Music Curriculum 2023 - 2024 - Cycle A

Autumn term 1 - Leicestershire Music Scheme of Work - Unit 1 Pulse

EYFS Unit

EYFS Development Matters - 3 and 4 year olds

- Listen with increased attention to sounds.
- Sing the melodic shape (moving melody, such as up and down, down and up) of familiar songs.
- Play instruments with increasing control to express their feelings and ideas.

EYFS Development Matters - Children in Reception

- Listen attentively, move to and talk about music, expressing their feelings and responses.
- Sing in a group or on their own, increasingly matching the pitch and following the melody.
- Explore and engage in music making and dance, performing solo or in groups.

	Performing — singing and playing	Composing — creating their own music	Listening and applying understand	•
EYFS	I can keep a steady pulse with some accuracy (eg clapping, marching, tapping)	I can imitate movements in response to music.	I can explore, respond and identify long and short sounds.	

Key vocabulary = pulse, tempo, genre, graphic score

Class Two — Year 3 Unit

KS2 National Curriculum

- Play and perform in solo and ensemble contexts, using their voices and playing musical instruments with increasing accuracy, fluency, control and expression
- Improvise and compose music for a range of purposes using the inter-related dimensions of music
- Listen with attention to detail and recall sounds with increasing aural memory
- Use and understand staff and other musical notations

	Performing — singing and playing		Composing — creating Listening and applying their own music and understand		
Year 3	I can sing and play confidently and fluently, maintaining a steady pulse.	I can maintain a part in a piece/rhythm game consisting of two or more parts.	I can follow and lead simple performance directions, demonstrating my understanding of pulse.	I can offer comments about own and others' work and ways to improve, using appropriate musical vocabulary.	I can accept feedback and suggestions from others.
Year 4	I can sing and play confidently and fluently, maintaining an appropriate pulse.	I can maintain an independent part in a small group when playing or singing (eg a drone, ostinato or rhythm	I can follow and lead simple performance directions. (eg call and response patterns)		

<u>Key vocabulary</u> – pulse, tempo. genre, graphic score, rhythm, staccato, syllable, ostinato, crotchet, paired quaver, rest, texture

Class One - Year 1 Unit

KS1 National Curriculum

- Use their voices expressively and creatively by singing songs and speaking chants and rhymes
- Play tuned and untuned instruments musically
- Experiment with, create, select and combine sounds using the inter-related dimensions of music

	Performing — singing and playing	Composing — creating their Listening and applying own music understandi		•
Year 1	I can keep a steady pulse with some accuracy (eg clapping, marching, tapping and playing instruments)	I can follow and create simple musical directions for faster, slower, stopping and starting.	I can create, explore, respond and identify long and short sounds.	
I can sing / play with good sense of pulse.		I can demonstrate an understanding of the differences between pulse and rhythm through physical movement / playing / singing.	I can begin to recognise rhythmic patterns found in speech, e.g. saying / chanting names / syllables in names etc.	I can respond to visual and aural cues.

Key vocabulary = pulse, tempo. genre, graphic score, rhythm, staccato, syllable, ostinato

Class Three - Year 5 Unit

KS2 National Curriculum

- Play and perform in solo and ensemble contexts, using their voices and playing musical instruments with increasing accuracy, fluency, control and expression
- Improvise and compose music for a range of purposes using the inter-related dimensions of music
- Listen with attention to detail and recall sounds with increasing aural memory
- Use and understand staff and other musical notations

	Performing — singing and playing		Composing -	Listening and app	olying knowledge and
			creating their own	unde	rstanding
			music		
	I can	I can maintain	I can create		
	maintain a	an independent	simple rhythmic		
	strong sense	part in a group	pieces which		
r 5	of pulse	when singing or	demonstrate		
Year	throughout	playing.	understanding of		
,	pieces with &		rhythm / melodies		
	without		1		
	syncopation		accompaniments.		
	I can	I can maintain		I can share opinions	I can listen to &
	maintain a	an independent		about own and	evaluate a range of live
_	strong sense	part in a group		others' music and be	& recorded music from
ır 6	of pulse and	when singing or		willing to justify	different traditions,
Year	recognise	playing with an		these using musical	genres, styles & times,
	when going	awareness of		vocabulary.	responding appropriately
	out of time.	other parts /		_	to context.
		performers.			

<u>Key vocabulary</u> = pulse, tempo. genre, graphic score, rhythm, staccato, syllable, ostinato, crotchet, paired auaver, rest, tempo, texture, crotchet rest, minim, semibreve, standard notation, structure

Autumn term 2 - Leicestershire Music Scheme of Work - Unit 2 Voice

EYFS Unit

EYFS Development Matters - 3 and 4 year olds

- Remember and sing entire songs.
- Sing the pitch of a tone sung by another person ('pitch match').
- Sing the melodic shape (moving melody, such as up and down, down and up) of familiar songs.
- Create their own songs or improvise a song around one they know.

EYFS Development Matters - Children in Reception

- Sing in a group or on their own, increasingly matching the pitch and following the melody.
- = Explore and engage in music making and dance, performing solo or in groups.

EYFS ELG Being Imaginative and Expressive

- Sing a range of well-known nursery rhymes and songs.
- Perform songs, rhymes, poems and stories with others, and (when appropriate) try to move in time with music.

Performing — singing and playing		Composing — creating own music	Listening and applying knowledge and understanding	
EYFS	I can sing songs, which contain a small range of notes (2 or 3 notes for example).	This strand is not applicable in this unit.	I can take turns when singing and be a good listener.	I can perform actions to accompany songs. (Move like a snake)

Key vocabulary = Dynamics, melody, pitch, pitch match, pulse

Class Two - Year 3 Unit

KS2 National Curriculum

- Play and perform in solo and ensemble contexts, using their voices and playing musical instruments with increasing accuracy, fluency, control and expression
- Improvise and compose music for a range of purposes using the inter-related dimensions of music
- Listen with attention to detail and recall sounds with increasing aural memory
- Use and understand staff and other musical notations
- Appreciate and understand a wide range of high-quality live and recorded music drawn from different traditions and from great composers and musicians

	Performing — singing and playing		Composing — creating own music	Listening and applying knowledge and understanding	
Year 3	I can sing fluently.		This strand is not applicable in this unit.	I can create, use and lead a group with performance instructions. (tempo, dynamics, start, stop,)	I can hear a melody and create a graphic score to represent it.
Year 4	I can sing with an awareness of my breathing and pronunciation.	I can sing fluently with confidence.			I can use standard or graphic notation to create a melody.

Key vocabulary = Dynamics, melody, pitch, pitch match, pulse, graphic score, rest, tempo

Class One - Year 1 Unit

KS1 National Curriculum

- Use their voices expressively and creatively by singing songs and speaking chants and rhymes
- Listen with concentration and understanding to a range of high-quality live and recorded music
- Experiment with, create, select and combine sounds using the inter-related dimensions of music

	Performing — singing and playing	Composing — creating own music	Listening and applying knowledge and understanding		
Year 1	I can sing and perform songs, which contain a small range of notes (3 - 5 notes for example), with growing confidence.	This strand is not applicable in this unit.	I can follow performance instructions including starting and stopping with accuracy.	I can recognise and represent higher and lower sounds using graphic notation.	
Year 2	I can sing, with accuracy, within a range of notes .		I can follow and use performance instructions. (including, starting, stopping, dynamics and tempo)	I can recognise and demonstrate the link between pitch and shape using graphic notation.	

<u>Key vocabulary</u> = Dynamics, melody, pitch, pitch match, pulse, graphic score, pause, tempo

Class Three - Year 5 Unit

KS2 National Curriculum

- Play and perform in solo and ensemble contexts, using their voices and playing musical instruments with increasing accuracy, fluency, control and expression
- Improvise and compose music for a range of purposes using the inter-related dimensions of music
- Listen with attention to detail and recall sounds with increasing aural memory
- Use and understand staff and other musical notations $% \left(1\right) =\left(1\right) \left(1\right$
- Appreciate and understand a wide range of high-quality live and recorded music drawn from different traditions and from great composers and musicians

	Performing — singing and playing	Composing — creating own music	Listening and applying knowledge and understanding	
Year 5	I can sing and maintain an independent part.	This strand is not applicable in this unit.	I can experiment and perform sounds made by my voice.	I can create and perform a vocal piece by following a graphic / notated
Year 6	I can experiment with and refine sounds with my voice.		I can maintain a part in a performance with my voice.	score.

Key vocabulary = graphic score, dynamics, melody, pitch, tempo, pulse, rhythm, rest

Spring term 1 - Leicestershire Music Scheme of Work - Unit 3 Rhythm

EYFS Unit

EYFS Development Matters - 3 and 4 year olds

- Listen with increased attention to sounds.
- Respond to what they have heard, expressing their thoughts and feelings.
- Play instruments with increasing control to express their feelings and ideas.

EYFS Development Matters - Children in Reception

- Sing in a group or on their own, increasingly matching the pitch and following the melody.
- = Explore and engage in music making and dance, performing solo or in groups.

	Performing — singing and playing	Composing — creating their own music		Listening and applying knowledge and understanding	
EYFS	I can keep a steady pulse with some accuracy while playing	I can create rhythms and suggest symbols to represent rhythms	I can explore rhythm through play	I can recognise and control changes in tempo	I can listen to ideas from others, taking turns

<u>Key vocabulary</u> = graphic notation, ostinato, pulse, rhythm, tempo

Class Two - Year 3 Unit

KS2 National Curriculum

- Play and perform in solo and ensemble contexts, using their voices and playing musical instruments with increasing accuracy, fluency, control and expression
- Improvise and compose music for a range of purposes using the inter-related dimensions of music
- Listen with attention to detail and recall sounds with increasing aural memory
- Use and understand staff and other musical notations

	Performing — singing + playing			Listening and applying knowledge and understanding	
Year 3	I can play rhythms confidently while maintaining an appropriate pulse	I can demonstrate that I understand the differences between pulse and rhythm through playing an instrument	I can listen and copy rhythmic Patterns	I can create graphic notation to represent rhythm.	I can offer comments about my own and others work and ways to improve, and I
Year 4	I can confidently maintain an independent part when playing an instrument in a small group	I can play confidently and fluently maintaining an appropriate pulse	I can create simple rhythmic patterns	I can aurally identify, recognize, respond to and use musically basic symbols including Western notation	can accept feedback and suggestions from others

 $\underline{\text{Key vocabulary}} = \text{graphic notation}$, ostinato, pulse, tempo, dynamics, rest, rhythm, phrase, rhythm notation, texture

Class One - Year 1 Unit

KS1 National Curriculum

- Use their voices expressively and creatively by singing songs and speaking chants and rhymes
- Play tuned and untuned instruments musically
- Experiment with, create, select and combine sounds using the inter-related dimensions of music

	Performing — singing and playing	Composing — creating their own music					1133
Year 1	I can confidently copy given rhythms	I can begin to u nderstand the differences between pulse and rhythm through physical movement, playing and singing	I can begin to play rhythmic patterns found in speech	I can use graphic notation to	I can listen to ideas from others and use them to help improve my work		
Year 2	I can perform with a good sense of pulse and rhythm	I can understand the differences between pulse and rhythm through physical movement, playing and singing.	I am beginning to recognise rhythmic patterns found in speech	record rhythms	I can offer comments about others' work and accept suggestions from others		

Key vocabulary = graphic notation, ostinato, pulse, tempo, dynamics, rest, rhythm

Class Three - Year 5 Unit

KS2 National Curriculum

- Play and perform in solo and ensemble contexts, using their voices and playing musical instruments with increasing accuracy, fluency, control and expression
- Improvise and compose music for a range of purposes using the inter-related dimensions of music
- Listen with attention to detail and recall sounds with increasing aural memory
- Use and understand staff and other musical notations

	Performing - singing + playing	Composing — creating their own music		Listening and applying knowledge and understanding	
Year 5		I can use a variety of timbres and techniques when creating and playing music		I can respond to and use musically basic symbols including Western notation	I can critique my own and others' work and justify the comments
Year 6		I can confidently maintain an independent part when playing an instrument (smaller groups / more parts)	I can use a variety of musical devices, timbres, textures, techniques when creating and playing music	I can follow staff and other notations while playing short passages of music	

<u>Key vocabulary</u> = graphic notation, ostinato, pulse, tempo, dynamics, rest, rhythm, phrase, rhythm notation, texture, bar, crotchet, minim, quaver, semibreve, stave, timbre, time signature

Spring term 2 - Leicestershire Music Scheme of Work - Unit 4 Pitch

EYFS Unit

EYFS Development Matters - 3 and 4 year olds

- Listen with increased attention to sounds.
- Sing the pitch of a tone sung by another person ('pitch match').
- Sing the melodic shape (moving melody, such as up and down, down and up) of familiar songs.

EYFS Development Matters - Children in Reception

- Listen attentively, move to and talk about music, expressing their feelings and responses.
- Sing in a group or on their own, increasingly matching the pitch and following the melody. EYFS ELG Being Imaginative and Expressive
- Perform songs and rhymes with others, and (when appropriate) try to move in time with music.

	Performing — singing+playing	Composing — creating their own music	Listening and applying knowledge and understanding	
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	I can sing	I can create music,+	Recognise and broadly	I can comment on and respond
	broadly in tune	suggest symbols to	control changes in	to recordings of own voice,
EYFS	with a limited	represent sounds (e.g. a	timbre, tempo, pitch and	other classroom sounds and
ш	pitch range	large foot for Daddy,	dynamics when playing	musical instruments
		small foot for baby)	instruments and vocally	

Key vocabulary - Dynamics, pitch, glissando, melody, tempo, graphic score

Class One - Year 1 Unit

KS1 National Curriculum

- Use their voices expressively and creatively by singing songs and speaking chants and rhymes
- Play tuned and untuned instruments musically
- Listen with concentration and understanding to a range of high-quality live and recorded music
- Experiment with, create, select and combine sounds using the inter-related dimensions of music

	Performing — singing+playing	Composing — creating their own music	Listening and applying knowledge and understanding	
Year 1	I can sing in tune and perform songs, which contain a small range of notes (3 - 5 notes), with growing confidence.	I can use graphic notation to record rhythms		I can listen to ideas from others and use them to help improve my work
Year 2	I can sing, with accuracy, within a range of notes.	I can begin to recognise and musically demonstrate awareness of a link between shape and pitch using graphic notation.	I can musically demonstrate increased understanding and use of basic musical features as appropriate to a specific music content e.g. graduation of sound (getting louder, softer, higher, lower, faster, slower), describe the quality of sounds and how they are made, combined and names of common classroom instruments)	I can listen with increased concentration, responding appropriately to a variety of live and recorded music, making statements and observations about the music and through movement, sound-based and other creative responses.

<u>Key vocabulary</u> — Dynamics, pitch, glissando, melody, tempo, graphic score, interval, graphic symbol, pulse, timbre

Class Two - Year 3 Unit

KS2 National Curriculum

- Play and perform in solo and ensemble contexts, using their voices and playing musical instruments with increasing accuracy, fluency, control and expression
- Improvise and compose music for a range of purposes using the inter-related dimensions of music
- Listen with attention to detail and recall sounds with increasing aural memory
- Use and understand staff and other musical notations

	Performing — singing and playing	Composing — creating their own music		Listening and applying knowledge and understanding
Year 3	I can sing fluently.	I can begin to create simple rhythmic patterns, melodies, and accompaniment	I can begin to aurally identify, recognise, respond to and use musically graphic notation to represent basic changes in pitch within a limited range	I can offer comments about my own and others' work and accept suggestions from others
Year 4	I can sing within an appropriate vocal range with clear diction, mostly accurate tuning, control of breathing and appropriate tone.	I can create simple rhythmic patterns, melodies, and accompaniment s	I can aurally identify, recognise, respond to, and use basic musical symbols including rhythms from standard Western notation and basic changes in pitch within a limited range.	I can listen and evaluate a range of live and recorded music from different traditions, genres, styles, and times, responding appropriately. Share opinions about own and others' music and justify these.

<u>Key vocabulary</u> – Dynamics, pitch, glissando, melody, tempo, graphic score, interval, graphic symbol, pulse, timbre, motif, ostinato, pentatonic, round, structure

Class Three - Year 5 Unit

KS2 National Curriculum

- Play and perform in solo and ensemble contexts, using their voices and playing musical instruments with increasing accuracy, fluency, control and expression
- Improvise and compose music for a range of purposes using the inter-related dimensions of music
- Listen with attention to detail and recall sounds with increasing aural memory
- Use and understand staff and other musical notations

	Performing – singing and playing	Composing — creating their own music		Listening and applying knowledge and understanding	
Year 5	I can begin to demonstrate increasing confidence,	I can begin to create music which demonstrates	I can begin to use a variety of musical devices,	I can listen & evaluate a range of live and recorded music from different traditions,	I can critique own and others' work, offering specific comments and justifying these.
Year 6	expression, skill and level of musicality through taking different roles in performance and rehearsal	understanding of basic structure and discuss the choices made	timbres, textures, techniques when creating and making music.	genres, styles and times, responding appropriately to the contact. Share opinions about own and others' music and be willing to justify these.	I can critique own and others' work, offering specific comments+ justifying these with musical examples and technical vocabulary

<u>Key vocabulary</u> – Dynamics, pitch, glissando, melody, tempo, graphic score, interval, graphic symbol, pulse, timbre, motif, ostinato, pentatonic, round, structure, chord, harmony, melodic phrase, minimalist music, tone, semitone, scale

Summer term 1 - Leicestershire Music Scheme of Work - Unit 5 Technology, Structure and Form

EYFS Unit

EYFS Development Matters - 3 and 4 year olds

- Listen with increased attention to sounds.
- Respond to what they have heard, expressing their thoughts and feelings.
- Create their own songs or improvise a song around one they know.
- Play instruments with increasing control to express their feelings and ideas.

EYFS Development Matters - Children in Reception

- Listen attentively, move to and talk about music, expressing their feelings and responses.
- = Explore and engage in music making and dance, performing solo or in groups.

EYFS ELG Being Imaginative and Expressive

- Perform songs, rhymes, poems and stories with others, and (when appropriate) try to move in time with music.

	Performing — singing — Composing — creating and playing — their own music		Listening and applying k	nowledge and understanding
EYFS	To explore and change sounds and music through play+ technology.	To create music and suggest symbols to represent the sounds.	To begin to demonstrate an understanding of musical structure	To comment and respond to recordings of own voice, other classroom sounds.

<u>Key vocabulary</u> – pitch, tempo, record, playback, score

Class Two - Year 3 Unit

KS2 National Curriculum

- Play and perform in solo and ensemble contexts, using their voices and playing musical instruments with increasing accuracy, fluency, control and expression
- Improvise and compose music for a range of purposes using the inter-related dimensions of music
- Listen with attention to detail and recall sounds with increasing aural memory
- Use and understand staff and other musical notations
- Appreciate and understand a wide range of high-quality live and recorded music drawn from different traditions and from great composers and musicians
- Develop an understanding of the history of music.

	Performing – singing and playing	Composing — creating their own music	Listening and applying knowledge and understanding
Year 3	To use technology to create, change and combine sounds.	To recognise and use basic musical structure.	To offer comments about mine and other's work and accept suggestions from others with a focus on musical structure.
Year 4	To use voice, sounds, technology and instruments in creative ways.	To recognise, respond and use basic musical structure.	To comment about own and other's music, with a focus on the structure used.

<u>Key vocabulary – pulse, tempo, verse, chorus, rhythmic pattern, layers, graphical score, timing, rhythm, bar, intro section, bar, notation</u>

Class One - Year 1 Unit

KS1 National Curriculum

- Play tuned and untuned instruments musically
- Listen with concentration and understanding to a range of high-quality live and recorded music
- Experiment with, create, select and combine sounds using the inter-related dimensions of music

	Performing — singing and playing	Composing — creating their own music	Listening and applying know	ledge and understanding
Year 1	To use technology to create and change sounds.	To demonstrate an understanding of	To begin to demonstrate an understanding of musical structure	To comment and respond to recordings of own and other's compositions.
Year 2	To experiment with changing and combining sounds, through technology.	musical structure	To comment and respond to a variety of live and recorded music, making statements and observations about musical structure.	To demonstrate a deeper understanding of musical structure, through discussing musical structure.

<u>Key vocabulary</u> – pulse, tempo, verse, chorus, AB structure, rhythmic pattern, layers, graphical score

Class Three - Year 5 Unit

KS2 National Curriculum

- Play and perform in solo and ensemble contexts, using their voices and playing musical instruments with increasing accuracy, fluency, control and expression
- Improvise and compose music for a range of purposes using the inter-related dimensions of music
- Listen with attention to detail and recall sounds with increasing aural memory
- Use and understand staff and other musical notations
- Appreciate and understand a wide range of high-quality live and recorded music drawn from different traditions and from great composers and musicians
- Develop an understanding of the history of music.

	Performing — singing and playing	Composing — creating their own music	Listening and applying knowledge and understanding	
Year 5	To use voice, sounds, technology and instruments in creative ways.	To use and identify key features of basic musical structure.	. To comment on and evaluate the features of own and other's music, with a focus on the structure used.	
Year 6	To use a variety of musical devices when making music to include timbres, textures, techniques etc.	To create music which demonstrates an understanding of structure and discuss the choices made.	To listen, evaluate and share opinions about range of live and recorded music from different traditions, genres, styles and times with a focus on structure, using technical.	To share opinions about own and others music and be willing to justify these, using technical vocabulary.

<u>Key vocabulary –</u> texture, dynamic, audio effect, pulse, tempo, structure, introduction, verse, chorus, bridge, bar, loop, volume, key signature, ABAB structure, ABABC structure, rap

Summer term 2 - Leicestershire Music Scheme of Work - Unit 6 20th Century Music

EYFS Unit

EYFS Development Matters - 3 and 4 year olds

- Respond to what they have heard, expressing their thoughts and feelings.
- Play instruments with increasing control to express their feelings and ideas.

EYFS Development Matters - Children in Reception

- Listen attentively, move to and talk about music, expressing their feelings and responses.
- = Explore and engage in music making and dance, performing solo or in groups.

EYFS ELG Being Imaginative and Expressive

- Perform songs, rhymes, poems and stories with others, and (when appropriate) try to move in time with music.

	Performing — singing and playing	Composing — creating their own music	Listening and applying knowledge and understanding
EYFS			To comment and respond to recorded music from different traditions, genres, styles and times.

Key vocabulary - Dynamics, genre, improvisation, lyrics, melody, rhythm

Class Two - Year 3 Unit

KS2 National Curriculum

- Listen with attention to detail and recall sounds with increasing aural memory
- Appreciate and understand a wide range of high-quality live and recorded music drawn from different traditions and from great composers and musicians
- Develop an understanding of the history of music.

	Performing — singing and playing	Composing — creating their own music	Listening and applying knowledge and understanding
Year 3			To listen to and use features of recorded music from different traditions, genres, styles, and times.
Year 4		To demonstrate quality of key musical skills and elements.	sigles, and unles.

<u>Key vocabulary</u> — Dynamics, genre, improvisation, lyrics, melody, rhythm, acoustic instruments, graphic score, pulse, solo, tempo, texture, timbre, bridge, chords, high hat, kick drum, looped samples, synthesiser, upbeat

Class One - Year 1 Unit

KS1 National Curriculum

- Listen with concentration and understanding to a range of high-quality live and recorded music

	Performing — singing and playing	Composing — creating their own music	Listening and applying knowledge and understanding
Year 1			To listen to recorded music, and use one element , from different traditions, genres, styles and times.
Year 2			To listen to and use features of recorded music from different traditions, genres, styles and times.

<u>Key vocabulary</u> — Dynamics, genre, improvisation, lyrics, melody, rhythm, acoustic instruments, graphic score, pulse, solo, tempo, texture, timbre

Class Three - Year 5 Unit

KS2 National Curriculum

- Listen with attention to detail and recall sounds with increasing aural memory
- Appreciate and understand a wide range of high-quality live and recorded music drawn from different traditions and from great composers and musicians
- Develop an understanding of the history of music.

	Performing — singing and playing	Composing — creating their own music	Listening and applying knowledge and understanding	
Year 6 Year 5	To use a variety of musical devices, timbres, textures, techniques etc. when creating and making music.	To experiment with voice, sounds, technology and instruments in creative ways to explore new techniques.	To listen to and evaluate a variety of recorded music from different traditions, genres, styles and times.	To critique own and other's work offering specific comments and justifying these.

<u>Key vocabulary</u> – Dynamics, genre, improvisation, lyrics, melody, rhythm, acoustic instruments, graphic score, pulse, solo, tempo, texture, timbre, bridge, chords, high hat, kick drum, looped samples, synthesiser, upbeat, atonal, bent note, dissonance, harmonies, motif, pentatonic scale, rondo, standard notation, swung rhythms