Waverley Abbey Musician

All things are possible for one who believes – Mark 9:23.

At Waverley Abbey School, we believe that a high-quality music education should engage and inspire pupils to develop a love of music and their talents as musicians, and so increase their self-confidence, creativity and sense of achievement. By providing a high-quality musical education, pupils are encouraged to explore the world of music and to be introduced to as many new musical experiences as possible. The aim of our music department is to open children's eyes and ears to a diverse musical programme that will be the foundation for a lifelong love of music.

What the National Curriculum requires in music at KS2 Pupils should be taught to:

- play and perform in solo and ensemble contexts, using their voices and playing musical instruments with increasing accuracy, fluency, control and expression
- improvise and compose music for a range of purposes using the inter-related dimensions of music
- listen with attention to detail and recall sounds with increasing aural memory
- use and understand staff and other musical notations
- appreciate and understand a wide range of high-quality live and recorded music drawn from different traditions and from great composers and musicians
- develop an understanding of the history of music.

Curriculum enrichment – We have a fantastic school choir for children of all ages, which practises a range of genres. Once a week we have a singing worship assembly, for all children to appreciate a wide range of musical artists thus allowing them to push their talents further and encourage new learners to flourish and enjoy learning music., Year 4,5 and 6 will be taught how to play ...

		Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Topics studied	Aut 1	Focus: Listening and singing - Charanga - Let your spirit fly (RNB/GOSPEL) Objectives for term: Listen and appraise a range of music and compare similar styles of the genre. Singing in unison and as a round taking turns. Learning breathing techniques. Interrelated musical element: Pulse, tempo and rhythm Performance/vocal with evaluation. The 8 Elements of Music The World Market of Music	Focus: Surrey Arts – Clarinet Objectives for term:	Focus: Elements of Music - Mambo Objectives for term: To discuss music in relation to the interrelated elements of music – pulse, pitch, rhythm, tempo, dynamics, texture, timbre To perform music To compose and play ostinatos. To use musical notations to record compositions. Glocks	Focus: Rainforest storm – body percussion and rhythmic notation Objectives for term: Extend improvisation skills through working in small groups to: Improvise Create music with multiple sections that include repetition and contrast. Further understand the differences between semibreves, minims, crotchets, quavers and semiquavers, and their equivalent rests. The 8 Elements of Music The 9 Elements of Music Syvantic Markow of the state of

an instrument or sound	X	of the parts of the music	
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Aut 2	Focus: Listening and composing -	Focus: Surrey Arts – Clarinet	Focus: CHRISTMAS PRODUCTION	Focus: Music – Ukulele
	Charanga - (Mamma Mia 70'S)	Objectives for term:	Objectives for term:	Objectives for term:
	Objectives for term:	 Listening and appraising music of 		Instrumental Performance
	Listen and appraise a range	different styles and era's		Play a melody following staff notation written on
	of music from this era.	amerent styres and era s	Singing: Using range of vocals, breathing, standing	one stave and using notes within an octave range
		a Loorning to improvice	position, silences and rest. Singing in rounds and	(do-do); make decisions about dynamic range,
		 Learning to improvise 		,
	elements: Pulse, rhythm,		solo parts-	including very loud (), very quiet (), moderately
	tempo, pitch and silence.		Singing in harmony.	loud () and moderately quiet ().
	 Untuned instruments to 	 Introduction to notation – minims, 	Signing technique – breathing, parts of the voice.	Accompany this same melody, and others, using
	create a pulse and rhythm	minim rests, treble clef, stave, bars.	CHRISTMAS PRODUCTION	block chords or a bass line. This could be done
	linked to the song choice.	 Learning note D 		using keyboards, tuned percussion or tablets, or
				demonstrated at the board using an online
	Singing: Using range of vocals,			keyboard.
	breathing, standing position, silences			Engage with others through ensemble playing
	and rest. CHRISTMAS PRODUCTION			(e.g. school orchestra, band, mixed ensemble)
	and rest. CHRISTIVIAS I RODOCTION			with pupils taking on melody or accompaniment
				roles. The accompaniment, if instrumental, could
				be chords or a single-note bass line.
				Reading Notation
				Further develop the skills to read and perform
				pitch notation within an octave (e.g. C–C/ do–
				do).
				Read and play confidently from rhythm notation
				cards and rhythmic scores in up to 4 parts that
				contain known rhythms and note durations.
				Read and play from notation a four-bar phrase,
				confidently identifying note names and
				durations.
Spring 1	Focus: Listening and composing -	Focus: Surrey Arts – Clarinet	Focus: Singing, listening and appraising Charanga	Focus: WW2 Composers + notation
Spring 1	CLASSICAL using graphics and shapes to	Objectives for term:	- songs of choice - Dancing in the street / Motown	Objectives for term:
	create notation.	Developing skills on notes E and D	– Ain't no mountain high enough, Diana Ross /	The teaching and learning of music is enriched by
	Objectives for term:	Developing articulation	Jackson 5 (ABC) / The Supremes	developing pupils' knowledge and understanding
	Using colours and shapes to	. 0	Objectives for term:	of the stories, origins, traditions, history and
		Increasing improvisation skills	Objectives for term.	
	make music.	 Notation – crotchets and crotchet 		social context of the music they are listening to,
	Listen to three pieces of	rests	Listening to a range of popular music	singing and playing.
	classical music and create a	 Listening and appraising 	and identifying features.	<u>Improvise</u>
	music map of sounds and		 Recognising the components used to 	Extend improvisation skills through working in
	feelings. What can you hear?		make a song	small groups to:
	What is happening in the		 Learning a song to perform. 	Use chord changes as part of an improvised
	piece of music?			sequence.
	Create a story board to link			Extend improvised melodies beyond 8 beats over
	with shapes/colours and			a fixed groove, creating a satisfying melodic
	song choice and share with			shape.
	the class. Look for			Compose
	similarirites.			Plan and compose an 8- or 16-beat melodic
	Similarintes.			phrase using the pentatonic scale (e.g. C, D, E, G,
				A) and incorporate rhythmic variety and interest.
I	1			Play this melody on available tuned percussion
				and/or orchestral instruments. Notate this melody.

				Compose melodies made from pairs of phrases in either G major or E minor or a key suitable for the instrument chosen. Either of these melodies can be enhanced with rhythmic or chordal accompaniment.
Spring 2	Focus: Performing and composing- Charanga GLOCKS 1 – COURSE Learning notation Objectives for term: Notation E Notation D – crochet and minim starter. Silence and rest Create out compositions using the notes E and D Performance of Strictly D	Focus: Surrey Arts – Clarinet Objectives for term: Developing performance skills, combined singing and playing Learning new note C Notation – quavers Improvisation development – group playing. Listening and appraising EASTER PRODUCTION	Focus: Performing and composing – CLARINETS – Surrey arts recap session Ukeleles Objectives for term: Notation – quavers and semi quavers. Understanding quaver and semi quaver rests C, D and E Beat count Compositions within an octave Performance of composition and appraise others work.	Focus: Djembe drumming Objectives for term: History of drumming and culture. Bass, Tone, Slap and the rhythms for each method of drumming Call and response Perform in groups using short rhythmic phrases – Do a round using the drums
Sum 1	Focus: Ten pieces Learning names of notes and beats continued. Objectives for term: Crochet, minims and semibreves with correct rests Complete rhythm using the corrects rests Write own composition using a given structure. Untuned instruments	Focus: Surrey Arts – Clarinet Objectives for term: Composition project Considering structure, harmony, pitch, rhythm, speed, tonality, notation. Listening and appraising	Focus: Listening and appraising Objectives for term: Representing animals with music using Peter and the Wolf and Carnival of the Animals. Listening and appraising Instruments of the orchestra. Discussing how different instruments have different timbre and how this is used in the pieces. Movement like animals. Writing to explain using vocab. Art work linked to the pieces of music.	Focus: Charanga- Fresh prince (Hip Hop) Objectives for term: Singing - This should include observing rhythm, phrasing, accurate pitching and appropriate style.
Sum 2	Focus: Listening, singing, composing and performing Charanga - Three little birds (REGGAE) Objectives for term: The style of reggae and the typical instruments used Listening to structure and why the composter chose this style.	Focus: Surrey Arts – Clarinet Optional extra - Charanga – Lean on me Objectives for term: Consolidation of all skills learnt – practice for end of year concert. Focus on performance skills	Focus: Cyclic patterns course charanga Objectives for term: Rhythm and patterns Listening to music from different cultures. Creating art based off this music. Learning techniques to play the djembe drum.	Focus: Production Objectives for term: Sing a broad range of songs, including those that involve syncopated rhythms, as part of a choir, with a sense of ensemble and performance. Perform a range of songs as a choir in school assemblies, school performance opportunities and to a wider audience.

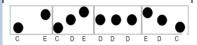
	 Appraise a variety of reggae songs and evaluate Perform using instruments (glocks, recorders, keyboards and untuned instruments) 		 Playing repeating rhythmic patterns solo and in a group. Composing cyclic patterns in a group and performing these. 	
	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Key skills to progress – Singing	Varying styles and structures Use pitch to sing scale using do – re – mi in tune and with expression. Perform forte - piano (loud, strong and soft) Perform actions confidently and in time to a range of action songs (head shoulders knees and toes) list on curriculum guide. Walk, move, clap a steady beat with others, changing the speed of the beat as the tempo of music changes. Perform as a choir in school assemblies. Assessment: Do they sing songs from memory with increasing expression, accuracy and fluency? • Do they maintain a simple part within an ensemble? • Do they modulate and control their voice when singing and pronounce the words clearly? • Can they play notes on tuned and untuned instruments with increasing clarity and accuracy? • Can they improvise (including call and response) within a group using the voice? • Can they collaborate to create a piece of music? Ex: Can they sing/play rhythmic patterns in contrasting tempo; keeping to the pulse?	Continue to sing unison using a broad range of an octave (do -do) pitching the voice accurately, following directions for louder (crescendo) and quieter (decrescendo). Sing in rounds, partner songs in different time signatures (2,3 and 4 time) Introduce vocal harmony Perform a range of songs in school assemblies. Assessment: Can they perform a simple part of an ensemble rhythmically? • Can they sing songs from memory with increasing expression, accuracy and fluency? • Can they improvise using repeated patterns with increasing accuracy and fluency? Can they explain why silence is used in a piece of music and say what effect it has? • Can they start to identify the character of a piece of music? • Can they describe and identify the different purposes of music? • Can they use musical words (pitch, duration, timbre, dynamics, tempo) to describe a piece of music and composition? Ex: • Can they use selected pitches simultaneously to produce simple harmony?	Sing a broad range of songs from an extended repertoire with a sense of ensemble and performance. This should include observing phrasing, accurate pitching and appropriate style. Sing three-part rounds, partner songs, and songs with a verse and a chorus. Perform a range of songs in school assemblies and in school performances performance opportunities. Assessment: Can they sing and use their understanding of meaning to add expression? Can they perform 'by ear' and from simple notations? Can they improvise within a group using melodic and rhythmic phrases? Can they recognise and use basic structural forms e.g. rounds, variations, rondo form? Can they maintain their part whilst others are performing their part? Ex: Can they use pitches simultaneously to produce harmony by building up simple chords? Can they devise and play a repeated sequence of pitches on a tuned instrument to accompany a song?	Sing a broad range of songs, including those that involve syncopated rhythms, as part of a choir, with a sense of ensemble and performance. This should include observing rhythm, phrasing, accurate pitching and appropriate style. Continue to sing three- and four-part rounds (e.g. Calypso by Jan Holdstock) or partner songs, and experiment with positioning singers randomly within the group – i.e. no longer in discrete parts – in order to develop greater listening skills, balance between parts and vocal independence. Perform a range of songs as a choir in school assemblies, school performance opportunities and to a wider audience. Assessment: Can they begin to sing a harmony part? • Can they take the lead in a performance? • Can they take on a solo part? • Can they perform parts from memory? Can they begin to sing a harmony part? Ex: • Can they take the lead in a performance? • Can they take the lead in a performance? • Can they take the lead in a performance? • Can they take the lead in a performance? • Can they take the lead in a performance? • Can they take on a solo part? • Can they take on a solo part? • Can they provide rhythmic support? • Can they provide rhythmic support? • Can they perform parts from memory?

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Singing vocabulary	melodic line by several performers	several performers simultaneously	several performers simultaneously	several performers simultaneously
	simultaneously	,	,	,
		a cappella: choral music with no instrumental	a cappella: choral music with no instrumental	a cappella: choral music with no instrumental
	a cappella: choral music with no	accompaniment	accompaniment	accompaniment
	instrumental accompaniment	adagio: a slow tempo allegro: a fast tempo alto:	adagio: a slow tempo allegro: a fast tempo alto: a	adagio: a slow tempo allegro: a fast tempo alto: a
	adagio: a slow tempo allegro: a fast	a low-ranged female voice; the second lowest	low-ranged female voice; the second lowest	low-ranged female voice; the second lowest
	tempo alto: a low-ranged female voice;	instrumental range	instrumental range	instrumental range
	the second lowest instrumental range	beat: a musical pulse	beat: a musical pulse	beat: a musical pulse
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	·	bass: the lowest male voice; (see Double Bass)	bass: the lowest male voice; (see Double Bass)	bass: the lowest male voice; (see Double Bass)
	bass: the lowest male voice; (see	decrescendo: gradually getting quieter (see	haritana: a moderately low male voice: in range	atonality: modern harmony that intentionally
	Double Bass)	diminuendo)	baritone: a moderately low male voice; in range between a tenor and a bass	avoids a tonal center (has no apparent home key)
	decrescendo: gradually getting quieter			and a series content (man no appearance months)
	(see diminuendo)		decrescendo: gradually getting quieter (see diminuendo)	baritone: a moderately low male voice; in range between a tenor and a bass
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Key skills to progress -	The teaching and learning of music is	The teaching and learning of music is enriched	The teaching and learning of music is enriched by	The teaching and learning of music is enriched by
listening	enriched by developing pupils' knowledge and understanding of the	by developing pupils' knowledge and understanding of the stories, origins, traditions,	developing pupils' knowledge and understanding of the stories, origins, traditions, history and social	developing pupils' knowledge and understanding of the stories, origins, traditions, history and
	stories, origins, traditions, history and	history and social context of the music they are	context of the music they are listening to, singing	social context of the music they are listening to,
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	Listening to recorded performances	Listening to recorded performances should be complemented by opportunities to experience	Listening to recorded performances should be complemented by opportunities to experience live	Listening to recorded performances should be complemented by opportunities to experience
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	opportunities to experience live music	could include performances by other school	include performances by other school ensembles	could include performances by other school
	making in and out of school. These	ensembles or year groups, or provided by other	or year groups, or provided by other Music	ensembles or year groups, or provided by other
	could include performances by other school ensembles or year groups, or	Music Education Hubs partners.	Education Hubs partners. Find all music choices on curriculum.	Music Education Hubs partners. Find all music choices on curriculum.
	provided by other Music Education	Find all music choices on curriculum.	Find an music choices on curricularit.	Find an music choices on curriculum.
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	Find all music choices on curriculum.	Assessment: Describe what they hear using a wider range of	Assessment: Describe, compare and evaluate different kinds of	Assessment: Evaluate differences in live and recorded
	Assessment: • Can they use musical words (pitch,	musical vocabulary	music using an appropriate and broad musical	performances
	duration, dynamics, tempo) to describe	Recognise how the inter-related dimensions of	vocabulary	Consider how one piece of music may be
	and give their opinion on a piece of	music are used by composers to create different	Analyse and compare features from a wide range	interpreted in different ways by different
	music?	moods and effects	of music	performers, sometimes according to venue and
	Can they evaluate and improve their work, explaining how it has improved	Understand the cultural and social meaning of lyrics	Discern and distinguish layers of sound and understand their combined effect	occasion
	using a success criterion?	Appreciate harmonies, drone and ostinato	unuerstand their combined effect	
	Do they know that music can be	• Explore ways the way in which sounds are		Ex: Can they perform a piece of music which
	played or listened to for a variety of	combined towards certain effects	Ex :Can they use pitches simultaneously to	contains two (or more) distinct melodic or
	purposes (including different cultures	Understand the relationship between lyrics	produce harmony by building up simple chords?	rhythmic parts, knowing how the parts will fit
	and periods in history)?	and melody		together?

	 Are they able to recognise a range of instruments by ear? Can they internalise the pulse in a piece of music? Can they identify the features within a piece of music? Describe music using appropriate vocabulary Begin to compare different kinds of music Recognise differences between music of different times and cultures 	Ex: Can they use selected pitches simultaneously to produce simple harmony?	Can they devise and play a repeated sequence of pitches on a tuned instrument to accompany a song?	
	EX: Can they sing/play rhythmic patterns in contrasting tempo; keeping to the pulse? Can they recognise changes in sounds that move incrementally and more dramatically? • Can they compare repetition, contrast and variation within a piece of music?			
Listening vocabulary	beat: a musical pulse measure: a rhythmic grouping, set off in written music by a vertical barline crescendo: gradually getting louder decrescendo: gradually getting quieter (see diminuendo)	beat: a musical pulse measure: a rhythmic grouping, set off in written music by a vertical barline crescendo: gradually getting louder decrescendo: gradually getting quieter (see diminuendo)	beat: a musical pulse measure: a rhythmic grouping, set off in written music by a vertical barline crescendo: gradually getting louder decrescendo: gradually getting quieter (see diminuendo)	beat: a musical pulse measure: a rhythmic grouping, set off in written music by a vertical barline crescendo: gradually getting louder decrescendo: gradually getting quieter (see diminuendo)
Key skills to progress – composing	Improvise Become more skilled in improvising (using voices, tuned and untuned percussion and instruments played in whole- class/group/individual/instrumental teaching), inventing short 'on-the-spot' responses using a limited note-range. Structure musical ideas (e.g. using echo or question and answer phrases) to create music that has a beginning, middle and end. Pupils should compose in response to different stimuli, e.g. stories, verse, images (paintings and photographs) and musical sources. Compose Combine known rhythmic notation with letter names to create rising and falling phrases using just three notes (do, re and mi).	Improvise Improvise on a limited range of pitches on the instrument they are now learning, making use of musical features including smooth (legato) and detached (staccato). Begin to make compositional decisions about the overall structure of improvisations. Continue this process in the composition tasks below. Combine known rhythmic notation with letter names to create short pentatonic phrases using a limited range of 5 pitches suitable for the instruments being learnt. Sing and play these phrases as self-standing compositions. Arrange individual notation cards of known note values (i.e. minim, crotchet, crotchet rest and paired quavers) to create sequences of 2-, 3- or 4-beat phrases, arranged into bars	Improvise Improvise freely over a drone, developing sense of shape and character, using tuned percussion and melodic instruments. Improvise over a simple groove, responding to the beat, creating a satisfying melodic shape; experiment with using a wider range of dynamics, including very loud (fortissimo), very quiet (pianissimo), moderately loud (mezzo forte), and moderately quiet (mezzo piano). Continue this process in the composition tasks below. Compose Compose melodies made from pairs of phrases in either C major or A minor or a key suitable for the instrument chosen. These melodies can be enhanced with rhythmic or chordal accompaniment. Working in pairs, compose a short ternary piece.	Improvise Extend improvisation skills through working in small groups to: Create music with multiple sections that include repetition and contrast. Use chord changes as part of an improvised sequence. Extend improvised melodies beyond 8 beats over a fixed groove, creating a satisfying melodic shape. Compose Plan and compose an 8- or 16-beat melodic phrase using the pentatonic scale (e.g. C, D, E, G, A) and incorporate rhythmic variety and interest. Play this melody on available tuned percussion and/or orchestral instruments. Notate this melody.

	Compose song accompaniments on untuned percussion using known rhythms and note values.	Explore developing knowledge of musical components by composing music to create a specific mood, for example creating music to accompany a short film clip. Introduce major and minor chords. Include instruments played in whole-class/group/individual teaching to expand the scope and range of the sound palette available for composition work.	Use chords to compose music to evoke a specific atmosphere, mood or environment. For example, La Mer by Debussy and The River Flows In You by Yiruma both evoke images of water. Equally, pupils might create music to accompany a silent film or to set a scene in a play or book. Capture and record creative ideas using any of: o graphic symbols o rhythm notation and time signatures o staff notation o technology	Compose melodies made from pairs of phrases in either G major or E minor or a key suitable for the instrument chosen. Either of these melodies can be enhanced with rhythmic or chordal accompaniment.
	Asssesment: Can they use musical words (pitch, duration, dynamics, tempo) to describe and give their opinion on a piece of music? Can they evaluate and improve their work, explaining how it has improved using a success criterion? Do they know that music can be played or listened to for a variety of purposes (including different cultures and periods in history)? Are they able to recognise a range of instruments by ear? Can they internalise the pulse in a piece of music? Can they identify the features within a piece of music? EX: Can they create accompaniments for melodies? Can they compose a simple piece of music that they can recall to use again? Do they understand metre in 4 beats;	Capture and record creative ideas using any of: o graphic symbols o rhythm notation and time signatures o staff notation o technology. Asssesment: Can they use notations to record and interpret sequences of pitches? • Can they use notations to record compositions in a small group or on their own? • Can they use notation in a performance? EX: Can they explore and use sets of pitches, e.g. 4 or 5 note scales? • Can they show how they can use dynamics to provide contrast?	Asssesment: Can they begin to use standard notation? • Can they use their notations to record groups of pitches (chords)? • Can they choose the most appropriate tempo for a piece of music? • Can they use technology to compose music which meets a specific criterion? EX: Can they identify (and use) how patterns of repetitions, contrasts and variations can be organised to give structure to a melody, rhythm, dynamic and timbre?	Asssesment: Do they recognise that different forms of notation serve different purposes? • Can they combine groups of beats? • Can they use a variety of different musical devices in their composition? (e.g. melody, rhythms and chords) EX: Can they show how a small change of tempo can make a piece of music more effective? • Do they use the full range of chromatic pitches to build up chords, melodic lines and bass lines?
Composing vocabulary	then 3 beats? beat: a musical pulse bar: a common term for a musical measure chord: a harmonic combination that has three or more pitches sounding simultaneously	beat: a musical pulse bar: a common term for a musical measure chord: a harmonic combination that has three or more pitches sounding simultaneously	beat: a musical pulse bar: a common term for a musical measure chord: a harmonic combination that has three or more pitches sounding simultaneously	beat: a musical pulse bar: a common term for a musical measure chord: a harmonic combination that has three or more pitches sounding simultaneously
Key skills to progress – performing	Develop facility in playing tuned percussion or a melodic instrument such as violin or recorder. Play and perform melodies following staff notation using a small range (e.g. Middle C–E/do–mi) as a whole class or in small groups (e.g. trios and quartets).	Instrumental Performance Develop facility in the basic skills of a selected musical instrument over a sustained learning period. This can be achieved through working closely with your local Music Education Hub who can provide whole-class instrumental teaching programmes.	Performing Instrumental Play melodies on tuned percussion, melodic instruments or keyboards, following staff notation written on one stave and using notes within the Middle C–C'/do–do range. This should initially be done as a whole class with greater independence gained each lesson through smaller group performance.	Instrumental Performance Play a melody following staff notation written on one stave and using notes within an octave range (do–do); make decisions about dynamic range, including very loud (), very quiet (), moderately loud () and moderately quiet ().

Use listening skills to correctly order phrases using dot notation, showing different arrangements of notes C-D-E/do-re-mi (see illustration)



Individually (solo) copy stepwise melodic phrases with accuracy at different speeds; allegro and adagio, fast and slow. Extend to question-and-answer phrases.

Reading Notation Introduce the stave, lines and spaces, and clef. Use dot notation to show higher or lower pitch.

Introduce and understand the differences between crotchets and paired quavers.

Apply word chants to rhythms, understanding how to link each syllable to one musical note.

Play and perform melodies following staff notation using a small range (e.g. Middle C– G/do–so) as a whole-class or in small groups.

Perform in two or more parts (e.g. melody and accompaniment or a duet) from simple notation using instruments played in whole class teaching. Identify static and moving parts. 27

Copy short melodic phrases including those using the pentatonic scale (e.g. C, D, E, G, A).

Reading Notation

Introduce and understand the differences between minims, crotchets, paired quavers and rests.

Read and perform pitch notation within a defined range (e.g. C–G/do–so).

Follow and perform simple rhythmic scores to a steady beat: maintain individual parts accurately within the rhythmic texture, achieving a sense of ensemble.

Assessment:

Can they explain why silence is used in a piece of music and say what effect it has?

- Can they start to identify the character of a piece of music?
- Can they describe and identify the different purposes of music?
- Can they use musical words (pitch, duration, timbre, dynamics, tempo) to describe a piece of music and composition?

Ex: Can they identify how a change in timbre can change the effect of a piece of music?

Understand how triads are formed, and play them on tuned percussion, melodic instruments or keyboards. Perform simple, chordal accompaniments to familiar songs (e.g. Yellow Submarine by The Beatles).

Perform a range of repertoire pieces and arrangements combining acoustic instruments to form mixed ensembles, including a school orchestra.

Develop the skill of playing by ear on tuned instruments, copying longer phrases and familiar melodies.

Reading Notation

Further understand the differences between semibreves, minims, crotchets and crotchet rests, paired quavers and semiquavers.

Understand the differences between 2/4, 3/4 and 4/4 time signatures.

Read and perform pitch notation within an octave (e.g. C-C'/do-do).

Read and play short rhythmic phrases at sight from prepared cards, using conventional symbols for known rhythms and note durations.

Accompany this same melody, and others, using block chords or a bass line. This could be done using keyboards, tuned percussion or tablets, or demonstrated at the board using an online keyboard.

Engage with others through ensemble playing (e.g. school orchestra, band, mixed ensemble) with pupils taking on melody or accompaniment roles. The accompaniment, if instrumental, could be chords or a single-note bass line. Reading Notation

Further understand the differences between semibreves, minims, crotchets, quavers and semiquavers, and their equivalent rests.

Further develop the skills to read and perform pitch notation within an octave (e.g. C–C/ do–do).

Read and play confidently from rhythm notation cards and rhythmic scores in up to 4 parts that contain known rhythms and note durations.

Read and play from notation a four-bar phrase, confidently identifying note names and durations.

Transition Project

The end of Year 6 transition project provides a way to bring together what the pupils have learnt about reading notation, playing an instrument, composing melodies and singing as a class. More information can be found in appendix 6 of gov national curriculum music.

Assessment:

Can they describe, compare and evaluate music using musical vocabulary?

- Can they suggest improvements to their own or others' work?
- Can they choose the most appropriate tempo for a piece of music?
- Can they identify and begin to evaluate the features within different pieces of music?
- Can they contrast the work of established composers and show preferences?

Assessment:

Can they refine and improve their work?

- Can they evaluate how the venue, occasion and purpose affects the way a piece of music is created?
- Can they compare and contrast the impact that different composers from different times will have had on the people of the time?
- Can they analyse features within different pieces of music?

Ex: Can they appraise the introductions, interludes and endings for songs and

Assessment:

Can they create repeated patterns using a range of instruments?

- Can they combine different sounds to create a specific mood or feeling?
- Do they understand how the use of tempo can provide contrast within a piece of music?
- Can they begin to read and write musical notation?
- Can they effectively choose, order, combine and control sounds to create different textures?
- Can they use silent beats for effect (rests)?
- Can they combine different interrelated dimensions of music (e.g. fast/slow, high/low, loud/soft) in their composition?

			Ex: Can they explain how tempo changes the character of music? • Can they identify where a gradual change in dynamics has helped to shape a phrase of music?	compositions and performances they have created?
Performing vocabulary	forte: (f) a loud dynamic marking	forte: (f) a loud dynamic marking	forte: (f) a loud dynamic marking	forte: (f) a loud dynamic marking
Links to school values	Compassion – Children are able to show and to explore new areas in music using a themselves. Honesty - Children are able to question to confidence to be honest in reflections and developed while relishing areas already less their comfort zone. Pupils are able to show bray of their comfort zone. Pupils are able to show bray of their comfort zone and their comfort zone are able to show bray of their comfort zone. Pupils are able to show perseverance to be allowing them to make mistakes and lear	respect and compassion for others in their ow emotions and senses to produce in depth com ruthfully and reflect upon their own learning j d assisting next steps. In music, we use 2 wish earnt. ery in their learning by not being afraid of ma elf and peer -assess work which enables then e able to make adjustments and improvement in from them. The children are hopeful they w	is and musical instruments; as well as a being part of a team of an learning journeys when presented with challenging situation positions. In turn, they are able to reflect and assess their own tourneys as to their own next steps. They are able to use strates and a star to a assess work. This strategy supports pupils the aking mistakes. They show pleasure in new and exciting challent to be more confident at exploring their own learning goals at its in their work by reflecting on their own learning. Pupils are will be able to move successfully along their journey if they contain grounds. They understand the purpose of music, its history of the sounds. They understand the purpose of music, its history of the sounds.	ons. Children have the opportunity to try new skills on learning, allowing them to build confidence within egies to self and peer- assess work; giving them the o think about areas of learning that needs to be enges when learning new skills which may fall outside and setting new learning challenges. encouraged to take a positive approach to music, intinue to persevere.