



Autumn Term

EYFS	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
<p>Exploring sound Exploring how to use our voice and bodies to make sounds</p> <p>Celebration music Learning about the music from a range of cultural and religious celebrations</p>	<p>Pulse and rhythm (Theme: All about me) Identifying the difference between the pulse and rhythm of a song</p>	<p>West African call and response song (Theme: Animals) Using instruments to represent animals, copying rhythms, learning a traditional African call and response song</p>	<p>Creating compositions in response to an animation (Theme: Mountains) Listening to music and considering the narrative it represents by paying close attention to the dynamics</p>	<p>Changes in pitch, tempo and dynamics (Theme: Rivers) Pupils represent different stages of the river through vocal and percussive ostinatos</p>	<p>Composition notation (Theme: Ancient Egypt) Identifying the pitch and rhythm of written notes and experimenting with notating their compositions</p>	<p>Dynamics, pitch and texture (Theme: Coast - Fingal's Cave by Mendelssohn) Appraising the work of Mendelssohn and further developing the skills of improvisation and composition</p>

Spring Term

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<p>Big Band Learning about what makes a musical instrument, the four different groups of musical instruments</p>	<p>Timbre and rhythmic patterns (Theme: Fairytales) Introducing the concept of timbre; learning that different sounds can represent characters and key events in a story.</p>	<p>Orchestral instruments (Theme: Traditional Western stories) Introducing the instruments of the orchestra.</p>	<p>Pentatonic melodies and composition (Theme: Chinese New Year) Using the story of Chinese New Year as a stimulus</p>	<p>Rock and Roll Learning about the origin and features of rock and roll music, playing the Hand Jive and Rock Around the Clock</p>	<p>LMS: Ukeleles (each class a half term in the year)</p> <p>Looping and remixing Learning how dance music is created, focusing particularly on the use of loops</p>	<p>Songs Of World War 2 Developing greater accuracy in pitch and control Identifying pitches within an octave when singing</p>

Summer Term

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<p>Transport Using voices, bodies and instruments to explore different types of transport</p>	<p>Pitch and tempo (Theme: Superheroes) Learning how to identify high and low notes and to compose a simple tune, to tell a story and make music more exciting</p>	<p>Musical me Learning to sing the song 'Once a Man Fell in a Well' and to play it using tuned percussion</p>	<p>Traditional instruments and improvisation (Theme: India) Introducing to traditional Indian music</p>	<p>Body and tuned percussion (Theme: Rainforests) Exploring the rainforest through music whilst being introduced to new musical terms</p>	<p>Musical Theatre An introduction to musical theatre, learning how singing, acting and dancing can be combined to give an overall performance</p>	<p>Baroque Exploring music of the Baroque Period (from 1600-1750)</p>