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#### **MUSIC**

#### Long Term Plan

#### KS3 YR7

Term 1	Notes of the Keyboard
	Understanding the sequence of notes
	High & low pitch
	Sharps & flats
	Playing with a good sense of pulse & accuracy
links to KS4	Prep for KS4 performing / composition / analytical work
Assessment	PLC's (Progress Learning Checklists) - B, E, D, M & S
HW	End of Term HW

Term 2	The Elements of Music
	Using Musical vocabulary & understanding how music is put together
	Tempo, Texture, Dynamics, Pitch, Structure, Melody, Duration, Timbre
links to KS4	Good preparation for KS4 – Terminology. Understanding and applying knowledge to compositions, Performances and music evaluation
Assessment	PLC's (Progress Learning Checklists) - B, E, D, M & S
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Term 3 Egyptian Music

Creating small music ideas – ostinatos / melodies / rhythmic

patterns

Learning to play in an ensemble - control, expression and

timing

links to KS4 All skills needed for KS4 - Ensemble, creativity,

Development

**Assessment** PLC's (Progress Learning Checklists) - B, E, D, M & S

**HW** End of Term HW

Term 4 Instruments of the Orchestra

Learning about the families of instruments

How they are played

The sounds and timbres they produce

Instrumental Techniques

The orchestra

**links to KS4** Basic information required at GCSE level. Prep for GCSE

appraising exam.

**Assessment** PLC's (Progress Learning Checklists) - B, E, D, M & S

**HW** End of Term HW

Term 5
Traditional Notation / keyboard skills

Learning to read basic musical notation and playing simple

melodies

Pitch and rhythmic elements

**links to KS4** Basic information required at GCSE level. Prep for GCSE

appraising exam. Music notation a must at KS4. Following,

identifying and annotating rhythms

**Assessment** PLC's (Progress Learning Checklists) - B, E, D, M & S

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Term 6 Rhythm and Samba Music

Learning to play rhythmically as a group – simple / multiple

/ polyrhythms

Understanding structure / call & response

Performing independent parts

**links to KS4** Basic information required at GCSE level. Prep for GCSE

appraising exam. Following, identifying and annotating rhythms. More complex rhythms / structures performed.

World music.

**Assessment** PLC's (Progress Learning Checklists) - B, E, D, M & S

**HW** End of Term HW



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#### KS<sub>3</sub> YR<sub>8</sub>

Term 1	Coolio vs Pachelbel
	Bass line, Chords, melody, broken chords, sequence
	Hold a part in an ensemble performance, OR recorded the parts on to create a multi layered performace using IT.
	Identify musical features explored in the Scheme of Work
	Understanding the Historical context of the music
links to KS4	Prep for KS4 performing / composition / analytical work. How to multilayer music using software
Assessment	PLC's (Progress Learning Checklists) - B, E, D, M & S
HW	End of Term HW

Term 2	Swing Music
	Bass line, Chords, melody, broken chords, sequence, improvising
	Hold a part in an ensemble performance, OR recorded the parts on to create a multi layered performace using IT.
	Identify musical features explored in the Scheme of Work
	Understanding the Historical context of the music
links to KS4	Prep for KS4 performing / composition / analytical work. How to multilayer music using software
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Term 3 & 4	Chords
	Play and identify both Major and Minor chords
	Spell chords confidently and independently
	Play the chords from the songs looked at in class. I may also play the chords differently – Block, broken & rocking
	Play two hands on the keyboard – Bass and Chords together. I can play them with good timing and can move fluently between the chords.
links to KS4	Prep for KS4 performing / composition / analytical work. Understanding chords & harmony. Practical keyboard skills
Assessment	PLC's (Progress Learning Checklists) - B, E, D, M & S
HW	End of Term HW

Term 5&6	Song Writing
	Write a set of song lyrics, showing structure and creativity
	Create a simple backing track of Chords, bass and drum beat. Good timing is good and have used a variety of Timbres
	Compose / improvise a melody and sing my lyrics to my backing track. Recorded this in and have a finished song.
links to KS4	Prep for KS4 performing / composition / analytical work. Understanding chords & harmony. Practical keyboard / recording skills
Assessment	PLC's (Progress Learning Checklists) - B, E, D, M & S
HW	End of Term HW