Music

	Autumn	Spring	Summer
Year 7 Charanga	1. Learning about the musical elements:	1. Music and technology. Created composition Singing and listening based. Play, improvise and compose using a selection of notes (Creating our own compositions using a combination of live instruments with a DAW (Digital Audio Workstation). 2. Musical styles connect us To explore different styles of music from different social themes. - Let's rock - Simple gifts (Folk) - Pop music Singing and performing songs.	1. Samba project based on percussion. Origins of Samba Samba in context Samba instruments Fusion music Syncopated rhythms Polyrhythms 2. Building on knowledge of chords (triads – major/minor) Structure – how pop songs are constructed – verse, chorus. Knowledge of the ukulele/keyboard. Continue to reinforce knowledge of the musical elements.

	activities, classic vocal warm-ups. Create a choir with Christmas Carols where all classes are involved and perform in class or assembly before Christmas.		
Year 8	1. <u>Music and the Modern World.</u> How does music unite us?	1. What is a musical theme? Do We Need to Borrow from the Past to	1. <u>Stems, Loops, Lyrics and</u> <u>Melody.</u> How are Musical Styles
	Lyrics, hooks and structure.	Create New Musical Ideas?	Connected?
Charanga	What is the meaning of Black	They will create their own story	They will have the option to
	Lives matter?	inspired by the Film score track	create a piece of Electronic
	Learning about different social	they listen to and work with in	Dance Music (EDM) using
	backgrounds related to music.	YuStudio. They will write a musical	YuStudio, with a mix of existing
	Writing a song and performing	theme that represents something	stems and loops. They will
	it using voice and keyboard	or someone in their story. They	create a melody and lyrics and
	notepad online.	can use spoken word or rap, or	perhaps add instrumental lines.
		they can sing the story. They can	
	2. Improvisation, melody and	use instruments and additional	2. <u>Create Your Own Hit Song!</u>
	<u>chords</u> . How is Music an	vocals too.Sharing or performing	Who are the Musical
	Extension of Our Culture and	in class.	Changemakers?They will create
	Community?		their own hit song using
	To create their own piece of	2. <u>Melody that tells a story. How</u>	YuStudio. They will use all the

	music in a Jazz style. They will improvise, write melodies and lyrics and add chords.	can we tell stories from music? They will create a Folk melody and lyrics that tell a story. They will be asked to write a song that takes us on a journey; it should be a song full of emotion and with a message they decide upon. Sharing or performing in class.	knowledge and skills they have acquired during the year to make their own music and make their own musical decisions. They will learn about some inspirational artists that changed the world with their music and beliefs.
Year 9	Online music production and recording software 1	Online music production and recording software 2	Online music production and recording software 3
Developing the	1. <u>Rap beats project</u> :	1. <u>Pop project:</u>	1. <u>Afro beats project</u> :
curriculum	Learning the history of Rap and	Learning about Pop music and its	Learning about its history and
through the use	getting to know the most	influences.	influences.
of <u>Charanga,</u>	famous rappers and their music	An introduction to writing a Pop	Focusing on the use of melody
Bbc Bitesize for	influences.	track with a strong chord	and exploring new rhythms.
<u>music, Oak</u>	Producing a RAP track through	progression,	Producing an Afro beat track
<u>Academy</u> and	VIP studio session program	Producing a Pop track through a	through a VIP studio session
other useful		VIP studio session program.	program.
resources	2. <u>Music for dance. House</u>		
	<u>Project</u>	2. <u>Grime project:</u>	2. <u>Lofi Hip-Hop project:</u>
	An introduction to dance music	Introduction to electronic dance	Evolution and history of Lo-Fi
	and its social and historical	music and its history and	music.
	context	influence.	Focusing on the grooves and

Focusing on Sonics, mixdowns	Creative use of sound and	use of samples.
and functional music for the	working with Rap vocals too.	Produce in groups or in pairs of
dancefloor.	Producing in pairs a Grime track	Lo-Fi track through the VIP
Producing a dance track	through the VIP studio session	studio session program.
through the VIP studio session	programs.	
programs.		