

Music Year 9 Long term plan 2020/2021

Autumn Term 1 st Half	Autumn Term 2 nd Half
Unit 1 - Creative Composers -The Blues	Unit 2 – Keyboard Crazy - Accompaniment with chords
Learn about the history and theory of blues music. Compose a Blues Song.	Work through notation and theory exercises at own pace using keyboard scheme. Melodies included from many genres.
Classroom singing	
(History, Theory, Listening, Composition, Instrumental & Performance Skills	Classroom singing
	(Theory, Instrumental, Music History, Performance Skills)
Spring Term 1 st Half	Spring Term 2 nd Half
Unit 3 – The Beat Goes On - The Drum Kit - Rhythms and fills	Unit 4 – Radio Lessingham
Learn the different parts of a drum kit and learn to play some more complex beats on the drums.	Create a radio programme together with voice overs, interviews, music tracks. Try to incorporate a trip to a local radio station.
Classroom singing	Classroom singing
(Theory, Instrumental, Performance Skills)	(Music Technology, Sound Effect Production, Music Selection, Composition & Performance Skills)
Summer Term 1 st Half	Summer Term 2 nd Half
Unit 5 – Cover Band	Unit 6 – Creative Composers -Reggae Music
Create a cover version of a well-known song, use instruments or backing tracks etc. and record. Complete a band photo shoot and create a single cover.	Learn about the history and theory of reggae music. Compose or cover a Reggae song in a group and record.
Classroom singing	Classroom singing
(Music Technology, Vocal, Instrumental and Performance Skills)	(History, Theory, Composition, Music Technology, Vocal, Instrumental and Performance Skills)