



Subject Overview: Music

Year	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Pre-school	Environment & Sounds	Christmas performance	Instrumental	Spring assembly	Body Percussion	
Reception	Exploring sound	Christmas performance		Spring assembly	Music and movement	
1	Keeping the pulse (Theme: My favourite things)	Christmas performance	Tempo (Theme: Snail and mouse)		Musical symbols (Theme: Under the sea)	
2	Call and response (Theme: Animals)	Christmas performance	Contrasting dynamics (Theme: Space)		Pitch (Theme: Musical me)	
3	Creating compositions in response to an animation (Theme: Mountains)	Christmas performance	Pentatonic melodies and composition (Theme: Chinese New Year)		Unit 1: South Africa (Instrumental lessons)	
4	Body and tuned percussion (Theme- Rainforests)	Christmas performance	Changes in pitch, tempo and dynamics (Theme- Rivers)		Adapting and transposing motifs (Theme: Romans)	
5	Composition notation (Theme: Ancient Egypt)	Christmas performance	Blues		Composition to represent the festival of colour (Theme: Holi festival)	
6	Brass	Brass Christmas performance	Brass	Brass	Brass	Brass Leavers' performance