

Long Term plan: Music – Overview All Year groups

Early Years use Jolly Music Books Beginning (Acorns / Nursery) and Book 1 (Reception)
Year 1- Year 6 follow the Kapow Music Scheme

Class	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Acorns	Learn songs and rhymes Perform in a group and individually Develop a sense of pulse Use body percussion to perform the pulse accurately	Christmas performance Learn to sing the songs for the nativity Sing as part of a group with accurate pitch appropriate dynamics and tempo Develop performing skills	Learn songs and rhymes Perform in a group and individually Recognise high and low pitch when listening Develop accurate pitching when singing	Learn songs and rhymes Perform in a group and individually Recognise loud and quiet dynamics when listening Perform with accurate pitch and pulse when singing	Learn songs and rhymes Perform in a group and individually Recognise the difference between rhythm and pulse when listening Perform the pulse and rhythm using body percussion	Learn to perform singing playground songs and chants using different types of voices including speaking, singing, whispering and louder voice, Compose songs and rhymes following a model Perform individually and in groups
Nursery						
Reception						
Year 1	Pulse and Rhythm Theme: All about me	Pitch and Tempo Theme: Superheroes	Musical vocabulary Theme: Under the sea	Vocal and body sounds Theme: By the sea	Classic music, dynamics and tempo Theme: Animals	Timbre and rhythmic patterns Theme: Fairytales
Year 2	African call and response (Theme: Animals)	Orchestral instruments Theme: Traditional stories CHRISTMAS	Dynamics, timbre, tempo and motifs Theme: Space	Musical Me	Myths and legends	On this island: British songs and sounds
Year 3	Ballads	Creating compositions in response to an animation CHRISTMAS	Romans	Pentatonic melodies and composition Theme: Chinese New Year	Jazz	Indian Music
Year 4	Body and tuned percussion (Theme: Rainforest)	Vikings CHRISTMAS	10 weeks Guitar lessons delivered by Richmond Music Trust		Changes in pitch, tempo and dynamics (Theme: Rivers)	Rock and Roll
Year 5	The Blues	Looping and remixing CHRISTMAS	Continue Looping and remixing	Composition to represent the festival of colour (Theme: Holi festival)	Haiku, music and performance (Theme: Hanami festival)	South and West Africa
Year 6	Advanced Rhythms	Dynamics, pitch and tempo Theme: Fingal's Cave CHRISTMAS	Film Music	Theme and Variations Theme: Pop Art	Musical Theatre	Composing and performing a leavers' song

