



Music Curriculum Map

Year 1	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
	Hey You Genre: Old school hip- hop How pulse, rhythm and pitch work together. I know how to clap short, rhythmic patterns I know how to repeat short rhythmic and melodic patterns	Rhythm In The Way We Walk and The Banana Rap Genre: Reggae Pulse, rhythm and pitch, rapping, dancing and singing I know how to say whether I like or dislike a piece of music I know how to use my voice to speak, sing and chant	In The Groove Genre: Blues, Baroque, Latin, Bhangra, Folk, Funk Understanding different styles of music I know how to respond to different moods in music.	Round and Round Genre: Bossa Nova Pulse, rhythm and pitch in different styles of music I know how to make different sounds with my voice and with instruments I know how to make a sequence of sounds	Your Imagination Genre: Pop Use of instruments, improvisation and composing I know how to choose sounds to represent different things	Reflect, Rewind and Replay Genre: Classical The history of music. Look back and consolidate your learning. Learn the language of music I know how to use instruments to perform I know how to follow instructions about when to play and sing
Cross curricular links	Introducing ourselves to our new class (RSHE)	Banana rap – plants (Science)	Which countries do the genres originate from? (Geography) (opportunities for cultural capital) History of music	Traditional stories (English)	Create drawings/paintings from the song (Art)	Sea shanties (topic links) (opportunities for local context)
Key Vocabulary- which all children must be familiar with.	Pulse, rhythm, pitch, rap, improvise, compose, melody, bass guitar, drums, decks, perform	Pulse, rhythm, pitch, rap, melody, singers, keyboard, bass guitar, percussion, trumpets, saxophone, perform	Blues, Baroque, Latin, Irish Folk, Funk, pulse, rhythm, pitch, compose, improvise, perform, groove	Keyboard, bass, guitar, percussion, trumpets, saxophones, pulse, rhythm, pitch, improvise, compose, perform, audience	Keyboard, drums, bass, pulse, rhythm, pitch, improvise, compose, perform, audience, imagination	Recap all previous vocabulary
Extended writing opportunities	Complete lyric ideas. Hey you! What you gonna do? I'm gonna	Draw and write a story map for Banana Rap	Research the different genres of music	Create pitch story using Goldilocks and the Three Bears	Graphic score	My music learning this year





Assessment	Video of children	Use of correct language	Move to the music in	Create sounds with	Performing own	Playing and naming a
video/audio	clapping rhythmic	to evaluate the song	different ways showing	different pitch using	composition individually	range of instruments
recording	patterns (copying given		an understanding of	voice and melodic	and in groups	
	patterns and creating		rhythm and pulse	instruments		
	own)					
Model Music	Walk, move or clap a	Perform word-pattern	Respond to the pulse in	Listen to sounds in the	Create musical sound	Invent, retain and recall
Curriculum links	steady beat with others,	chants (e.g. ca-ter-pil-lar	recorded/live music	local school	effects and short	rhythm and pitch patterns
	changing the speed of the	crawl, fish and chips);	through movement and	environment, comparing	sequences of sounds in	and perform these for
	beat as the	create, retain	dance, e.g.	high and low sounds.	response to	others,
	tempo of the music	and perform their own	o Stepping (e.g.	 Sing familiar songs in 	stimuli, e.g. a rainstorm	taking turns.
	changes	rhythm patterns.	Mattachins from Capriol	both low and high	or a train journey.	• Use music technology,
	Perform short copycat		Suite by Warlock),	voices and talk about	Combine to make a story,	if available, to capture,
	rhythm patterns		o Jumping (e.g. Trepak	the difference in sound.	choosing and	change and combine
	accurately, led by the		from The Nutcracker by	 Explore percussion 	playing classroom	sounds.
	teacher.		Tchaikovsky)	sounds to enhance	instruments (e.g.	
	Perform short repeating		o Walking on tiptoes	storytelling, e.g.	rainmaker) or sound-	
	rhythm patterns (ostinati)		(e.g. Scherzo from The	o ascending xylophone	makers (e.g. rustling	
	while keeping in time		Firebird Suite by	notes to suggest Jack	leaves).	
	with a steady beat		Stravinsky)	climbing the beanstalk,	Recognise how graphic	
				o quiet sounds created	notation can represent	
				on a rainstick/shakers to	created sounds. Explore	
				depict a shower,	and invent own symbols	
				o regular strong beats		
				played on a drum to		
				replicate menacing		
				footsteps.		