

Musician Curriculum 2022-23



Music Vision

Our music curriculum aims to provide all students with a high-quality music education which engages and inspires them to develop a life-long love of music, increases their self-confidence, creativity, and imagination, and provides opportunities for self-expression and a sense of personal achievement.

Modelled on the National Curriculum, we offer opportunities for students to develop their talents in all aspects of music including composition, singing and appreciation.

- We will enable all students to access to and develop an enjoyment of music which will sustain through their lives
- That students will have opportunities to explore and express ideas and feelings about music, in a variety of ways
- · We will nurture a sense of group identity and togetherness through composing, rehearsing and performing music with others to an audience
- We will develop students' awareness and understanding of music from a variety of styles, periods and cultures

	EYFS	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Term 1	Nursery Children will know the nursery rhymes/songs: I am Special, You are Special Humpty Dumpty Twinkle Twinkle Little Star/ Twinkle Twinkle Chocolate Bar Head, Shoulders, Knees and Toes Reception: Copy- clap the rhythm of names Explore high and low sounds using voices (and glockenspiels)	Introducing Beat Pitch: C, D, E, F, G Duration and rests: minims, crotchets and quavers Time signature: 4/4 and 3/4	Exploring simple patters Duration and rests: minims, crotchets and quavers Time signature: 4/4	Developing notation Duration and rests: Semibreve minims, crotchets and quavers Time signature: 4/4	Interesting time signatures Duration and rests: minims, dotted crotches, crotchets, quavers Time signature: 4/4,	Getting started with music tech Duration and rests: minims, dotted minims, dotted crotches, crotchets, quavers Time signature: 2/4, 4/4, 6/8	• Developing Melodic phrases Duration and rests: minims, crotchets, quavers, semiquavers, Time signature: 2/4, 4/4,
Term 2	Nursery Children will know the nursery rhymes/songs: Hickory Dickory Dock 5 Current Buns If You're Happy and You Know It Children will listen to and learn a variety of songs to perform for a nativity concert. Children will listen to a visitor play an instrument (Simon Wyat). Reception: Copy- clap the rhythm of small phrases from the song Explore high and low pitch in the context of the song. Invent a pattern to go with a song using one note	Adding Rhythm and Pitch Duration and rests: minims, crotchets and quavers Time signature: 4/4 and 3/4	Focus on dynamic and tempo Duration and rests: minims, crotchets and quavers Time signature: 4/4, 2/4	Enjoying improvisation Duration and rests: Semibreve minims, dotted crotches, crotchets and quavers Time signature: 4/4, 2/4, 12/8	Combining elements to make music Duration and rests: minims, dotted crotches, crotchets, quavers and semiquavers Time signature: 4/4, 2/4	Emotions and musical styles Duration and rests: minims, dotted minims, dotted crotches, crotchets, quavers, dotted quavers, semiquavers Time signature: 2/4, 4/4, 6/8	Understanding structure and form Duration and rests: minims, dotted crotches, crotchets, quavers, dotted quavers, semiquavers Time signature: 2/4, 4/4, ¾,
Term 3	Nursery: Children will know the nursery rhymes/songs: 1,2,3,4,5 Once I Caught a Fish Alive Incy Wincy Spider Old Macdonald Had a Farm Children will draw to represent ideas like movement and loud noises. Reception: Copy- clap some rhythms of phrases from the song Explore high and low pitch in the context of the song.	Introducing Tempo and dynamics Duration and rests: minims, crotchets and quavers Time signature: 4/4 and 3/4	Exploring feelings wthrough music Duration and rests: minims, crotchets and quavers Time signature: 4/4, 2/4	Composing using your imagination Duration and rests: Semibreve minims, dotted crotches, crotchets and quavers Time signature: 4/4, 2/4, 12/8, 3/4	Developing pulse and groove through improvisation Duration and rests: minims, dotted crotches, crotchets, quavers and semiquavers Time signature: 4/4, 2/4, 3/4	Exploring key and time signature Duration and rests: minims, dotted minims, dotted crotches, crotchets, quavers, dotted quavers, semiquavers Time signature: 2/4, 4/4, 6/8, 3/4	• Exploring key and time signature Duration and rests: minims, dotted crotches, crotchets, quavers, dotted quavers, semiquavers Time signature: 2/4, 4/4, ¾,