Music Skills Progression Map



Music skill	EYFS	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Musicianship - Understanding music and improvisation	Clap simple patterns in time with others. Begin to create own patterns based on clapping patterns.	Use body percussion, instruments and voices. Find and keep a steady beat together. Begin to move in time with a steady beat/pulse. Copy back simple long and short rhythms with clapping. Copy back singing simple high and low patterns. Start to know and demonstrate the difference between pulse, rhythm and pitch.	Use body percussion, instruments and voices. Move in time and keep a steady beat together. Create their own rhythmic and melodic patterns. Continue to copy back simple rhythmic patterns using long and short. Continue to copy back simple melodic patterns using high and low. Understand the difference between creating a rhythm pattern and a pitch pattern. Sing	.Use body percussion, instruments and voices. Explore the time signatures of 2/4, 3/4 and 4/4. Internalise, keep and move in time with a steady beat in 4/4, 3/4 and 2/4 time. Find and keep a steady beat. Listen and copy more complex rhythmic patterns by ear or from notation. Copy back more complex melodic patterns. Copy back and improvise with rhythmic	.Explore improvisation within major and minor scales, using the notes: C, D, E D, E, A F, G, A D, F, G Explore and begin to create personal musical ideas using the given notes for the unit. Understand that improvisation is about the children making up their own very simple tunes on the spot. Follow a steady beat and stay 'in time'. Improvise simple vocal patterns using 'question and answer'	Use body percussion, instruments and voices. Explore the time signatures of 2/4, 3/4, 4/4, 5/4 and 6/8. Find and keep a steady beat. Listen and copy rhythmic patterns made of dotted minims, minims, dotted crotchets, crotchets, dotted quavers, triplet quavers, semiquavers and their rests, by ear or from notation. Copy back melodic patterns using	Use body percussion, instruments and voices. Explore the time signatures of 2/4, 3/4, 4/4, 5/4 and 6/8. Find and keep a steady beat. Listen and copy rhythmic patterns made of minims, dotted crotchets, crotchets, crotchets, dotted quavers, triplet quavers, semiquavers and their rests, by ear or from notation. Copy back melodic patterns using the notes: D, E,

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	short phrases	patterns using	phrases.	the notes: C, D, E	
	independently. Continue to	minims,	Understand the difference	C, D, E, F, G, A, B	G, A, B G, A, B, C,
		crotchets,		D, E, F♯, G, A A,	D, E, F♯ D, E, F♯,
	learn to watch	quavers and	between	B, C, D, E, F♯, G F,	
	and follow	their equivalent	creating a	G, A, B♭, C, D, E	C, D, E, F, G
	Begin to	rests. Copy back	rhythm pattern	G, A, B, C, D, E,	Listen and copy
	understand that	and improvise	and a pitch	F♯ Find and keep	p rhythmic
	the speed of the	simple rhythmic	pattern.	a steady beat. Listen and copy	patterns made
	beat can change,	patterns using			of minims,
	creating a faster	semibreves,		rhythmic	dotted
	or slower pace	minims, dotted		patterns made	crotchets,
	(tempo). Play	crotchets,		of dotted	crotchets,
	copy-back	crotchets,		minims, minims,	dotted quavers,
	rhythms, copy a	quavers and		dotted	triplet
	leader, and	their rests		crotchets,	quavers,
	invent rhythms	Copy back and		crotchets,	quavers,
	for others to	improvise simple		dotted quavers,	semiquavers and
	copy on untuned	melodic patterns		triplet quavers,	their
	and tuned	using the notes:		quavers,	rests, by ear or
	percussion.	C, D, E G, A, B F,		semiquavers and	from
	Create rhythms	G, A A, B, C		their rests, by	notation.
	using word	Understand the		ear or from	
	phrases as a	beginnings of		notation. Copy	
	starting point.	formal notation,		back various	
	Recognise long	linking sounds to		melodic	
	and short	symbols, and		patterns.	
	sounds, and	understand that			
	match them to	music has its			
	syllables a	own language.			
		Start learning			
		about basic			
		music theory: ●			
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				Introduce and understand the differences between crotchets and paired quavers. • Play and sing in the time signatures of 2/4, 3/4 and 4/4. • Create rhythms using word phrases as a starting point. • Identify the names of some pitched notes on a stave. • Identify if a song is major or minor in tonality.			
Listening - Listen and respond	Listen attentively and respond to what they have heard. Comment about what they have heard.	Move, dance and respond in any way they can when listening. Describe their thoughts and feelings when listening to the	Find and try to keep a steady beat. Invent different actions to move in time with the music. Move, dance and respond with	Talk about the style of the music. Share their thoughts and feelings about the music together. Find the beat or	Talk about the words of the song. Think about why the song or piece of music was written. Find and demonstrate the	Talk about feelings created by the music. Justify a personal opinion with reference to the musical elements. Find	Talk about feelings created by the music. Justify a personal opinion with reference to the musical elements.

music, including Explain why they like or similarities and don't like the differences in music. Talk sounds that are about any heard. instruments they might hear and perhaps identify them. Recognise some band and orchestral instruments. Identify a fast or slow tempo. Identify loud and quiet sounds as an introduction to understanding dynamics. Talk about any other music they have heard that is similar. Begin to understand where the music fits in the world. Begin to understand different styles of music.

their bodies in any way they can. Describe their thoughts and feelings when hearing the music. Describe what they see in their individual imaginations when listening to the piece of music. Talk about why they like or don't like the music. Talk about any other music they have heard that is similar. Identify a fast or slow tempo. Mark the beat of a listening piece by tapping or clapping, and recognise tempo as well as changes in tempo. Identify loud and quiet

groove of the music. Invent different actions to move in time with the music. Talk about what the song or piece of music means. Talk about the style of the music. Identify and describe their feelings when Recognise that some instruments are band instruments and some are orchestral instruments. Identify specific instruments if they can. Talk about where the music fits into the world. Think about and discuss why the song or piece of music was

steady beat. Identify 2/4, 3/4, and 4/4 metre. Identify the tempo as fast, slow or steady. Discuss the structures of songs. Explain what a main theme is and identify when it is repeated. Identify: • Call and response • A solo vocal/instrument al line and the rest of the ensemble • A change in texture - The articulation of certain words • Programme music Know and understand what a musical introduction is and its purpose. Recall by ear

and demonstrate the steady beat. Identify 2/4, 3/4, 4/4, 6/8 and 5/4 metre. Identify instruments by ear and through a range of media. Discuss the structure of the music with reference to the verses, bridge, repeat signs, chorus and final chorus, improvisation, call and response, and AB form. Explain a bridge passage and its position in a song. Recall by ear memorable phrases heard in the music. Explain the role of a main theme in musical structure

Identify 2/4, 3/4, 4/4. 6/8 and 5/4 metre. Identify the following instruments by ear and through a range of media: bass guitar; electric guitar; percussion; sections of the orchestra such as brass. woodwind and strings; electric organ; congas; piano and synthesisers; and vocal techniques such as scat singing. Identify the sound of a Gospel choir and soloist, a Rock band, a symphony orchestra and A cappella groups. Discuss the structure of the music with

sounds as an introduction to understanding dynamics. Walk in time to the beat of a piece of music. Describe differences in tempo and dynamics with more confidence. Recognise some band and orchestral instruments. Continue to talk about where music might fit into the world. Begin to understand that there are different styles of music. Discuss the style(s) of the music. Discuss what the song or piece of music might be about.

written and what it might mean. Discuss the style of the music and any other music they havehearing the music, including why they like or don't like the music. Use appropriate musical language to describe and discuss the music. Start to use musical concepts and elements more confidently when talking about the music.

memorable phrases heard in the music. Identify major and minor tonalities. Recognise the sound and notes of the pentatonic scale by ear and from notation. Describe legato and staccato. Recognise the style of music they are listening to. Recognise the following styles and any important musical features that distinguish each style: 20th and 21st Century Orchestral, Reggae, Soul, R&B, Pop, Folk, Jazz, Disco, Musicals. Classical, Rock,

Understand what a musical introduction is and know its purpose. Explain rapping. Identify major and minor tonalities. Recognise the sound and notes of the pentatonic and Blues scales, by ear and from notation. Identify the musical style of a song or piece of music. Recognise the following styles and any key musical features that distinguish each style: 20th and 21st Century Orchestral, Gospel, Pop. Minimalism, Rock 'n' Roll, South African Pop, Jazz:

reference to the verse, chorus, bridge and instrumental break. Explain a bridge passage and its position in a song. Recall by ear memorable phrases heard in the music. Explain the role of a main theme in musical structure. Understand what a musical introduction and outro are and know their purpose. Identify major and minor tonalities and chord triads. Identify the musical style of a song, using some musical vocabulary to discuss its musical

					Gospel, Romantic, Choral, Funk and Electronic Dance Music.	Contemporary, Reggae, Film Music, Hip Hop, Funk, Romantic and Musicals	elements. Recognise the following styles and any key musical features that distinguish the style: 20th and 21st Century Orchestral, Soul, Pop, Hip Hop, Jazz: Swing, Rock, Disco, Romantic, Zimbabwean Pop, R&B, Folk, Gospel, Salsa, Reggae, Musicals and Film Music
Singing - learning to sing a song	Sing and clap in time to the music. Sing and clap in a group. Perform actions to well known songs. Show good	Sing, rap or rhyme as part of a choir/group. Begin to demonstrate good singing posture — standing up straight with relaxed shoulders. Sing unit songs from	Sing as part of a choir. Have a go at singing a solo. Demonstrate good singing posture. Sing songs from memory. Sing with more pitch accuracy. Understand and follow the leader	Sing as part of a choir and in unison. Have a go at singing a solo. Demonstrate good singing posture. Sing the unit songs from memory. Sing with attention to clear diction.	Sing as part of a choir with awareness of size: the larger the choir, the thicker and richer the musical texture. Rehearse and learn songs from memory and/or with notation.	Sing in unison and parts, and as part of a smaller group. Sing a second part in a song. Rehearse and learn songs from memory and/or with notation. Sing in 2/4, 3/4, 4/4, 5/4 and 6/8	Rehearse and learn songs from memory and/or with notation. Sing a broad range of songs as part of a choir, including those that involve syncopated rhythms, with a good sense of

							in the various styles of song visited throughout this year. Discuss with one another how connected they are to the music and songs, and how the songs and styles are connected to the world.
Playing	Hold	Rehearse and	Rehearse and	Rehearse and	Rehearse and	Rehearse and	Rehearse and
instruments -	instruments and	learn to play a	learn to play a	learn to play a	learn to play a	learn to play one	learn to play one
Playing to a song	beaters correctly	simple melodic	simple melodic	simple melodic	simple melodic	of four	of four
	to show control	instrumental	instrumental	instrumental	instrumental	differentiated	differentiated
	over them.	part by ear. Play	part by ear. Play	part, by ear or	part, by ear or	instrumental	instrumental
	lles a manage of	a part on a tuned	a part on a tuned	from notation, in	from notation, in	parts, by ear or	parts, by ear or
	Use a range of tools such as	or untuned instrument by	or untuned instrument by	C major, F major, G major and E	C major, F major, G major, D major	from notation, in the tonal centres	from notation, in the tonal centres
	beaters	ear. Learn to	ear (either Part	major. Develop	and D minor.	of C major, F	of C major, F
	effectively.	treat	1, Part 2 or the	facility in playing	Rehearse and	major, G major,	major, G major,
		instruments	optional Easy	tuned	perform their	Eb major, C	D major, E
	Play simple	carefully and	Part). Rehearse	percussion or a	parts within the	minor and D	major, A major,
	patterns with	with respect.	and perform	melodic	context of the	minor. Play a	Eb major, D
	the guidance of	Rehearse and	their parts	instrument, such	unit song. Treat	part on a tuned	minor and F
	an adult and	perform their	within the	as the violin or	instruments	instrument, by	minor. Play a
	begin to repeat	parts within the	context of the	recorder. Play a	carefully and	ear or from	melody,

	from memory.	context of the	unit song. Learn	part on a tuned	with respect.	notation. Treat	following staff
		unit song. Learn	to treat	instrument by	Play the right	instruments	notation written
		to play together	instruments	ear or from	notes with	carefully and	on one stave and
		with everybody	carefully and	notation. Play	secure rhythms.	with respect.	using notes
		while keeping in	with respect.	the instrumental	Play together as	Play the right	within an octave
		time with a	Play together as	part they are	a group while	notes with	range; make
		steady beat.	a group while	comfortable	keeping the	secure rhythms.	decisions about
		Perform short,	keeping in time	with and swap	beat. Listen to	Rehearse and	dynamic range,
		repeating	with a steady	when	and follow	perform their	including very
		rhythm patterns	beat. Perform	appropriate.	musical	parts within the	loud (fortissimo),
		(ostinati or riffs)	short, repeating	Treat	instructions from	context of the	very quiet
		while keeping in	rhythm patterns	instruments	a leader. Play	unit song. Play	(pianissimo),
		time with a s	(ostinati or riffs)	carefully and	their	together as a	moderately loud
			while keeping in	with respect.	instruments with	group while	(mezzo forte)
			time with a	Play the right	good posture	keeping the	and moderately
			steady beat.	notes with	and technique.	beat. Listen to	quiet (mezzo
				secure rhythms.		and follow	piano). Play a
				Play together as		musical	part on a tuned
				a group while		instructions from	instrument, by
				keeping the		a leader. Play	ear or from
				beat. Listen to		their	notation. Treat
				and follow		instruments with	instruments
				musical		good posture.	carefully and
				instructions from		Begin to	with respect.
				a leader. Play		understand how	Play the right
				their		to rehearse a	notes with
				instruments with		piece of music in	secure rhythms.
				good posture		order to	Rehearse and
				and technique.		improve.	perform their
							parts within the
							context of the
							unit song. Play
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							together with everybody while keeping the beat. Listen to and follow musical instructions from a leader. Play their instruments with good posture. Understand how to rehearse a piece of music in order to improve. Play a more complex part.
Creating/ Improvising - Improvise with the song	Begin to explore patterns using a basic pentatonic scale in C major. Explore words that can be sung in time with a melody. Create own beats and patterns using	Explore improvisation within a major and minor scale, using the notes: C, D, E D, E, A F, G, A D, F, G Explore and begin to create personal musical ideas using the given notes for the unit.	Explore improvisation within a major scale, using the notes: C, D, E C, G, A G, A, B F, G, A Begin to create personal musical ideas using the given notes. Understand that improvisation is about the	Explore improvisation within a major scale, using the notes: C, D, E C, D, E, F, G C, D, E, G, A G, A, B G, A, B, D, E G, A, B, C, D F, G, A F, G, A, C, D Structure musical ideas (eg using echo or 'question and	Explore improvisation within a major scale, using the notes: C, D, E C, D, E, G, A C, D, E, F, G D, E, F# D, E, F#, A, B Explore improvisation within a major scale, using more notes. Improvise using	Explore improvisation within a major and minor scale, using the following notes: C, D, Eb, F, G C, D, E, F, G C, D, E, F, G, A, Bb, C D, E, F, G, A Improvise over a simple groove, responding to	Explore improvisation within a major scale, using the notes: C, D, E, F, G G, A, Bb, C, D G, A, B, C, D F, G, A, C, D Improvise over a groove, responding to the beat, creating a satisfying

simple	Understand that	children making	answer' phrases)	a limited range	the beat and	melodic shape
instruments and	improvisation is	up their own	to create music	of pitches on the	creating a	with varied
body percussion.	about the	very simple	that has a	instruments they	satisfying	dynamics and
	children making	tunes on the	beginning,	are learning,	melodic shape.	articulation.
	up their own	spot. Follow a	middle and end.	making use of	Experiment with	Follow a steady
	very simple	steady beat and	When	musical features,	using a wider	beat and stay 'in
	tunes on the	stay 'in time'.	improvising,	including smooth	range of	time'. Become
	spot. Follow a	Work with	follow a steady	(legato) and	dynamics,	more skilled in
	steady beat and	partners and in	beat and stay 'in	detached	including very	improvising,
	stay 'in time'.	the class to	time'. Become	(staccato)	loud (fortissimo),	perhaps trying
	Improvise simple	improvise simple	more skilled in	articulation.	very quiet	more notes and
	vocal patterns	'question and	improvising;	Improvise over a	(pianissimo),	rhythms. Include
	using 'question	answer' phrases,	perhaps try	simple chord	moderately loud	rests or silent
	and answer'	to be sung and	more notes and	progression	(mezzo forte)	beats. Think
	phrases.	played on	rhythms,	/groove.	and moderately	about creating
	Understand the	untuned	including rests or		quiet (mezzo	music with
	difference	percussion,	silent beats.		piano). Follow a	'phrases' made
	between	creating a	Think about		steady beat and	up of notes,
	creating a	musical	creating music		stay 'in time'.	rather than just
	rhythm pattern	conversation.	with 'phrases'		Become more	lots of notes
	and a pitch		made up of		skilled in	played one after
	pattern.		notes, rather		improvising;	the other.
			than simply lots		perhaps try	Challenge
			of notes played		more notes and	themselves to
			one after the		rhythms.	play for longer
			other.		Become more	periods, both as
					skilled in	soloists and in
					improvising;	response to
					perhaps try to	others in a
					use melodic	group.
					jumps (intervals)	
					that might get	

						higher and lower. Explore rhythm patterns created from quavers, crotchets, semiquavers, minims and their rests. Include rests or silent beats. Think about creating music with 'phrases' made up of notes, rather than just lots of notes played one after the other. Include smooth (legato) and detached (staccato) articulation when playing notes.	
Creating/Compo sing - Create with a song, Graphic score,	Begin to use symbols and marks to symbolise what	Begin to understand that composing is like writing a story	Continue to understand that composing is like writing a story	Create a simple melody using crotchets, minims and	Create a melody using crotchets, minims, quavers and their rests.	Create a melody using crotchets, quavers and minims, and	Create a melody using crotchets, quavers and minims, and

compost a theme	and when to play. Begin on a chosen note and finish on the same note to achieve a full circle effect.	with music. Explore sounds and create their own melody. Perform their simple composition/s using two, three, four or five notes. Use simple notation if appropriate: ● Create a simple melody using crotchets and minims. C, D C, D, E C, D, E, F C, D, E, F, G Start and end on the note C. F, G F, G, A, C, D Start and end on the note F. D, F D, F, G D, F, G, A D, F, G, A, C Start and end on the note D. Begin to explore and create using	with music. Perform their simple composition/s using two, three, four or five notes. Start their tune/s on note one and end it on note one. Use simple notation if appropriate: ● Create a simple melody using crotchets and minims. C, D C, D, E C, D, E, F C, D, E, F, G Start and end on the note C (C major). G, A G, A, B, D, E Start and end on the note G (pentatonic on G). F, G F, G, A, C, D Start and end on the note F (pentatonic on	perhaps paired quavers: C, D C, D, E C, D, E, G C, D, E, G C, D, E, G, A Start and end on the note C (pentatonic on C). C, D C, D, E, F, G Start and end on the note C (C major). F, G F, G, A F, G, A, B♭ F, G, A, B♭, C Start and end on the note F (F major). G, A G, A, B, D, E Start and end on the note G (pentatonic on G). Successfully create a melody in keeping with the style of the backing track. This could include: ● Composing over a simple chord	Use a pentatonic scale: C, D C, D, E C, D, E, G C, D, E, G, A Start and end on the note C (pentatonic on C). C, D C, D, E C, D, E, F C, C, D, E, F C, C, E, F C, C, E, F C, C, E, F C, C, C, E, F C, C, C, E, F C,	perhaps semibreves and semiquavers, plus all equivalent rests. Use a pentatonic and a full scale. Use major and minor tonality: F, G F, G, A F, G, A, Bb F, G, A, Bb, C Start and end on the note F (F major). G, A G, A, B, C, D Start and end on the note G (G major). G, A G, A, B G, A, B, D G, A, B, D, E Start and end on the note G (pentatonic on G). Understand how chord triads are formed and play them on tuned percussion,	perhaps semibreves and semiquavers, plus all equivalent rests. Use a pentatonic and a full scale. Use major and minor tonality: C, D C, D, E C, D, E, F C, D, E, F, G Start and end on the note C (C major). G, A G, A, B G, A, B, D G, A, B, D, E Start and end on the note G (pentatonic on G). G, Bb, C, D G, Bb, C, D, F Start and end on the note G (minor pentatonic on G). D, E D, E, F D, E, F, G D, E, F, G, A Start and end on the note D (D
		explore and	on the note F	Composing over	the style of the	tuned	Start and end on

sound effects and short sequences of sounds in response to music and video stimuli. • Use graphic symbols, dot notation and stick notation, as appropriate, to keep a record of composed pieces. • Create a story, choosing and playing classroom instruments. • Create and perform your own rhythm patterns with stick notation. including crotchets, quavers and minims. • Use music technology, if available, to capture, change

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a simple groove Composing over a drone. Include a home note, to give a sense of an ending; coming home. Perform their simple composition/s, using their own choice of notes. Give the melody a shape. Describe how their melodies were created. Start to use simple structures within compositions, eg introduction. verse and chorus or AB form. Use simple dynamics. Create a tempo instruction. Compose song accompaniments on tuned and untuned percussion, using Composing over keyboards. a simple chord Perform simple. progression • chordal accompaniments Composing over a simple groove . Create a Composing melody using over a drone. crotchets, Include a home quavers and note to give a minims, and sense of an perhaps ending; coming semibreves and home. Use music semiquavers, technology, if plus all available, to equivalent rests. capture, change Use a pentatonic and combine and a full scale, sounds. as well as major Start to use and minor simple tonalities. structures within Understand the compositions, eg structure of the introduction, composition. Explain its verse and chorus or AB form. Use musical shape, identifying simple dynamics. melodic intervals Create a tempo instruction. (a melody that leaps) and Compose song accompaniments melodic steps (a melody that on tuned and untuned moves to the percussion, using next note)

A, Bb, C Start and end on the note F (F major). F, G F, G, A F, G, A, C F, G, A, C, D Start and end on the note F (pentatonic on F). Plan and compose an eight or 16-beat melodic phrase using a pentatonic scale, eg 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. Either of these melodies can be enhanced with rhythmic or simple chordal

and combine	and combine	known rhythms	known rhythms	Include a home	accompaniment.
sounds.	sounds.	and note values.	and note values.	note to give a	Create a simple
		Use simple	Create a melody	sense of an	chord
		rhythmic	using crotchets,	ending; coming	progression.
		combinations of	minims, quavers	home. Perform	Compose a
		minims,	and their rests.	their simple	ternary (ABA
		crotchets and	Use a pentatonic	composition/s,	form) piece. Use
		paired quavers	scale. Begin to	using their own	available music
		with their	understand the	choice of notes.	software/apps to
		corresponding	structure of the	Successfully	create and
		rests to create	composition.	create a melody	record it,
		rhythm patterns.	Explain its	in keeping with	discussing how
		Music Notepad	musical shape,	the style of the	musical
		Compose a	identifying	backing track.	contrasts are
		standalone piece	melodic intervals	Create their	achieved. Use
		of music which	(a melody that	composition/s	music
		includes: • A	leaps) and	with an	technology, if
		time signature ●	melodic steps (a	awareness of the	available, to
		A treble clef ●	melody that	basic chords in	capture, change
		Four or six bars	moves to the	the backing	and combine
		 The correct 	next note).	track. Music	sounds. Create
		notes for the	Perform their	Notepad	music in
		scale and key	simple	Compose a	response to
		signature ●	composition/s	standalone piece	music and video
		Rhythmic	using their own	of music which	stimuli. Start to
		combinations of	choice of notes.	includes: ● A	use and
		minims,	Music Notepad	time signature -	understand
		crotchets and	Compose a	A treble clef ●	structures within
		paired quavers,	standalone piece	Four, six or eight	compositions, eg
		with their	of music which	bars ● The	introductions,
		corresponding	includes: ● A	correct notes for	multiple verse
		rests ●	time signature ●	the scale and key	and chorus
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			Expression	A treble clef ●	signature ●	sections, AB
			/dynamics - A	Four or six bars	Rhythmic	form or ABA
			melody that	The correct	combinations of	form (ternary
			starts and ends	notes for the	semibreves,	form). Use
			on note one ● A	scale and key	minims,	rhythmic variety.
			description of	signature •	crotchets and	Compose song
			how their	Rhythmic	paired quavers,	accompaniments
			melodies were	combinations of	with their	, perhaps using
			created.	minims,	corresponding	basic chords.
				crotchets and	rests ●	Use a wider
				paired quavers,	Expression/dyna	range of
				with their	mics ●	dynamics,
				corresponding	Structured	including
				rests •	musical ideas (eg	fortissimo (very
				Expression/dyna	using echo or	loud), pianissimo
				mics - Structured	'question and	(very quiet),
				musical ideas (eg	answer' phrases)	mezzo forte
				using echo or	to create music	(moderately
				'question and	that has a	loud) and mezzo
				answer' phrases)	beginning,	piano
				to create music	middle and end	(moderately
				that has a	 A melody that 	quiet). Use a
				beginning,	starts and ends	pentatonic and a
				middle and end	on note one - A	full scale, as well
				A melody that	description of	as major and
				starts and ends	how their	minor tonalities.
				on note one ● A	melodies were	Create a melody
				description of	created.	using crotchets,
				how their		quavers and
				melodies were		minims, and
				created.		perhaps
						semibreves and

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home. Perform their simple composition/s using their ow	
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composition/s using their ow	m
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	es.
Successfully	
create a meloc	
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backing track	
and describe	
how their	
melodies were	
created. Creat	ite
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composition/s
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with an
awareness of the
basic chords in
the backing
track. Music
Notepad
Compose a
standalone piece
of music which
includes: ● A
time signature ●
A treble clef ●
Four, six, eight
or 12 bars ● The
correct notes for
the scale and key
signature ●
Rhythmic
combinations of
semibreves,
minims,
crotchets, paired
quavers,
semiquavers and
their rests ●
Expression/dyna
mics ●
Structured
musical ideas (eg
using echo or
'question and

							answer' phrases) to create music that has a beginning, middle and end. • A melody that starts and ends on note one. • A description of how their melodies were created.
Performing -	Perform	Rehearse a song	Rehearse a song	Plan, rehearse	Rehearse and	Create, rehearse	Create, rehearse
Perform the	together a s	and perform it to	and then	and perform for	enjoy the	and present a	and present a
song	group, knowing	an audience,	perform it to an	an audience a	opportunity to	holistic	holistic
	when to perform	explaining why	audience,	song that has	share what has	performance for	performance for
	and when not to.	the song was	explaining why	been learnt in	been learnt in	a specific	a specific event,
	_	chosen. Add	the song was	the lesson, from	the lessons.	purpose, for a	for an unfamiliar
	Perform in time	actions and	chosen. Add	memory or with	Perform, with	friendly but	audience, with a
	with other group	perhaps	actions to the	notation, and	confidence, a	unfamiliar	detailed
	members.	movement to	song. Show a	with confidence.	song from	audience.	understanding of
		the song.	simple	Explain why the	memory or using	Perhaps perform	the musical,
	Rehearse	Perform the	understanding of	song was	notation. Play	in smaller	cultural and
	performances	song from	the Musical	chosen. Show	and perform	groups, as well	historical
	and learn from	memory. Follow	Spotlight and	their	melodies	as with the	contexts.
	mistakes during	the leader or	Social Question,	understanding of	following staff	whole class.	Perform a range
	rehearsal.	conductor. Talk	and how they	the Musical	notation, using a	Perform a range	of songs as a
		about the	have influenced	Spotlight and	small range, as a	of repertoire	choir in school
	Follow	performance	the	Social Question,	whole class or in	pieces and	assemblies,
	instructions from	afterwards,	performance.	and how they	small groups.	arrangements,	school

a leader or expressing what Perform the have influenced Include combining performance conductor and was enjoyed and song from their instrumental acoustic opportunities what they think respond to visual memory. Follow performance. parts/improvisat instruments to and to a wider could have been Follow the clues. the leader or form mixed audience. orv sections/compos better. When conductor. leader or ensembles, Perform from including a planning, Continue to play conductor. Talk ed passages memory or with rehearsing, tuned and about the within the school orchestra. notation. Perform from introducing and untuned strengths of the rehearsal and Understand the performance, performance. value of performing the instruments memory or with musically within how they felt song: ● Explain why the notation, with choreographing any aspect of a Introduce the confidence and the and what they song was performance. performance. performance. would like to chosen, accuracy. Include Continue to use change. including its instrumental Understand the Begin to play tuned and the voice Introduce the composer and parts/improvisat importance of the historical untuned expressively and performance orv the performing creatively by with an sections/compos instruments and cultural space and how musically within singing simple understanding of context of the to use it. ed passages what the song is the songs. Continue within the Rehearse and song. performance. to play together about and Communicate rehearsal and lead parts of the Begin to use the as a group /band performance. performance, comment on any the meaning of voice /ensemble. Talk other relevant the words and individually or as Explain why the expressively and about the connections. articulate them song was a group. creatively by performance Include anv clearly. Record the chosen. afterwards: Reflect on the singing simple actions. including its performance saying what they and compare it songs. • Begin to instrumental performance composer and play together as enjoyed and parts/improvisat and how well it the historical to a previous a group /band what they think orv suited the and cultural one. Collect /ensemble. • could have been ideas/composed feedback from occasion. Discuss context of the Show their better. passages within and respond to song. A student the audience understanding of any feedback; and reflect on the rehearsal will lead part of the Musical consider how how the and in the the rehearsal Spotlight and performance. future perform and part of the audience

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	Social Question,		Reflect on		performance.	believed
	and how they		feelings about		Record the	in/supported the
	have influenced		sharing and		performance	performance.
	the		performing, eg		and compare it	Discuss how the
	performance.		excitement,		to a previous	performance
			nerves,		performance;	might change if
			enjoyment, etc.		explain how well	it were repeated
					the performance	in a
					communicated	larger/smaller
					the mood of	performance
					each piece.	space
					Discuss and talk	
					musically about	
					the strengths	
					and weaknesses	
					of a	
					performance.	
					Collect feedback	
					from the	
					audience and	
					reflect on how	
					future	
					performances	
					might be	
					different.	
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