



Subject overview 2024-25

Subject: Music

	EYFS	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Autumn 1	Please see EYFS Knowledge Content Document		Orchestral instruments	Ballads		Appraising Blues	
Autumn 2		Pulse and Rhythm All About Me	Production – Nativity	Developing singing technique The Vikings	Adapting and transposing motifs Romans	Performing – production for majority South and West Africa	Advanced rhythms
Spring 1		Pitch and Tempo Superheroes	Musical me	Pentatonic melodies and composition Chinese New Year	Body and tuned percussion Rainforests	Composition to represent the festival of colour (Theme: Holi festival)	Dynamics, pitch and texture Coast-Fingal’s cave by Mendelssohn
Spring 2		Musical Vocabulary Under the Sea	West African call & response song	Traditional instruments and improvisation India	Samba and Carnival Sounds and Instruments	Composing (incl notation) Composition notation (Theme: Ancient Egypt)	Theme and variations Pop Art
Summer 1		Timbre and rhythmic patterns Fairytails	Myths and legends	Jazz	Changes in pitch, tempo and dynamics Rivers		
Summer 2			On this island: British songs and sounds	Creating compositions in response to an animation Mountains			Composing and Performing a Leaver’s Song

