

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
	Exploring Music	Nativity	Space	Mini Beasts	Deep Blue Sea	Circus
Reception	Use voices expressively through chanting and singing simple songs Repeat simple rhythms using body percussion Play un-tuned percussion instruments Move to music	Sing songs with an awareness of technique: - Posture - Tone - Pitch - Diction - Characterisation	Use voices expressively through chanting and singing simple songs with increasing accuracy Repeat rhythms using body percussion and untuned percussion Play un-tuned percussion instruments with an awareness of correct technique Listen to music from a range of genres with an awareness of some of the musical elements: - Tempo - Dynamics - Pitch Move to music with an awareness of the mood of the music	Use voices expressively through chanting and singing simple songs with increasing accuracy Repeat rhythms using body percussion and un-tuned percussion Play un-tuned percussion instruments with an awareness of correct technique Listen to music from a range of genres with an awareness of some of the musical elements: - Tempo - Dynamics - Pitch Move to music with an awareness of the mood, character and tempo of the music	Use voices expressively through chanting and singing simple songs with increasing accuracy Repeat rhythms using body percussion and untuned percussion with increasing accuracy Recognise and interpreting simple graphic notation and using this in performance Play un-tuned percussion instruments using the correct technique Listen to music from a range of genres and being able to recognise some of the musical elements: - Tempo - Dynamics - Pitch Move to music with an awareness of the mood, character, tempo and pulse of the musical sounds based on a stimulus	Use voices expressively through chanting and singing simple songs with increasing accuracy Repeat rhythms using body percussion and un-tuned percussion with increasing complexity and accuracy Recognise and interpreting simple graphic notation including simple staff notation and using this in performance Play un-tuned percussion instruments using the correct technique with an awareness of tone Listen to music from a range of genres and being able to recognise and interpret some of the musical elements: - Tempo - Dynamics - Pitch Move to music with an awareness of the mood, character, tempo and pulse of the music with increasing understanding Create musical patterns based on a stimulus

Carnival of the

Animals

Use voices expressively through chanting and singing songs with increasing accuracy and awareness of some aspects of vocal technique:

- Posture
- Tone
- Diction
- Breathing

Play tuned and un-tuned percussion instruments using the correct technique with an awareness of tone

Listen to music from a range of genres and being able to recognise and interpret some of the musical elements:

- Tempo
- Dynamics
- Pitch
- Instrumentation

Move to music with an awareness of the mood, character, tempo and pulse of the music with increasing understanding

Compose and improvise musical patterns that represent different feelings, characters and situations

Oceans

Use voices expressively through chanting and singing songs with increasing accuracy and awareness of some aspects of vocal technique:

- Posture
- Tone
- Diction
- Breathing

Play tuned and un-tuned percussion instruments using the correct technique with an awareness of tone

Listen to and evaluate music from a range of genres and being able to recognise and interpret some of the musical elements:

- Tempo
- Dynamics
- Pitch
- Instrumentation

Move to music with an awareness of the mood, character, tempo and pulse of the music with increasing understanding

Compose and improvise musical patterns that represent different feelings, characters and situations with increasing musicality

Pulse and Tempo

Understand the concept of pulse. Be able to move in time with music and clap a pulse along to a piece of music.

Understand the concept of tempo. Be able to play rhythmic patterns and simple polyrhythms using body percussion and un-tuned percussion at arrange of tempi.

Know subject specific vocabulary pertaining to pulse and tempo and use this in their musical performance.

Listen to and evaluate music in terms of pulse and tempo and respond using subject specific vocabulary.

Compose and improvise patterns at a range of tempi.

African Music

Sing increasingly complex songs, including part songs, with an awareness of ensemble and some aspects of vocal technique:

- Posture
- Tone
- Diction
- Breathing
- Harmony

Perform increasingly complex rhythms and polyrhythms using body percussion and un-tuned percussion.

Have an awareness of some of the key features of African Music, including subject specific vocabulary:

- Call and response
- Improvisation
- Body percussion
- Polyrhythms

Rhythm

Read and perform rhythmic patterns using crotchets, quavers, minims, dotted minims and semi-breves aurally and using notation. Compose and perform rhythmic patterns using crotchets, quavers, minims, dotted minims and semi-breves aurally and using notation. Listen to and identify rhythmic patterns within pieces of music. Understand the concept of rhythm and the connection to pulse and tempo.

The Nutcracker

Use voices expressively with an awareness of performing as part of an ensemble and some aspects of vocal technique:

- Posture
- Tone
- Diction
- Breathing
- Characterisation

Pitch & Percussion

Understand the concept of pitch and how to read staff notation, including subject specific vocabulary

Read and perform melodic patterns within a range of one octave, aurally and using staff notation on tuned percussion

Be able to play simple melodies and pieces on tuned percussion as part of an ensemble accurately

Musical Elements

Understand and be able to identify the different musical elements using subject specific vocabulary, symbols and gestures:

- Tempo
- Dynamics
- Texture
- Timbre

Be able to perform songs and rhythmic pieces incorporating different musical elements following subject specific symbols and gestures

Listen to and evaluate pieces of music focusing on the musical elements using subject specific vocabulary

Compose musical patterns and pieces in response to a stimulus incorporating different musical elements effectively

Recorders 1

Be able to play and blow the recorder, playing the notes of B, A and G with an awareness of correct technique and tone

Be able to play simple melodies and pieces on the recorder as part of an ensemble

Be able to read staff notation (melody and pitch) with increasing fluency and use this in their instrumental playing

Be able to listen to and evaluate pieces of music focusing on the musical elements using subject specific vocabulary

Be able to compose or improvise simple melodic patterns on the recorder

Recorders 2

Be able to play the notes of B, A, G, F and E with an awareness of correct technique and tone

Be able to play melodies and pieces on the recorder as part of an ensemble with increasing accuracy

Be able to read staff notation (melody and pitch) with increasing fluency and use this in their instrumental playing

Understand and be able to read rhythms that include crotchet, quaver and minim rests

Be able to listen to and evaluate pieces of music focusing on the musical elements using subject specific vocabulary

Be able to compose or improvise simple melodic patterns on the recorder with increasing musicality

Recorders 3

Be able to play the notes of B, A, G, F, E, D and C with an awareness of correct technique and tone
Be able to play increasingly complex melodies and pieces on the recorder as part of an ensemble accurately
Be able to read staff notation (melody and pitch) with increasing fluency and use this in their instrumental playing
Understand and be able to read rhythms that include crotchet, quaver and minim rests

Understand the concept of metre in 2,3 and 4 time and be able to recognise this in their playing and listening and evaluating

Be able to listen to and evaluate pieces of music focusing on the musical elements using subject specific vocabulary with increasing accuracy

Be able to compose or improvise simple melodic patterns on the recorder with increasing musicality and transcribe these using staff notation

Ukulele 1

Know the anatomy of the ukulele and be able to hold the instrument correctly

Be able to play and sing pieces using open strings using a range of playing techniques

Understand what a chord and be able to identify major and minor chord aurally

Be able to play the chords of C, F and Am on the ukulele, reading chord symbols and rhythmic notation and following strumming patterns

Be able to play musical patterns and simple pieces that transition between two chords

Be able to compose and improvise simple musical patterns on the ukulele using a range of playing techniques

Ukulele 2

Be able to identify major and minor chords aurally and understand the tonality can impact the mood or feeling of a piece of music
Be able to play the chords of C, Am, F and G on the ukulele reading chord symbols and rhythmic notation and following strumming patterns
Be able to play songs and pieces that transition between four chords with increasing accuracy

Be able to compose and chord sequences using C, Am, F and G, using chord symbols and rhythmic notation and devising their own strumming patterns

Ukulele 3

Be able to identify major and minor chords aurally and understand the tonality can impact the mood or feeling of a piece of music with increasing accuracy

Be able to play the chords of C, Am, F, G and Em on the ukulele reading chord symbols and rhythmic notation and following strumming patterns

Be able to play songs and pieces that transition between five chords with increasing accuracy, singing and playing simultaneously

Be able to compose and chord sequences and short pieces using C, Am, F, G and Em using chord symbols and rhythmic notation and devising their own strumming patterns with increasing musicality

West African Drumming

Play complex polyrhythms on the djembe as part of an ensemble with correct playing technique
Know and be able to play recognised call and response patterns on the djembe

Understand the conventions of West African Drumming and subject specific vocabulary:

- Polyrhythms
- Call and response
- Improvisation
- Syncopation

Improvise rhythmic patterns in the style of West African Drumming within a given structure and with increasing musicality

Christmas

Sing complex part songs with some awareness of some aspects of vocal technique:

- Tone
- Posture
- Diction
- Support and breath control
- Sense of ensemble
- Head and chest voice
- Characterisation

Access Classical

Have an awareness of some of the key features of musical periods:

- Baroque
- Classical
- Romantic
- 20th Century

Perform sections of pieces from these periods on tuned and un-tuned percussion as an ensemble, including pentatonic and chromatic patterns
Compose musical patterns and short pieces which incorporate musical features of these periods
Listen to and evaluate pieces of music from each musical period with an understanding of the musical elements and how they are used effectively:

- Tempo
- Dynamics
- Orchestration
- Timbre
- Texture
- Structure

Have an awareness of the social and historical context of some pieces of music

Minimalism

social and historic context of minimalism

Be able to play and sing pieces of minimalist music using tuned and un-tuned percussion and body percussion

Be able to compose short pieces of minimalist music using recognised compositional techniques such as:

Understand the concept and

- Augmentation
- Diminution
- Rhythmic displacement
- Retrograde

Gospel Choir

Sing complex part songs with an awareness of some aspects of vocal technique:

- Tone
- Posture
- Diction
- Support and breath control
- Sense of ensemble
- Head and chest voice
- Belt
- Characterisation
- Harmonic progression

Understand the social and historic context of Gospel Music and use this to inform their performance

Garage Band 1

Use Garage Band to record given chord sequences and melodies on a range of instruments following notation and chord symbols
Understand how to use Garage Band to edit and adapt musical recordings
Use Garage Band to create their own chord sequences

Christmas

Sing complex part songs with an understanding of some aspects of vocal technique:

- Tone
- Posture
- Diction
- Support and breath control
- Sense of ensemble
- Head and chest voice
- Characterisation
- Harmonic progression

Samba

Play complex polyrhythms on Samba instruments as part of an ensemble using correct playing techniques
Know and be able to play recognised call and response patterns on Samba instruments as part of an ensemble
Understand the conventions of Samba Drumming and subject specific vocabulary:

- Polyrhythms
- Call and response
- Improvisation
- Syncopation
- Breaks
- Solos

Improvise musical patterns on Samba instruments within a given structure demonstrating musicality

Garage Band 2

Use Garage Band to compose chord sequences
Understand structure of songs using subject specific vocabulary
Understand how major and minor chords are constructed
Compose melodies that fit with a chord sequence including passing notes
Compose drum and rhythm patterns that fit with a chord sequence

Production

Sing complex part songs with live band accompaniment with solid understanding of vocal technique:

- Tone
- Posture
- Diction
- Support and breath control
- Sense of ensemble
- Head and chest voice
- Characterisation
- Harmonic progression
- Movement