

<u>Medlar - with - Wesham C of E Primary School</u>

Music Yearly Overview and Key Questions



"Children will be inspired to become curious learners, who have the resilience and confidence to succeed in life."

	Musicianship: Understanding Music	Listening (Listen and Respond)	Singing/	Playing Instruments	Creating: Improvising	Creating: Composing	Performing
EYFS	 Sing a range of well-I Perform songs, rhyme Foundational Knowledge Recall an increasing reper Sing in a group or on the Create songs of their own Accompany songs with si 	ount narratives and stories with enown nursery rhymes and song es, poems and stories with other	.s. s, and – when appropriate se pitch and following the n solution (often sung to a known tu ady beat.	nelody. ne).	usic.		
Year 1	 Use body percussion, instruments and voices. Find and keep a steady beat together. Begin to move in time with a steady beat/pulse. Copy back simple long and short rhythms with clapping. Copy back singing simple high and low patterns. Start to know and demonstrate the difference between pulse, rhythm and pitch. 	 Move, dance and respond in any way they can when listening. Describe their thoughts and feelings when listening to the music, including why they like or don't like the music. Talk about any instruments they might hear and perhaps identify them. Recognise some band and orchestral instruments. Identify a fast or slow tempo. Identify loud and quiet sounds as an introduction to understanding dynamics. Talk about any other music they have heard that is similar. Begin to understand where the music fits in the world. Begin to understand different styles of music. 	- Sing, rap or rhyme as part of a choir/group Begin to demonstrate good singing posture - standing up straight with relaxed shoulders Sing unit songs from memory Perhaps have a go at singing a solo Try to understand the meaning of the song Try to follow the leader or conductor. Add actions and/or movement to a song.	 Rehearse and learn to play a simple melodic instrumental part by ear: Play a part on a tuned or untuned instrument by ear: Learn to treat instruments carefully and with respect. Rehearse and perform their parts within the context of the unit song. Learn to play together with everybody while keeping in time with a steady beat. Perform short, repeating rhythm patterns (ostinati or riffs) while keeping in time with a steady beat. 	 Explore improvisation within a major and minor scale, using the notes: C, D, E D, E, A F, G, A D, F, G Explore and begin to create personal musical ideas using the given notes for the unit. Understand that improvisation is about the children making up their own very simple tunes on the spot. Follow a steady beat and stay 'in time'. Improvise simple vocal patterns using 'question and answer' phrases. Understand the difference between creating a rhythm pattern and a pitch pattern. 	 Begin to understand that composing is like writing a story with music. Explore sounds and create their own melody. Perform their simple composition/s using two, three, four or five notes. Use simple notation if appropriate: Create a simple melody using crotchets and minims. C, D C, D, E C, D, E, F C, D, E, F, G Start and end on the note C, F, G F, G, A F, G, A, C F, G, A, C, D Start and end on the note F. D, F D, F, G D, F, G, A D, F, G, A, C Start and end on the note D. Begin to explore and create using graphic scores: Create musical sound effects and short sequences of sounds in response to music and video stimuli. Use graphic symbols, dot notation and stick notation, as appropriate, to keep a record of composed pieces. Create a story, choosing and playing classroom instruments. Create and perform your own rhythm patterns with stick notation, including crotchets, quavers and minims. Use music technology, if available, to capture, change and combine sounds. 	 Rehearse a song and perform it to an audience, explaining why the song was chosen. Add actions and perhaps movement to the song. Perform the song from memory. Follow the leader or conductor: Talk about the performance afterwards, expressing what was enjoyed and what they think could have been better: When planning, rehearsing, introducing and performing the song: Introduce the performance. Begin to play tuned and untuned instruments musically within the performance. Begin to use the voice expressively.

						and creatively by singing simple songs. Begin to play together as a group / band / ensemble. Show their understanding of the Musical Spotlight and Social Question, and how they have influenced the performance.
Year 2	- Use body percussion, instruments and voices Move in time and keep a steady beat together: - Create their own rhythmic and melodic patterns Continue to copy back simple rhythmic patterns using long and short Continue to copy back simple melodic patterns using long and short Continue to copy back simple melodic patterns using high and low: - Understand the difference between creating a rhythm pattern and a pitch pattern Sing short phrases independently Continue to learn to watch and follow a steady beat Begin to understand that the speed of the beat can change, creating a faster or slower pace (tempo) Play copy back rhythms, copy a leader; and invent rhythms for others	a solo. Demonstrate good singing posture. Sing songs from memory. Sing with more pitch accuracy. Understand and follow the leader or conductor: Sing and try to communicate the meaning of the words. Listen for being 'in time' or 'out of time'. Add actions and perhaps movement to a song.	ear. - Play a part on a tuned or untuned instrument by ear (either Part 1, Part 2 or the optional Easy Part). - Rehearse and perform their parts within the context of the unit song. - Learn to treat instruments carefully and with respect. - Play together as a group while keeping in time with a steady beat.	 Explore improvisation within a major scale, using the notes: C, D, E C, G, A G, A, B F, G, A Begin to create personal musical ideas using the given notes. Understand that improvisation is about the children making up their own very simple tunes on the spot. Follow a steady beat and stay 'in time'. Work with partners and in the class to improvise simple 'question and answer' phrases, to be sung and played on untuned percussion, creating a musical conversation. 	 Continue to understand that composing is like writing a story with music. Perform their simple composition/s using two, three, four or five notes. Start their tune/s on note one and end it on note one. Use simple notation if appropriate: Create a simple melody using crotchets and minims. C, D C, D, E C, D, E, F C, D, E, F, G Start and end on the note C (C major). G, A G, A, B G, A, B, D G, A, B, D, E Start and end on the note G (pentatonic on G). F, G F, G, A F, G, A, C F, G, A, C, D Start and end on the note F (pentatonic on F). Explore and create graphic scores: Create musical sound effects and short sequences of sounds in response to music and video stimuli. Use graphic symbols, dot notation and stick notation, as appropriate, to keep a record of composed pieces. Create a story, choosing and playing classroom instruments. Create and perform your own rhythm patterns with stick notation, including crotchets, quavers and minims. Use music technology, if available, to capture, change and combine sounds. 	 Rehearse a song and then perform it to an audience, explaining why the song was chosen. Add actions to the song. Show a simple understanding of the Musical Spotlight and Social Question, and how they have influenced the performance. Perform the song from memory. Follow the leader or conductor: Continue to play tuned and untuned instruments musically within the performance. Continue to use the voice expressively and creatively by singing simple songs. Continue to play together as a group / band / ensemble. Talk about the performance afterwards; saying what they enjoyed and what they think could have been better:

to copy or and tuned percussion - Create rhy using wor as a starti - Recognise short sour match the syllables of movement Year 3 - Use body percussion instrument voices Explore the signatures 3/4 and 4 - Internalise and move with a steel in 4/4, 3/4 time Find and I steady bear or more complete in patterns Copy back complex in patterns Copy back complex in patterns Copy back improvise rhythmic jusing min crotchets, and their rests Copy back improvise rhythmic jusing sem minims, dicrotchets, quavers and corotchets, quavers and corotchets.	where music might fit into the world. Begin to understand that there are different styles of music. Discuss the style(s) of the music. Discuss what the song or piece of music might be about. Talk about the style of the music. Talk about the style of the music. Share their thoughts and feelings about the music together. Find the beat or groove of the music. Invent different actions to move in time with the music. Invent different actions to move in time with the music. Talk about what the song or piece of music means. Talk about what the song or piece of music means. Talk about what the song or piece of music means. Talk about the style of the music. Talk about where the music instruments are band instruments if they can. Talk about where the music fits into the world. Think about and discuss	 Sing as part of a choir and in unison. Have a go at singing a solo. Demonstrate good singing posture. Sing the unit songs from memory. Sing with attention to clear diction. Sing more expressively, with attention to breathing and 	- Rehearse and learn to play a simple melodic instrumental part, by ear or from notation, in C major, F major, G major and E major: - Develop facility in playing tuned percussion or a melodic instrument, such as the violin or recorder: - Play a part on a tuned instrument by ear or from notation Play the instrumental part they are comfortable with and swap when appropriate Treat instruments carefully and with respect Play the right notes with secure rhythms Play together as a group while keeping the beat Listen to and follow musical instructions from a leader: - Play their instruments with good posture and technique	- Explore improvisation within a major scale, using the notes: C, D, E C, D, E, G, A G, A, B G, A, B, D, E G, A, G, D F, G, A F, G, A, C, D - Structure musical ideas (eg using echo or 'question and answer' phrases) to create music that has a beginning, middle and end When improvising, follow a steady beat and stay 'in time' Become more skilled in improvising; perhaps try more notes and rhythms, including rests or silent beats Think about creating music with 'phrases' made up of notes, rather than simply lots of notes played one after the other:	- Create a simple melody using crotchets, minims and perhaps paired quavers: C, D C, D, E C, D, E, G C, D, E, G, A Start and end on the note C (pentatonic on C). C, D C, D, E C, D, E, F C, D, E, F G Start and end on the note C (C major). F, G F, G, A F, G, A, Bb F, G, A, Bb, C Start and end on the note F (F major) G, A G, A, B G, A, B, D G, A, B, D, E Start and end on the note G (pentatonic on G) Successfully create a melody in keeping with the style of the backing track This could include:	- Plan, rehearse and perform for an audience a song that has been learnt in the lesson, from memory or with notation, and with confidence Explain why the song was chosen Show their understanding of the Musical Spotlight and Social Question, and how they have influenced their performance Follow the leader or conductor: - Talk about the strengths of the performance, how they felt and what they would like to change Introduce the performance with an understanding of what the song is about and comment on any other relevant connections Include any actions, instrumental parts/improvisatory ideas/composed passages within the
using min crotchets, and their rests. - Copy back improvise rhythmic pusing sem minims, decrotchets,	talking about the music. - Recognise that some instruments are band instruments and some are orchestral instruments. - Identify specific instruments if they can. - Talk about where the music fits into the world. - Think about and discuss why the song or piece of	 Listen for being 'in time' or 'out of time', with an awareness of following the beat. Perform actions confidently and in time. Sing a widening range of unison songs, of varying 	 Play together as a group while keeping the beat. Listen to and follow musical instructions from a leader. Play their instruments with good posture and 	rather than simply lots of notes played one	compositions, eg introduction, verse and chorus or AB form. - Use simple dynamics. - Create a tempo instruction. - Compose song accompaniments on tuned and untuned percussion, using known rhythms and note values. - Use simple rhythmic combinations of minims, crotchets and paired quavers	performance with an understanding of what the song is about and comment on any other relevant connections. Include any actions, instrumental parts/improvisatory ideas/composed passages within the
rests Copy back improvise melodic pousing the D, E G, A, A, B	music was written and what it might mean. simple titterns music and any other music they have heard	-			 Music Notepad Compose a standalone piece of music which includes: A time signature A treble clef Four or six bars The correct notes for the scale and key signature 	rehearsal and in the performance Reflect on feelings about sharing and performing, eg excitement, nerves, enjoyment, etc.

	- Understand the					Rhythmic combinations of	
	beginnings of					minims, crotchets and paired	
	formal notation,					quavers, with their corresponding	
	linking sounds to					rests	
	symbols, and					o Expression /dynamics - A	
	understand that					melody that starts and ends on	
	music has its own					note one	
	language.					 A description of how their 	
	- Start learning about					melodies were created.	
	basic music theory.						
	- Introduce and						
	understand the						
	differences between						
	crotchets and paired						
	quavers.						
	- Play and sing in the						
	time signatures of						
	2/4, 3/4 and 4/4.						
	- Create rhythms						
	using word phrases						
	as a starting point.						
	- Identify the names						
	of some pitched						
	notes on a stave.						
	- Identify if a song is major or minor in						
	tonality.						
	writing.						
Year 4	- Explore -	- Talk about the words of	- Sing as part of a	- Rehearse and learn to	- Explore improvisation	- Create a melody using crotchets,	- Rehearse and enjoy
Tea 4	improvisation	the song.	choir with awareness	play a simple melodic	within a major scale,	minims, quavers and their rests.	the opportunity to
	within major and -	- Think about why the	of size: the larger the	instrumental part, by	using the notes: C, D,	- Use a pentatonic scale: C, D C, D, E C,	share what has been
	minor scales, using	song or piece of music	choir, the thicker and	ear or from notation,	E C, D, E, G, A C, D, E,	D, E, G C, D, E, G, A	learnt in the lessons.
	the notes: C, D, E D,	was written.	richer the musical	in C major, F major, G	F, G D, E, F♯ D, E, F♯,	- Start and end on the note C (pentatonic	- Perform, with
	E, A F, G, A D, F, G -	 Find and demonstrate the 	texture.	major, D major and D	A, B	on C). C, D C, D, E C, D, E, F C, D, E, F,	confidence, a song
	- Explore and begin to	steady beat.	- Rehearse and learn	minor.	- Explore improvisation	G	from memory or
	create personal -	- Identify 2/4, 3/4, and	songs from memory	- Rehearse and perform	within a major scale,	- Start and end on the note C (C major).	using notation.
	musical ideas using	4/4 metre.	and/or with	their parts within the	using more notes.	A, B A, B, C A, B, C, D A, B, C, D, E	- Play and perform
	the given notes for -	- Identify the tempo as	notation.	context of the unit	- Improvise using a	- Start and end on the note A (A minor).	melodies following
	the unit.	fast, slow or steady.	- Sing in different time	song.	limited range of	D, E D, E, F D, E, F, G D, E, F, G, A	staff notation, using
	- Understand that -	- Discuss the structures of	signatures: 2/4, 3/4	- Treat instruments	pitches on the	Start and end on the note D (D minor).	a small range, as a
	improvisation is	songs.	and 4/4.	carefully and with	instruments they are	G, A G, A, B G, A, B, D G, A, B, D, E	whole class or in
	about the children -	- Explain what a main	- Demonstrate good	respect.	learning, making use	- Start and end on the note G (pentatonic	small groups.
	making up their	theme is and identify	singing posture. - Demonstrate vowel	- Play the right notes	of musical features,	on G).	- Include instrumental
	own very simple	when it is repeated.		with secure rhythms.	including smooth	- Successfully create a melody in keeping	parts/improvisatory
	tunes on the spot - Follow a steady	- Identify: Call and response	sounds, blended sounds and	- Play together as a group while keeping	(legato) and detached	with the style of the backing track. - This could include	sections/composed passages within the
	beat and stay 'in	Call and responseA solo	consonants.	the beat.	(staccato) articulation.Improvise over a	Composing over a simple chord	rehearsal and
	time'.	vocal/instrumental		- Listen to and follow	simple chord	progression	performance.
	- Improvise simple	line and the rest of	'in time'.	musical instructions	progression/groove.	Composing over a simple groove	- Explain why the song
	vocal patterns using	the ensemble	- Sing expressively,	from a leader.	progression, grouve.	 Composing over a drone. 	was chosen,
	'question and	A change in	with attention to	- Play their instruments		- Include a home note to give a sense of	including its
	answer' phrases.	texture - The	breathing and	with good posture and		an ending; coming home.	composer and the
	- Understand the	articulation of	phrasing.	technique.		- Use music technology, if available, to	historical and cultural
	difference between	certain words	- Sing expressively,	,		capture, change and combine sounds.	context of the song.
	creating a rhythm	 Programme music 	with attention to			_	- Communicate the
	•		staccato and legato.				meaning of the words

pattern and a pitch pattern.	what a musical introduction is and its purpose. Recall by ear memorable phrases heard in the music. Identify major and minor tonalities. Recognise the sound and notes of the pentatonic scale by ear and from notation. Describe legato and staccato. Recognise the style of music they are listening to. Recognise the following styles and any important musical features that distinguish each style: 20th and 21st Century Orchestral, Reggae, Soul, R&B, Pop, Folk, Jazz, Disco, Musicals, Classical, Rock, Gospel, Romantic,	about how the ps and their ps connect to the	- - - - -	Start to use simple structures within compositions, eg introduction, verse and chorus or AB form. Use simple dynamics. Create a tempo instruction. Compose song accompaniments on tuned and untuned percussion, using known rhythms and note values. Create a melody using crotchets, minims, quavers and their rests. Use a pentatonic scale. Begin to understand the structure of the composition. Explain its musical shape, identifying melodic intervals (a melody that leaps) and melodic steps (a melody that moves to the next note). Perform their simple composition/s using their own choice of notes. Music Notepad Compose a standalone piece of music which includes: A time signature A treble clef Four or six bars The correct notes for the scale and key signature Rhythmic combinations of	and articulate them clearly Reflect on the performance and how well it suited the occasion. Discuss and respond to any feedback; consider how future performances might be different.
Year 5 - Use body percussion, instruments and voices Explore the time signatures of 2/4, 3/4, 4/4, 5/4 and 6/8 Find and keep a steady beat Listen and copy rhythmic patterns made of dotted minims, minims, dotted crotchets,	Disco, Musicals, Classical, Rock, Gospel, Romantic, Choral, Funk and Electronic Dance Music. - Talk about feelings created by the music. Justify a personal opinion with reference to the musical elements Find and demonstrate the steady beat. Identify 2/4, 3/4, 4/4, 6/8 and 5/4 metre Identify instruments by ear and through a range of media. - Sing Reheat songs and/o and/o notat - Sing Sing Reheat songs and/o and/o notat - Sing Reheat songs and/o notat - Sing Market - Sing Sing Sing Reheat - Reheat - Sing Reheat - Reheat - Sing Reheat - Sing Reheat - Reheat - Sing Reheat -	in the tonal centres of C major, F major, G /or with tion. g in 2/4, 3/4, 5/4 and 6/8 e. from in the tonal centres of C major, F major, G minor and D minor Play a part on a tuned instrument, by ear or from notation Treat instruments	within a major and minor scale, using the following notes: C, D, Eb, F, G C, D, E, F, G C, D, E, G, A F, G, A Bb, C D, E, F, G, A - Improvise over a simple groove, responding to the beat and creating a satisfying melodic shape.	and key signature	- Create, rehearse and present a holistic performance for a specific purpose, for a friendly but unfamiliar audience Perhaps perform in smaller groups, as well as with the whole class Perform a range of repertoire pieces and arrangements, combining acoustic instruments to form

- crotchets, dotted quavers, triplet quavers, quavers, semiquavers and their rests, by ear or from notation. Copy back melodic D, E, F# Find and keep a steady beat. Listen and copy made of dotted minims, minims,
 - patterns using the notes: C, D, E C, D, E, F, G, A, B D, E, F♯, G, A A, B, C, D, E, F#, G F, G, A, Bb, C, D, E G, A, B, C,
 - rhythmic patterns dotted crotchets, crotchets, dotted quavers, triplet quavers, quavers, semiquavers and their rests, by ear or from notation.
 - Copy back various melodic patterns.

- repeat signs, chorus and final chorus, improvisation, call and response, and AB form.
- Explain a bridge passage and its position in a song.
- Recall by ear memorable phrases heard in the music.
- Explain the role of a main theme in musical structure.
- Understand what a musical introduction is and know its purpose.
- Explain rapping. Identify major and minor tonalities.
- Recognise the sound and notes of the pentatonic and Blues scales, by ear and from notation.
- Identify the musical style of a song or piece of music.
- Recognise the following styles and any key musical features that distinguish each style: 20th and 21st Century Orchestral, Gospel, Pop, Minimalism, Rock 'n' Roll, South African Pop, Jazz: Contemporary, Reggae, Film Music, Hip Hop, Funk, Romantic and

- Self-correct if lost or out of time.
- Sing expressively, with attention to breathing and phrasing.
- Sing expressively, with attention to dynamics and articulation.
- Develop confidence as a soloist.
- Talk about the different styles of singing used for different styles of song.
- Talk confidently about how connected they feel to the music and how it connects to the world.
- Respond to a leader or conductor.

- Play the right notes with secure rhythms.
- Rehearse and perform their parts within the context of the unit song.
- Play together as a group while keeping the beat.
- Listen to and follow musical instructions from a leader.
- Play their instruments with good posture.
- Begin to understand how to rehearse a piece of music in order to improve.

- dynamics, including very loud (fortissimo), very quiet (pianissimo), moderately loud (mezzo forte) and moderately quiet (mezzo piano).
- Follow a steady beat and stay 'in time'.
- Become more skilled in improvising; perhaps try more notes and rhythms.
- Become more skilled in improvising; perhaps try to use melodic jumps (intervals) that might get higher and lower.
- Explore rhythm patterns created from quavers, crotchets, semiquavers, minims and their rests.
- Include rests or silent beats.
- Think about creating music with 'phrases' made up of notes, rather than just lots of notes played one after the other.
- Include smooth (legato) and detached (staccato) articulation when playing notes.

- Understand the structure of the composition.
- Explain its musical shape, identifying melodic intervals (a melody that leaps) and melodic steps (a melody that moves to the next note).
- Include a home note to give a sense of an ending; coming home.
- Perform their simple composition/s, using their own choice of notes.
- Successfully create a melody in keeping with the style of the backing track.
- Create their composition/s with an awareness of the basic chords in the backing track.
- Music Notepad Compose a standalone piece of music which includes:
 - o A time signature A treble clef
 - o Four, six or eight bars
 - The correct notes for the scale and key signature
 - Rhythmic combinations of semibreves, minims, crotchets and paired quavers, with their corresponding rests
 - Expression/dynamics
 - Structured musical ideas (eg using echo or 'question and answer' phrases) to create music that has a beginning, middle and end
 - o A melody that starts and ends on note one - A description of how their melodies were created.

- mixed ensembles, including a school orchestra.
- Perform from memory or with notation, with confidence and accuracy.
- Include instrumental parts/improvisatory sections/composed passages within the rehearsal and performance.
- Explain why the song was chosen, including its composer and the historical and cultural context of the song.
- A student will lead part of the rehearsal and part of the performance.
- Record the performance and compare it to a previous performance; explain how well the performance communicated the mood of each piece.
- Discuss and talk musically about the strengths and weaknesses of a performance.
- Collect feedback from the audience and reflect on how future performances might be different.

Year 6

- Use body percussion, instruments and voices.
- Explore the time signatures of 2/4, 3/4, 4/4, 5/4 and 6/8.
- Find and keep a steady beat.
- Listen and copy rhythmic patterns made of minims, dotted crotchets,

Talk about feelings created by the music.

Musicals.

- Justify a personal opinion with reference to the musical elements.
- Identify 2/4, 3/4, 4/4, 6/8 and 5/4 metre.
- Identify the following instruments by ear and through a range of media: bass guitar; electric guitar; percussion; sections of the orchestra such as brass, woodwind
- Rehearse and learn songs from memory and/or with notation.
- Sing a broad range of songs as part of a choir, including those that involve syncopated rhythms, with a good sense of ensemble and performance. This should include

observing rhythm,

- Rehearse and learn to play one of four differentiated instrumental parts, by ear or from notation, in the tonal centres of C major, F major, G major, D major, E major, A major, Eb major, D minor and F minor.
- Play a melody, following staff notation written on
- Explore improvisation within a major scale, using the notes: C, D, E, F, G G, A, Bb, C, D G, A, B, C, D F, G, A, C, D
- Improvise over a groove, responding to the beat, creating a satisfying melodic shape with varied dynamics and articulation.
- Create a melody using crotchets, quavers and minims, and perhaps semibreves and semiquavers, plus all equivalent rests.
- Use a pentatonic and a full scale.
- Use major and minor tonality: C, D C, D, E C. D. E. F C. D. E. F. G Start and end on the note C (C major). G, A G, A, B G, A, B, D G, A, B, D, E
- Start and end on the note G (pentatonic on G). G, Bb G, Bb, C G, Bb, C, D G, Bb, C, D, F
- Start and end on the note G (minor pentatonic on G).
- Create, rehearse and present a holistic performance for a specific event, for an unfamiliar audience, with a detailed understanding of the musical, cultural and historical contexts.
- Perform a range of songs as a choir in school assemblies, school performance

- crotchets, dotted quavers, triplet quavers, quavers, semiquavers and their rests, by ear or from notation.
- Copy back melodic patterns using the notes: D, E, F, G, A C, D, E, F, G, A, B G, A, B, C, D, E, F# D, E, F#, G, A, B, C, D, E, F, G
- Listen and copy rhythmic patterns made of minims, dotted crotchets, crotchets, dotted quavers, triplet quavers, quavers, semiquavers and their rests, by ear or from notation.

- and strings; electric organ; congas; piano and synthesisers; and vocal techniques such as scat singing.
- Identify the sound of a Gospel choir and soloist, a Rock band, a symphony orchestra and A cappella groups.
- Discuss the structure of the music with reference to the verse, chorus, bridge and instrumental break.
- Explain a bridge passage and its position in a song.
- Recall by ear memorable phrases heard in the music.
- Explain the role of a main theme in musical structure.
- Understand what a musical introduction and outro are and know their purpose.
- Identify major and minor tonalities and chord triads.
- Identify the musical style
 of a song, using some
 musical vocabulary to
 discuss its musical
 elements.
- Recognise the following styles and any key musical features that distinguish the style: 20th and 21st Century Orchestral, Soul, Pop, Hip Hop, Jazz: Swing, Rock, Disco, Romantic, Zimbabwean Pop, R&B, Folk, Gospel, Salsa, Reggae, Musicals and Film Music.

- phrasing, accurate pitching and appropriate style.
- Continue to sing in parts, where appropriate.
- Sing in 2/4, 3/4, 4/4, 5/4 and 6/8.
- Demonstrate and maintain good posture and breath control whilst singing.
- Sing with and without an accompaniment.
- Sing syncopated melodic patterns.
- Lead a singing rehearsal.
- Talk about the different styles of singing used in the various styles of song visited throughout this year.
- Discuss with one another how connected they are to the music and songs, and how the songs and styles are connected to the world.

- one stave and using notes within an octave range; make decisions about dynamic range, including very loud (fortissimo), very quiet (pianissimo), moderately loud (mezzo forte) and moderately quiet (mezzo piano).
- Play a part on a tuned instrument, by ear or from notation.
- Treat instruments carefully and with respect.
- Play the right notes with secure rhythms.
- Rehearse and perform their parts within the context of the unit song.
- Play together with everybody while keeping the beat.
- Listen to and follow musical instructions from a leader.
- Play their instruments with good posture.
- Understand how to rehearse a piece of music in order to improve.
- Play a more complex part.

- Follow a steady beat and stay 'in time'.
- Become more skilled in improvising, perhaps trying more notes and rhythms.
- Include rests or silent beats.
- Think about creating music with 'phrases' made up of notes, rather than just lots of notes played one after the other:
- Challenge themselves to play for longer periods, both as soloists and in response to others in a group.

- D, E D, E, F D, E, F, G D, E, F, G, A
- Start and end on the note D (D minor).
 F, G F, G, A F, G, A, Bb F, G, A, Bb, C
- Start and end on the note F (F major). F, G F, G, A F, G, A, C F, G, A, C, D
- Start and end on the note F (pentatonic on F).
- Plan and compose an eight or 16-beat melodic phrase using a pentatonic scale, eg C, D, E, G, A, and incorporate rhythmic variety and interest.
- Play this melody on available tuned percussion and/or orchestral instruments.
- Notate this melody.
- Either of these melodies can be enhanced with rhythmic or simple chordal accompaniment.
- Create a simple chord progression.
- Compose a ternary (ABA form) piece.
- Use available music software/apps to create and record it, discussing how musical contrasts are achieved.
- Use music technology, if available, to capture, change and combine sounds.
- Create music in response to music and video stimuli.
- Start to use and understand structures within compositions, eg introductions, multiple verse and chorus sections, AB form or ABA form (ternary form).
- Use rhythmic variety.
- Compose song accompaniments, perhaps using basic chords.
- Use a wider range of dynamics, including fortissimo (very loud), pianissimo (very quiet), mezzo forte (moderately loud) and mezzo piano (moderately quiet).
- Use a pentatonic and a full scale, as well as major and minor tonalities.
- Create a melody using crotchets, quavers and minims, and perhaps semibreves and semiquavers, plus all equivalent rests.
- Explain its musical shape, identifying melodic intervals (a melody that leaps) and melodic steps (a melody that moves to the next note).
- Include a home note to give a sense of an ending; coming home.
- Perform their simple composition/s, using their own choice of notes.
- Successfully create a melody in keeping with the style of the backing track and

- opportunities and to a wider audience.Perform from memory or with
- notation.

 Understand the value of choreographing any aspect of a performance.
- Understand the importance of the performing space and how to use it.
- Rehearse and lead parts of the performance, individually or as a group.
- Record the performance and compare it to a previous one.
- Collect feedback from the audience and reflect on how the audience believed in/supported the performance.
- Discuss how the performance might change if it were repeated in a larger/smaller performance space.

	describe how their melodies were created. - Create their composition/s with an awareness of the basic chords in the backing track. - Music Notepad Compose a standalone piece of music which includes:
	 A description of how their