

Key Stage 3 Programme of Study

| Year Group | Term 1 | Term 2 | Term 3 | Term 4 | Term 5 | Term 6 |
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| 7 | Topic/Enquiry: Music Literacy Key knowledge: Reading and notation of basic rhythms and pitch. Assessment: Baseline Values: Begin embedding the TOBIN music system. | Topic/Enquiry: Music Literacy Key knowledge: Reading and performing basic rhythm and pitch. Assessment: Performing - Play a given piece on keyboard. Values: Begin embedding the TOBIN music system. | Topic/Enquiry: Music Literacy: composing Key knowledge: Reading, writing (composing) and performing of basic rhythm, pitch. Knowledge of primary chords. Assessment: Composing - Compose a melody to a chord progression. Values: Begin applying the TOBIN music system. | Topic/Enquiry: Rhythm development Key knowledge: Start to play more complex rhythms and rhythmic devices and structures. Assessment: Composing and performing of group rhythmic composition. Values: Ensemble skills. | Topic/Enquiry: Instruments of the orchestra Key knowledge: Knowledge and identifying the sounds and styles of instrument families. Assessment: Appraising - Aural identification of instruments. Values: Exposure to a range of different instruments. | Topic/Enquiry: Elements of Music Key knowledge: develop pupil's understanding of the elements of music and provide pupils with a foundation of musical vocabulary for use at Key Stage 3 which can be developed for GCSE Music Assessment: Appraising test – End of year. Values: Recognise elements of music when listening to music from different times and different places. |
| 8 | Topic/Enquiry: Blues Music Key Knowledge: Pupils develop knowledge of chords and chord sequences. Assessment: Performing blue song Values: Develop ensemble skills and harmony. Appreciate music from around the world. | Topic/Enquiry: Piano Performance & Step time recording Key Knowledge: Developing reading skills with staff notation. Pupils will demonstrate technical control of music technology by step timing a into garage band. Assessment: A step timed performance Values: Develops industry skills. Develops reading of notations. | Topic/Enquiry: Samba Key Knowledge: pupils develop knowledge/skills with complex rhythms and rhythmic devices. Assessment: Composing Values: Develop use of syncopation and ensemble skills. Appreciate music from around the world. | Topic/Enquiry: Making melodies Key Knowledge: pupils develop knowledge/skills composing melodies to chord progressions. Assessment: Composing Values: Fosters creativity in music. Improves use of IT. | Topic/Enquiry: Baroque, Classical and Romantic Music Key Knowledge: Pupils learn how to identify stylistic features in from Baroque, Classical and Romantic eras. Assessment: Appraising test Values: Historic development of music. | Topic/Enquiry: Reggae Key Knowledge: Developing reading skills with other types of notation. Develop listening and appraising skills. Assessment: Appraising test – End of year. Values: Better use of music literacy – more complex rhythms and melodies. Appreciate music from around the world. |
| 9 | Topic/Enquiry: Cover versions Key Knowledge: application of instrumental skills and music theory to create their own version of a popular piece. Assessment: Performing Values: Refines ensemble skills. Refines music literacy. | Topic/Enquiry: Leitmotif Key Knowledge: pupils will refine their music literacy and performance skills by learning to play several different leitmotifs. Assessment: Performance Values: Refines reading of music. Refines performance skills. | Topic/Enquiry: Music and Media Key Knowledge: Pupils develop musical ideas by composing a jingle for an advert. Assessment: Compositing Values: Refines compositions skills and music theory. | Topic/Enquiry: Remix Key Knowledge: Pupils demonstrate technical control and production techniques by creating a remix of a song. Assessment: Compositing Values: Refines compositions skills/production skills and music theory. | Topic/Enquiry: KS3 recap Key Knowledge: Pupils will revisit key knowledge to prepare for KS4 Music Assessment: Appraising Values: GCSE/BTEC Prep | Topic/Enquiry: KS3 recap Key Knowledge: Pupils will revisit key knowledge to prepare for KS4 Music Assessment: Appraising test – End of year. Values: GCSE/BTEC Prep |