Subject Yearly Overview 2023-2024						
Subject: Y10 Music	TOPIC	COMPONENT	Notes: Why are you delivering this topic at this time of year?			
Autumn 1	The music industry	BTEC Music Unit 1	This is the start of the course for the year 10s that have chosen this option. They will also take part in performance as it is a component of music they are familiar with.			
Autumn 2	Introduction to music performance	BTEC Music Unit 5	Students will use this half term to start unit 5 of their course, they will gain the skills necessary to perform in front of people, possibly for the school show they will put on later in the year.			
Spring 1	Introduction to music composition	BTEC Music Unit 4	The students particularly find it difficult to compose music from scratch – after a long break, pupils will have a fresh plenty time to grasp the techniques required for this unit.			
Spring 2	Introduction to music composition Introduction to music performance	BTEC Music Unit 4 Unit 5 Comp Knowledge - Using an ipad/imac - Navigating music software – garageband - Understanding of music elements; rhythm, texture, tempo, dynamics, timbre, melody, pitch, structure	Students will work on composition and performance simultaneously as they've both started			

Summer 1	Managing a music product (putting on a show)	BTEC Music Unit 2	The students will put on a show at the end of summer so they will start in summer 1 to give them ample time for preparation.
		 Skills Playing along to the music using relevant music performance, technical and rehearsal skills. Playing chords Playing melodies Reflect on music performance and come up with ways to improve 	
		Skills Performance Knowledge - The notes on an instrument - How to form a chord on an instrument -	
		 Skills Composing music using the music elements Playing chords within a chosen key Composing a melody using within the chosen key Using music techniques to compose a melody eg. repetition Composing a rhythm section stylistic to the chosen genre of music. 	

Summer 2	Managing a music product (putting on a show)	BTEC Music Unit 2	The students will use this term to prepare, put on and evaluate the show
			in line with unit 2.