (Ski-ba-bop-ba-dop-	Spice Girls – Wannabe Back Street Boys – I Want It That Way Wham – Wake Me Up Before You Go Go Wheatus – Teenage DirtBag Queen – Don't Stop Me Now
			Minecraft(2011) Rom Di Prisco Fortnite(2017)		Newen Afrobeat feat. Seun Kuti & Cheick Tidiane Seck: Opposite People	
Disciplinary	Development of performing and composing music based on written notation and improvisation. Development of personal solo performance skills. Analysing performance work with a focus on the technical (musical elements/DR SMITH) and the expressive (subjective and objective meaning). When/Where/Why/ Context/Personal reaction.	Development of ensemble Music performance based on chordal harmony, melody and rhythm notation, lead sheet and improvisation. Development of personal and ensemble performance skills. Analysing performance work with a focus on the technical (musical elements/DR SMITH) and the expressive (subjective and objective meaning). When/Where/Why/ Context/Personal reaction.	Development of performing and composing music based on written notation and improvisation. Development of personal solo performance skills. Analysing performance work with a focus on the technical (musical elements/DR SMITH) and the expressive (subjective and objective meaning). When/Where/Why/ Context/Personal reaction.	Development of ensemble Music performance based on chordal harmony, melody and rhythm notation, lead sheet and improvisation. Development of personal and ensemble performance skills. Analysing performance work with a focus on the technical (musical elements/DR SMITH) and the expressive (subjective and objective meaning). When/Where/Why/ Context/Personal reaction.	Development of composing and producing music based on improvisation and sampling. Development of personal solo performance skills. Analysing performance work with a focus on the technical (musical elements/DR SMITH) and the expressive (subjective and objective meaning). When/Where/Why/Context/Personal reaction.	Development of ensemble Music performance based on chordal harmony, melody and rhythm notation, lead sheet and improvisation. Development of personal and ensemble performance skills. Analysing performance work with a focus on the technical (musical elements/DR SMITH) and the expressive (subjective and objective meaning). When/Where/Why/ Context/Personal reaction.
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Home Learning/ Focus on Sound						

- KS3 classes are mixed ability groups
- Students have an hour a week in Yr7,8 and 9 we teach the at least the National Curriculum, with guidance from the MMC. There are 6 SOW each year.
- SOW are taught in a different order by different teachers to facilitate the sharing of resources and materials.
- FSM students have the opportunity to learn an instrument for free.
- Homework is set once a half term for years 7 and 8. In year 9 homework is more extended and open, linking with the increased maturity of the students.
- Students have an assessment sheet in their books in line with the schools KS3 assessment policy.