

Year 1	Subject - Music	
Autumn 1	Spring 1	Summer 1
Singing - linked to Magical Me topic	Un-tuned percussion – linked to topic 'artic adventures'	Singing - linked to topic 'minibeasts
focus - character and body songs	Focus - creating sound effects linked to texts	Focus - action songs
Take part in singing, accurately following the melody.	Follow instructions on how and when to play an instrument.	 Take part in singing, accurately following the melody.
Follow instructions on how and when to sing.	Make and control long and short sounds, using instruments.	Follow instructions on how and when to sing.
Make and control long and short sounds, using voice.	Imitate changes in pitch.	Make and control long and short sounds, using voice.
Imitate changes in pitch.	Create a sequence of long and short sounds.	Imitate changes in pitch.
	 Create a mixture of different sounds (long and short, loud and quiet, high and low). 	
	Choose sounds to create an effect.	
	Sequence sounds to create an overall effect.	
Autumn 2	Spring 2	Summer 2
Music appreciation - linked to 'Into the woods' topic Focus - listening to music to create a setting/ mood (saint saens carnival of the animals)	Rhythm – Linked to the topic 'castles' Focus - marching rhythms/ keeping to the beat • Clap rhythms.	Composition - linked to topic 'seaside' Focus - creating sound effects and mood music
Identify the beat of a tune.	Create short, musical patterns.	Choose sounds to create an effect.
Recognise changes in timbre, dynamics and pitch	Create short, rhythmic phrases.	Sequence sounds to create an overall effect.
Clap rhythms.		Create short, musical patterns.
Choose sounds to create an effect.		Create short, rhythmic phrases.
		 Follow instructions on how and when to sing or play an instrument.



Year 2	Subject - Music	
Autumn 1	Spring 1	Summer 1
Singing - linked to the topic 'traditional tales	Composition and introduction to graphic scores - Linked to the topic 'we are Britain' (listen to music by British composers: Purcel,	Recorders/ penny whistles
Focus – traditional songs e.g. oranges and lemons, teddy bear's	Britten and Elgar)	• Follow instructions on how and when to play an instrument.
picnic, pop goes the weasel etc	Focus – Creating jingles/ simple national anthems	 Make and control long and short sounds, using instruments.
Take part in singing, accurately following the melody.	Sequence sounds to create an overall effect.	Imitate changes in pitch.
 Follow instructions on how and when to sing. 	Create short, musical patterns.	 Create a sequence of long and short sounds.
Make and control long and short sounds, using voice.	Create short, rhythmic phrases.	Create a mixture of different sounds (long and short, loud and
Imitate changes in pitch.Clap rhythms.	 Use symbols to represent a composition and use them to help with a performance. 	quiet, high and low).
Autumn 2	Spring 2	Summer 2
Composition and introduction to graphic scores — linked to the topic 'Fire Fire'	Recorders/ penny whistles	Recorders/ penny whistles
Focus – creating musical atmosphere to accompany a text	Follow instructions on how and when to play an instrument.	Focus – performance shared with whole school and community
• Sequence sounds to create an overall effect.	Make and control long and short sounds, using instruments.	Follow instructions on how and when to play an instrument.
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Create short, musical patterns.	Imitate changes in pitch.	Make and control long and short sounds, using instruments.
 Create short, musical patterns. Create short, rhythmic phrases. 	 • Imitate changes in pitch. • Create a sequence of long and short sounds. 	Make and control long and short sounds, using instruments.Imitate changes in pitch.



Year 3	Subject - Music	
Autumn 1	Spring 1	Summer 1
Recorders/ penny whistles	Recorders/ penny whistles Focus – performance shared with whole school and community	Musical appreciation – linked to music from around the country (Life in Leeds topic) Listen to music from
 Follow instructions on how and when to play an instrument. Make and control long and short sounds, using instruments. 	Follow instructions on how and when to play an instrument.	Focus – discussion, evaluation through graphic interpretation
Imitate changes in pitch.	Make and control long and short sounds, using instruments.	 Use the terms: duration, timbre, pitch, beat, tempo, texture and use of silence to describe music.
Create a sequence of long and short sounds.	Imitate changes in pitch.Create a sequence of long and short sounds.	 Evaluate music using musical vocabulary to identify areas of likes and dislikes.
 Create a mixture of different sounds (long and short, loud and quiet, high and low). 	 Create a mixture of different sounds (long and short, loud and quiet, high and low). 	 Understand layers of sounds and discuss their effect on mood and feelings.
Recognise the notes EGBDF and FACE on the musical stave.	 Recognise the notes EGBDF and FACE on the musical stave. 	Devise non-standard symbols to indicate when to play and rest.
 Recognise the symbols for a minim, crotchet and semibreve and say how many beats they represent. 	 Recognise the symbols for a minim, crotchet and semibreve and say how many beats they represent. 	
Autumn 2	Spring 2	Summer 2
Recorders/ penny whistles	Singing - linked to LKS2 production	Compositions – linked to the topic 'Life in Leeds'
• Follow instructions on how and when to play an instrument.	Focus – songs linked to the theme	Focus - Dance music – (Dance ejay - software/ app)
Make and control long and short sounds, using instruments.	Sing from memory with accurate pitch.	Compose and perform melodic songs.
Imitate changes in pitch.	• Sing in tune.	Use sound to create abstract effects.
	Maintain a simple part within a group.	Create repeated patterns with a range of instruments.
	Pronounce words within a song clearly.	Create accompaniments for tunes.
	Show control of voice.	Use drones as accompaniments.
	Perform with control and awareness of others.	Choose, order, combine and control sounds to create an effect.
		Use digital technologies to compose pieces of music.



Subject - Music	
Spring 1	Summer 1
Violins (Art forms visiting specialist teaching)	Violins (Art forms visiting specialist teaching)
Focus: introduce use of bow and correct bow hold	Focus: introduce 1 st finger position
Perform with control and awareness of others.	Perform with control and awareness of others.
Play notes on an instrument with care so that they are clear.	Play notes on an instrument with care so that they are clear.
Recognise the notes EGBDF and FACE on the musical stave.	Recognise the notes EGBDF and FACE on the musical stave.
Recognise the symbols for a minim, crotchet and semibreve and say how many beats they represent.	Recognise the symbols for a minim, crotchet and semibreve and say how many beats they represent.
Spring 2	Summer 2
Violins (Art forms visiting specialist teaching)	Violins (Art forms visiting specialist teaching)
Focus: use of bow and correct bow hold	Focus: External Performance
Perform with control and awareness of others.	Perform with control and awareness of others.
 Play notes on an instrument with care so that they are clear. 	Play notes on an instrument with care so that they are clear.
 Recognise the notes EGBDF and FACE on the musical stave. 	 Recognise the notes EGBDF and FACE on the musical stave.
Recognise the symbols for a minim, crotchet and semibreve and	Recognise the symbols for a minim, crotchet and semibreve and
say how many beats they represent.	say how many beats they represent.
	Violins (Art forms visiting specialist teaching) Focus: introduce use of bow and correct bow hold Perform with control and awareness of others. Play notes on an instrument with care so that they are clear. Recognise the notes EGBDF and FACE on the musical stave. Recognise the symbols for a minim, crotchet and semibreve and say how many beats they represent. Spring 2 Violins (Art forms visiting specialist teaching) Focus: use of bow and correct bow hold Perform with control and awareness of others. Play notes on an instrument with care so that they are clear. Recognise the notes EGBDF and FACE on the musical stave.



Year 5	Subject - Music	
Autumn 1	Spring 1	Summer 1
Simple Notation	Music Appreciation	Singing
Focus: The evolution of music linked to Stone Age	Focus: The Planets 'Gustav Holst' link to Space	Focus - singing for pleasure and performance
Use the standard musical notation of crotchet, minim and semibreve to indicate how many beats to play.	 Choose from a wide range of musical vocabulary to accurately describe and appraise music including: 	Sing or play from memory with confidence.Perform solos or as part of an ensemble.
• Read and create notes on the musical stave.	• pitch	 Sing or play expressively and in tune.
 Understand the purpose of the treble and bass clefs and use them in transcribing compositions. Choose from a wide range of musical vocabulary to accurately describe and appraise music including: pitch dynamics tempo timbre texture 	 dynamics tempo timbre texture melody sense of occasion expressive solo 	 Hold a part within a round. Sing a harmony part confidently and accurately. Sustain a drone or a melodic ostinato to accompany singing. Perform with controlled breathing (voice) and skillful playing (instrument).
Autumn 2	 accompaniments cyclic patterns combination of musical elements Spring 2	Summer 2
Composition	Composition	Music appreciation and use of tuned instrument
 Composition Focus: Create a class album Create songs with verses and a chorus. Create rhythmic patterns with an awareness of timbre and duration. Combine a variety of musical devices, including melody, rhythm 	 Focus: Tribal Music linked to Mayans Perform with controlled and skillful playing (instrument). Choose from a wide range of musical vocabulary to accurately describe and appraise music including: 	Focus – Ethnic music linked to rainforests • Describe how lyrics often reflect the cultural context of music and have social meaning.
 Combine a variety of musical devices, including melody, mythin and chords. Thoughtfully select elements for a piece in order to gain a defined effect. Use digital technologies to compose, edit and refine pieces of music. 	pitchdynamicstempotimbre	 Choose from a wide range of musical vocabulary to accurately describe and appraise music including: lyrics and melody sense of occasion



cultural context.
Create rhythmic patterns with an awareness of timbre and duration.
Combine a variety of musical devices, including melody, rhythm and chords.
Thoughtfully select elements for a piece in order to gain a defined effect.
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cyclic patterns
combination of musical elements
cultural context.
Use the standard musical notation of crotchet, minim and semibreve to indicate how many beats to play.
Read and create notes on the musical stave.



Year 6	Subject - Music	
Autumn 1	Spring 1	Summer 1
Music appreciation and music notation	Composition using untuned instruments	Composition using tuned instruments
Focus Gregorian chants - Kirkstall Abbey topic	Focus Music for effect linked to WW2	Focus 20 th century 'modern music' (Philip Glass)
-Use the standard musical notation of crotchet, minim and semibreve to indicate how many beats to play.	 Create rhythmic patterns with an awareness of timbre and duration. 	Create songs with verses and a chorus.Create rhythmic patterns with an awareness of timbre and
Read and create notes on the musical stave.	Combine a variety of musical devices, including rhythm	duration.
• Understand the purpose of the treble and bass clefs and use them in transcribing compositions.	• Thoughtfully select elements for a piece in order to gain a defined effect.	 Combine a variety of musical devices, including melody, rhythm and chords.
 Understand and use the # (sharp) and b (flat) symbols. Use and understand simple time signatures. 	Use drones and melodic ostinati (based on the pentatonic scale).	• Thoughtfully select elements for a piece in order to gain a defined effect.
 Ose and understand simple time signatures. Choose from a wide range of musical vocabulary to accurately 	 Sing or play from memory with confidence. 	Use drones and melodic ostinati
describe and appraise music including:	 Perform with controlled breathing (voice) and skillful playing 	Convey the relationship between the lyrics and the melody.
• pitch	(instrument).	Use digital technologies to compose, edit and refine pieces of
• dynamics		music.
• tempo		
• timbre		
• texture		
lyrics and melody		
• sense of occasion		
• harmonies		
accompaniments		
• drones		
• cyclic patterns		
 combination of musical elements 		
• cultural context.		
 Describe how lyrics often reflect the cultural context of music and have social meaning. 		
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Music appreciation and music notation Focus Gregorian chants - Kirkstall Abbey topic

- -Use the standard musical notation of crotchet, minim and semibreve to indicate how many beats to play.
- Read and create notes on the musical stave.
- Understand the purpose of the treble and bass clefs and use them in transcribing compositions.
- Understand and use the # (sharp) and b (flat) symbols.
- Use and understand simple time signatures.
- Choose from a wide range of musical vocabulary to accurately describe and appraise music including:
- pitch
- dynamics
- tempo
- timbre
- texture
- lyrics and melody
- sense of occasion
- harmonies
- accompaniments
- drones
- cyclic patterns
- combination of musical elements
- cultural context.
- Describe how lyrics often reflect the cultural context of music and have social meaning.

Singing

Focus singing songs from the war time era including French and German folk songs

- Sing or play from memory with confidence.
- Perform solos or as part of an ensemble.
- Sing or play expressively and in tune.
- Hold a part within a round.
- Sing a harmony part confidently and accurately.
- Perform with controlled breathing (voice)

Singing

Focus: practising and performing songs for the leavers concert

- Sing or play from memory with confidence.
- Perform solos or as part of an ensemble.
- Sing or play expressively and in tune.
- Sing a harmony part confidently and accurately.
- Sustain a drone or a melodic ostinato to accompany singing.
- Perform with controlled breathing (voice)