Curriculum Intent Statement for Music:

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	Knowledge	Skills	
R	 To know the difference between singing and speaking i.e. singing has a tune and speaking doesn't; if we are shouting, we are no longer singing. Know that we can make different sounds when we sing (loud/quiet, high/low) To know that it is important to look at the adult when singing to help keep us singing together. Know songs by heart (see reception overview) Know the actions to some of these familiar songs Know that instruments should be handled with care. Know that some instruments are played by shaking; we shake them gently for a quiet sound and harder for a louder sound. Know that some instruments are played by tapping; we tap them harder for a louder sound and gentler for a quieter sound. Know that some instruments play a tune: piano, glockenspiel, steel pans Know that music is often made up of patterns. Name: tambourine, triangle, woodblock, claves, shaker, bells, piano, glockenspiel, steel pan 	 Singing: Explore making different sounds with the voice when speaking or singing: loud (without shouting), quiet, high and low. Learn a range of songs by heart (see reception overview) Sing in a group or on their own, increasingly matching the pitch and following the melody. Perform actions confidently and in time with the words. Tap the pulse of a song as they sing, sometimes with given actions Using instruments (composing and performing): Use a range of body percussion with increasing control including clapping, tapping and stamping Handle and use instruments with care in both child-led and adult-led learning Explore sounds using instruments that you shake (tambourine, shaker, bells) and play them with control Explore sounds made using instruments that you tap (tambourine, triangle, woodblock, claves) and play them with control Explore tuned percussion instruments (glockenspiels and xylophones) Play instruments in free play alongside others Use an untuned instrument to compose a sound effect e.g. a rocket taking off, walking Listening: Listen attentively, move to and talk about music, expressing their feelings and responses. Move freely in time to music Talk about how music makes them feel 	
1	Autumn: Animal Adventures (Geography) Musician Focus- Camille Saint-Saens (1835-1921) Key information about Camille Saint-Saens: -Saint-Saens was a French composer, conductor and pianist -He lived in the 18-1900s -He composed music in the Romantic era that portrayed emotions -He mostly wrote music for orchestras -He is famous for writing <i>The Carnival of the Animals</i> - a humorous collection of pieces that each represent an animal.	Singing • Explore making different sounds with the voice • Show an understanding of pulse • Understand visual cues for start, stop, loud and quiet • Start and stop at the appropriate time (counting in) • Follow a leader when performing as a group (call and response) • Sing and chant songs and rhymes in unison from memory • Begin to sing in tunes using melodies that move by step and small intervals (pentatonic) • Use the correct posture for singing - straight back, open mouth, control of breathing, feet flat on floor, relaxed shoulders, looking at audience • Watch a leader when performing Composing • Say words/rhymes and clap/play to create simple rhythmic patterns • Sing words/rhymes and sing/play to create simple melodic patterns (<4 words)	

Spring:

Tell Me a Story (History)

Musician Focus- Randy Newman

Key information about Randy Newman:

-He is an American singer-songwriter who is best known as a film composer

-He composed music for many Pixar films, including Toy Story,

Monsters Inc and Cars.

-His musical style is influenced by American pop, jazz and folk music Summer:

Here, Now and the Past and Present

Musician Focus: The Beatles

Key information about The Beatles

-The Beatles were an English rock band that formed in 1960.

-Their members were John, George, Paul and Ringo.

-They were famous all over the world

-Some of their best known songs include With a Little Help From my

Friends, Here Comes the Sun and Yellow Submarine

- As a rock band, lots of their music focussed on the electric guitar, bass guitar, drum kit and 1 or more singers

-Most of their songs used electric guitar, bass guitar, piano and drums, although there were sometimes string instruments used to accompany the singing.

- Improvise a rhythm/sound over 4 beats
- Add sound effects as a sequence to a story, character or mood
- Respond to music through dance, walking, jumping, tiptoeing etc.
- Understand simple graphic notation (1 sign for a sound or group of sounds)
- Use percussion to enhance story-telling e,g, quiet sounds on shakers/rainsticks to represent a shower

Listening

-Reflecting and Evaluating

- Comment on own performances/compositions
- Describe music and sounds in simple terms (loud, soft, fast, slow, high, low)
- Talk about how music makes them feel and why
- Recall stories/origins/traditions/historical context of music
- Experience and respond to live music

-Aural Awareness

- Recognise duration as being long or short
- Recognise pitch as high or low
- Recognise different articulations (smooth or detached)
- Feel if the pace is fast or slow by listening to the pulse
- Recognise differences in dynamics as loud or soft
- Listen to sounds in the local school environment, comparing high and low sounds
- Sing familiar songs in both low and high voices and talk about the difference in sound

Musicianship

-instruments

- Explore making different sounds with instruments
- Use body percussion and classroom percussion to play repeated rhythm patterns
- Use body percussion and classroom percussion to play repeated pitch patterns
- Perform short copy-cat rhythms accurately, led by the teacher
- Perform short repeating rhythm patterns
- Perform word-pattern chants and create, retain and perform their own (see below for example)
- Explore dynamics
- Explore a range of instruments

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		•	Follow pictures and symbols to guide singing and playing e.g. 4 dots= 4 taps on the drum	
2	Autumn:	Singing		
_	Fire and Ice (History)	•	Understand and demonstrate dynamics, pitch and tempo	
	Musician Focus- Igor Stravinsky	•	Perform with a strong sense of pulse	
	Key information about Igor Stravinsky:	•	Perform a simple melody using the voice	

-Stravinsky was a Russian pianist, composer and conductor -He composed in the first half of the 20th century -Stravinsky composed many different styles of music -He used difficult rhythms and his music was often very challenging for performers

-Stravinsky's music did not often follow the traditional rules of music -His music sometimes told a story, such as *Firebird* and *The Rite of Spring*

Spring:

Life Down Under (Geography/ Science) General Style indicators of Aboriginal Folk Music:

-music was and is a key part of Indigenous Australian life

-the didgeridoo is a type of musical instrument commonly played. It is a long tube (usually made from eucalyptus) through which the player blows

-clapsticks are a percussion instrument commonly found in Indigenous Australian music that are like drumsticks (except the player strikes them together instead of against another instrument).

-there are many different genres, including clan songs (songs about family history) and bunggul (songs about long journeys) Summer:

Amazing Inventions (History)

Key information about Bhujhangy Group:

- The world's longest running Bhangra band
- Group were founded near Birmingham, UK in 1967
- Introduced western instruments (guitar, accordion banjo) as well as more traditional bhangra instruments such as dhol.

General Style indicators of Bhangra Music:

- Popular style of Indian music
- Fusion of traditional Punjabi and Indian music with Western Pop music
- Developed in 1980s Britain from immigrants
- Now many different styles of Bhangra around the world
- Common instruments are drums. Tabla and dhol drums are the most frequently used, but there are also keyboards and string instruments
- Lyrics are often sung in Urdu, Punjabi, Hindi or English

- As part of a group, maintain an ostinato with the voice (e.g. London's Burning round)
- Recognise visual symbols for start, stop, loud and quiet ,crescendo, decrescendo and pause
- Sing in tune for a limited pitch range (up to an octave)
- Sing in tune with a 4-note pitch range with increasing vocal control
- Develop an awareness of diction when singing (not breathing in the middle of words)
- Sing short phrases independently within a singing game or short song.
- Control breath to control volume
- Use the correct posture for singing straight back, open mouth, control of breathing, feet flat on floor, relaxed shoulders, looking at audience

Composing

Recognise how graphic notation can represent created sounds. Explore and invent own symbols, for example:



- Improvise a rhythm/sound over 8 beats
- Use graphic symbols and dot notation to keep record of composed pieces.
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- Use music technology to capture, change and combine sounds (Chrome Music Lab)
- Create music in response to a non-musical stimulus e,g, storm/car race/ rocket launch and experiment with different timbres for effect
- Begin to use contrasts in dynamics, pitch and tempo in own or group compositions

Listening

-Reflecting and Evaluating

- Talk about a peer's work and make simple suggestions for improvement
- Begin to understand how other composers use changes in pitch, dynamics and tempo for effect
- Recall stories/origins/traditions/historical context of music
- Experience and respond to live music, commenting on pitch, dynamics and tempo

- Aural Awareness

- Start to understand the difference between pulse and rhythm
- Begin to recognise the sounds of different instruments and decide whether an instrument is wind, string or percussion
- Recognise simple melodic shapes and patterns
- Take a lead in activities involving imitation and call and response
- Recognise pitch, tempo, dynamics, duration and articulation in music that is heard
- Tap , walk or clap along to a piece that contains changes in tempo
- Identify beat groupings in familiar music that they sing/listen to regularly (4 and 3 beats)

Musicianship

-Instruments

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	 Energetic style of dance music often performed in weddings 	 Understand that tempo can change within a piece
	and parties.	Perform a simple melody using instruments
		Perform with a strong sense of pulse
		• As part of a group, maintain an ostinato using instruments
		Perform, demonstrating dynamics, pitch and tempo
		Perform and interpret a piece using graphic notation
		• Play follow the leader and compose short rhythms for others to copy (untuned percussion)
		 Perform word-pattern chants and create, retain and perform their own Explore a range of instruments and identify their families
		Explore a range of instruments and identity their families -Notation
		 Follow pictures and symbols to guide singing and playing e.g. 4 dots= 4 taps on the drum
		 Understand simple graphic notation (1 sign for a sound - sign can represent additional
		changes such as dynamics)
		 Recognise dot notation and match it to 3-note tunes played on tuned percussion
3	Autumn:	Singing
5	Britain Rocks (Science)	• Sing a simple melody with technical control of the voice to create a pleasing sound
		 Sing, demonstrating changes in dynamics, pitch, tempo and articulation
	Musician ferme Occie	 Clap or tap a pulse whilst speaking/singing a song
	Musician focus- Oasis	• Recognise visual symbols for start, stop, loud and quiet ,crescendo, decrescendo and pause
	Key information about Oasis:	 Can direct others to start and stop using gestures
	 Formed in Manchester 1990s 	 Maintain a second part in a vocal piece (e.g. rounds)
	 Liam Gallagher (guitar/vocals) and brother Noel Gallagher 	 Sing in tune within an octave pitch range
	(guitar/vocals)	 Sing rhythmically and expressively with increasing vocal control
	 Famous songs "Wonderwall", "Don't Look Back in Anger". 	 Sing a range of musical styles
		 Perform actions confidently and in time with the words
	Genre- rock ("Indie Rock")	 Perform as a group to an audience
	General Style Indicators of Rock:	• Use the correct posture for singing - straight back, open mouth, control of breathing, feet
	Heavily- amplified guitar	flat on floor, relaxed shoulders, looking at audience
	Bass guitar	Composing
	-	• Improvise using voices, tuned/untuned percussion and instruments using a limited note range
	• Drums	(2-3 notes)
	Keyboard sounds	 Invent short, 'on-the-spot' responses for improvisations Contribute to a group performance, performing own part in it
	Often male lead vocals, backing vocals from other members of	
	band	• Choose instruments and playing techniques to create music in response to a non-
	Guitar solo	musical stimulus
	Spring:	 Add pitch names to rhythmic notation
	Water, Water Everywhere (Geography)	• Begin to structure musical ideas, using an echo or question/answer phrases to create pieces
		Compose in response to a greater range of musical stimuli (images and musical sources)
	Musician Focus- Ralph Vaughan Williams	Use the link between syllables and notes in lyrical composition
	Key information about Vaughan Williams:	Layer sounds to create texture
	Born 1872- 1958 in Gloucestershire	Use stick notation to represent crotchets, quavers and crotchet rests
		Listening -Reflecting and Evaluating
	VW wrote music based on English folk music and Tudor music	 Make constructive comments on own and others' music to develop compositions and
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- Believed in making music accessible/ available to all people
- Wrote many different styles (symphonies for large orchestras, operas, church hymns and music for amateur musicians)
- Later on in life his music was affected by his experience serving in WW1.
- Key work: English Folk Song Suite, Sea Symphony, Fantasia on a theme from Greensleeves

General Style indicators of Folk Music:

Vaughan Williams did not stick to one particular genre; he can be classified as a folk composer as well as a 20th century composer

- Folk music can come from any country in the world
- It often uses old melodies/ songs that have been passed down through generations over time.
- Folk music was not originally written down, and is passed to others aurally.
- It can be sung, played, accompanied, unaccompanied.
- Folk music often tells a story or shows a particular feeling

Summer: Ancient Egyptians (History)

Musician Focus- Bob Marley

Key information about Bob Marley:

- Bob Marley (1945-1981) was a Jamaican singing/ songwriter/ musician
- He is famous as a pioneer of reggae
- He led the reggae band "The Wailers"
- Famous songs include Three Little Birds, One Love, No Woman No Cry, Jammin'

General Style indicators of Reggae Music:

- Strong bass and drums
- Guitars/ keyboards in background (usually are the more prominent instruments in mixing).
- Slow-ish tempo, laidback feel
- Bass guitar has some melody
- Drum and bass "groove" avoiding beat 1
- Guitar offbeat on beat 2 and 4

performances.

- Make simple connections and comparisons with music being listened to and own compositions/performances
- Begin to recognise how composers use tempo, dynamics, pitch, articulation and timbre to create effect
- Begin to identify the differences in various musical styles

-Aural Awareness

- Recognise and describe how sounds are made on different instruments
- Sing and recognise short melodic shapes and rhythmic patterns from memory
- Continue to develop an awareness of pulse, duration, pitch, tempo, dynamics and articulation for all aspects of music
- Recognise different meters 3 time and 4 time

Musicianship -Instruments

- Accompany songs on untuned percussion using known rhythms and note values
- Develop performance with **tuned** percussion or melodic instruments by playing melodies using staff notation of a small range (C-E) in whole class or small groups
- Solo copy stepwise melodic phrases with accuracy

-Notation

- Understand how changes in pitch can be shown on a graphic score
- Use dot notation to show higher or lower pitch
- Introduce and understand the difference between crotchets and paired quavers
- Apply word chants to rhythms, understanding how to link each syllable to one musical note
- Understand graphic scores, and how more than one sound can be played at a time to create texture.
- Read and respond to patterns, representing them with stick notation (crotchets, quavers, stave, clef and crotchet rests)

	 Horn section (saxophone, trumpet, trombone) Lyrics link to Rastafarianism or have political message 	
4	Autumn: Radical Rotten Romans (History) General Style indicators of Traditional Indonesian Music: • Most well- known style is Gamelan, which originated in Java, Bali and Lombok • Gamelan consists of an ensemble of tuned percussion, including metallophones, drums and gongs. • The instruments are placed in particular places to create a specific sound • Gamelan can be accompanied by vocalists • Gamelan can also accompany dance, puppet shows or ceremonies • Gamelan Gong Kebyar is style of Balinese Gamelan music based on a pentatonic (5 tone) scale. • Gamelan Gong Kebyar contains many sudden or gradual changes in dynamics, tempo and articulation Spring: Watch Out, Mother Nature's About (Geography) Musician Focus- Anna Clyne Key information about Anna Clyne: • Anna Clyne was born in 1980 in London • She works with both acoustic and electro-acoustic music • She composes for instruments and voice • Clyne was commissioned to compose a piece for the Last Night of the Proms • She has composed many pieces, but one of her best known is Night Ferry- a piece composed for a large orchestra, which is a musical portrayal of quickly shifting emotions and moods. <th> Singing Sing with an awareness of dynamics, pitch, tempo, articulation and timbre, structure, texture, and how these affect a performance Perform using conventional rhythmic/melodic notation including crotchet, quaver, minim, semibreve and semiquaver End words with clear consonant sounds and/or fading away in response to visual cue Maintain a confident second part in a vocal piece, showing an understanding of texture (e.g. partner songs, rounds and simple part harmony) Continue to sing rhythmically and expressively using a range of an octave with increased control Demonstrate awareness of the need for good posture and diction whilst singing in order to maintain a pleasing sound Can follow visual cues when singing in order to crescendo and diminuendo Perform a range of styles to an audience Use the correct posture for singing - straight back, open mouth, control of breathing, feet flat on floor, relaxed shoulders, looking at audience Composing Improvise with increasing confidence on a limited range of pitches on the recorder (2-3 notes). Use the articulations legato and staccato in own improvisations Consider the overall structure of improvisations and classify as binary or ternary. Can add words to an existing piece of music to create a song Add pitch names to rhythmic notation to create melodies Consider the effect of playing techniques and instrument choice to create timbre and texture. Introduce major and minor chords as a means of creating a specific mood e.g. to accompany a short film clip Explore the extended techniques of the recorder through composition Record compositions using any of the appropriate: "graphic symbols "-rhythm notation/time signatures "-staff notation -technology Listening Reflecting and evaluation Discuss tempo, pitch, dynamics, rhythm, timbre and articulati</th>	 Singing Sing with an awareness of dynamics, pitch, tempo, articulation and timbre, structure, texture, and how these affect a performance Perform using conventional rhythmic/melodic notation including crotchet, quaver, minim, semibreve and semiquaver End words with clear consonant sounds and/or fading away in response to visual cue Maintain a confident second part in a vocal piece, showing an understanding of texture (e.g. partner songs, rounds and simple part harmony) Continue to sing rhythmically and expressively using a range of an octave with increased control Demonstrate awareness of the need for good posture and diction whilst singing in order to maintain a pleasing sound Can follow visual cues when singing in order to crescendo and diminuendo Perform a range of styles to an audience Use the correct posture for singing - straight back, open mouth, control of breathing, feet flat on floor, relaxed shoulders, looking at audience Composing Improvise with increasing confidence on a limited range of pitches on the recorder (2-3 notes). Use the articulations legato and staccato in own improvisations Consider the overall structure of improvisations and classify as binary or ternary. Can add words to an existing piece of music to create a song Add pitch names to rhythmic notation to create melodies Consider the effect of playing techniques and instrument choice to create timbre and texture. Introduce major and minor chords as a means of creating a specific mood e.g. to accompany a short film clip Explore the extended techniques of the recorder through composition Record compositions using any of the appropriate: "graphic symbols "-rhythm notation/time signatures "-staff notation -technology Listening Reflecting and evaluation Discuss tempo, pitch, dynamics, rhythm, timbre and articulati
	 Improved technology meant recording of music and ability to share music around the world quickly. 	 Make simple connections and comparisons with music being listened to and own compositions/performances Identify how composers use tempo, dynamics, pitch, articulation and timbre to create effect

	Many political/ historical occasions frequently changed culture	Ask questions about music in other traditions and cultures.
	and daily life, which led to many different music styles at once	 Understand minor and major chords and the effect they will have
	 Technology also led to more musicians travelling the globe, 	-Aural Awareness
	sharing ideas	Recognise and describe how different sounds are made and changed on different instruments
	Summer:	 and how this groups them into different musical families Memorise rhythmic and melodic phrases and match to conventional /graphic pitch notation
		 Recognise simple structures in music that is being performed or listening to (e.g. phrases,
	Struggle for the Kingdom (History)	binary, ternary, verse-chorus)
	General Style indicators of Sea Shanty Music:	Recognise different metres (2, 3 or 4 time)
	Sea Shanties were songs created through improvisation from as	Musicianship
	far back as the 15 th century.	-Instruments
	Although they were sung on boats, sailors took inspiration from	Play with an awareness of dynamics, pitch, tempo, articulation and timbre, and how these
	songs they had learned in their youth	affect a performance
	Sea shanties are work songs designed to accompany difficult	 Perform using conventional rhythmic/melodic notation including crotchet, quaver, minim, semibreve and semiguaver
	chores on ships such as heavy lifting, rowing or lifting anchors.	 Maintain a confident second part in an instrumental piece, showing an understanding of
	 Shanties have a steady beat which encouraged teamwork and 	texture (e.g. partner songs, rounds and simple part harmony)
	helped take sailors' minds off their work.	 Play and perform melodies following staff notation using a small range (e.g. C-G) as a whole
	 There is almost always some sort of call and response structure 	class or in small groups
	Shanties were not originally written down (link to knowledge of	 Identify static and moving parts when performing 2-part pieces
	folk music from Y3 Spring term). They began to be recorded on	Copy short melodic phrases using a pentatonic scale (CDEGA)
	paper hundreds of years later.	• Solo copy stepwise melodic phrases with accuracy at different speeds (allegro and adagio)
	 Many famous musical works use sea shanties as inspiration (Sir 	•
	Henry Wood's Fantasy on English Sea-Songs and Nathan Evans'	-Notation of pitch is recorded
	recent 2021 album "Sea Shanty Music").	• Make the link between graphic score and staff notation in order to demonstrate how change
	Resources for singing and composing available on Sing Up	Know the difference between minims , crotchets, paired quavers and rests.
		Follow a score to a steady beat (3 instruments max.)
5	Autumn:	Singing
	South American Adventures (Geography)	 Sing with an awareness of dynamics, pitch, tempo, articulation, structure, texture and timbre, and how these affect a performance and impact on the audience
	Key information about Sergio Mendes:	 Perform using dynamics, pitch, tempo, articulation and timbre
	-Brazilian musician born in 1941	 Follow and direct others to use visual cues for tempo, dynamics and articulation
	-Began as a classical pianist, but then fell in love with jazz music	 Maintain a third part in a vocal piece showing an understanding of texture
	-Played bossa-nova style, which is type of jazz influenced samba	 Demonstrate awareness of the need for breathing, good posture and diction whilst singing in
		order to maintain a pleasing sound
	-He has been working as a professional musician for over 60 years	• Sing three-part rounds, partner songs and songs with a verse and a chorus
	-Has worked with many recent popular musicians, including Justin	 Perform a range of songs in school assemblies and extra performance opportunities
	Timberlake, John Legend and The Black Eyed Peas	Composing
	-Famous music includes Mas Que Nada and Fanfarra Cabua Le Le	• Construct a piece with simple structure, including binary, ternary, verse-chorus, intro/outro
		 Improvise with increased confidence using a scale pattern
	General Style indicators of Samba Music:	• Use scale patterns to construct melodies, understanding pitch direction, movement by step
	 Percussion instruments such as congas, claves, bongos, 	and leap, and knowing names of notes

maracas

- Samba is music created for dancing
- Samba is up-beat and energetic
- Ensembles include a rhythm section (piano, bass guitar, drums)
- There are often electric guitars and horn section (saxophone, trumpet, trombone).
- Samba was created around the start of the 20th century
- It has roots in Afro-Brazilian culture

Spring:

Maya Mysteries (History)

Key information about Chopin:

-Polish composer/ pianist born in 1810

-Chopin was a virtuoso pianist, which meant he had outstanding talent and ability.

-He mostly composed for solo piano

-Chopin took inspiration from Polish folk music and also composed mazurkas, which is a type of Polish dance.

-He is known as one of music's earliest celebrities

-Famous compositions include Mazurkas Op. 24 and Nocturnes Op. 9

General Style indicators of Romantic Music:

- Expressive music that conveys an emotion, or changing emotions
- Virtuosic music with very different technical skills required
- Previous strict rules for composing music began to be relaxed and challenged

Summer:

Ancient Greeks (History)

Key information about Holst:

-Gustav Holst was an English composer who lived 1874-1934 -Born in Cheltenham

- -He was inspired by English folk music (Like Vaughan-Williams...Y3)
- -Best known as a composer, but also played trombone
- -Believed strongly about music education for women
- -Well known music includes The Planets and St Paul's Suite

- Compositions are sensitive to mood through use of dynamics, pitch, tempo, articulations and timbre, experimenting with the use of harmony
- Begin to use conventional notation for rhythms as well as pitch
- Improvise freely over a drone, developing sense of shape and character, using tuned percussion and melodic instruments
- Improvise to a groove backing, keeping to the beat
- Experiment with a wider range of dynamics (fortissimo, pianissimo, mezzo forte, mezzo piano)
- Compose melodies made from pairs of phrases in either C major or A minor with a chordal accompaniment
- Work in pairs to compose a short ternary piece
- Use chords to compose music based on an atmosphere, mood or environment, using books, films or plays as inspiration
- Understand triads
- Record compositions using any of the appropriate: -graphic symbols
 -rhythm notation/time signatures
 -staff notation
 -technology

Listening

-Reflecting and evaluation

- Discuss the full range of interrelated dimensions of music to make constructive comments on own and others' music to develop compositions and performances.
- Discuss music in objective and subjective terms using musical vocabulary
- Recognise how music reflects its purpose, place and time including other cultures and traditions

-Aural Awareness

- Recognise and identify instrumental families aurally
- Memorise more complex rhythms and melodic patterns and match conventional notation/graphic pitch notation
- Continue to develop an awareness of the inter-related dimensions of music, pulse and articulations
- Recognise simple structures in the music that is being performed or listened to e.g. binary, ternary, verse-chorus, rondo and 12 bar blues
- Compare and discuss differences in performances of the same piece of music
- Recognise a variety of metres (2,3,4 and 6/8)

Musicianship

-Instruments

- Play with an awareness of dynamics, pitch, tempo, articulation and timbre, and how these affect a performance and impact on the audience
- Perform using dynamics, pitch, tempo, articulation and timbre
- Follow and direct others to use visual cues for tempo, dynamics and articulation
- Maintain a third part in an instrumental piece showing an understanding of texture
- Demonstrate awareness of the need for breathing and good posture whilst playing in order to maintain a pleasing sound

	General Style indicators of 20 th Century Music: -Refer to folk music as taught in Y3 as Holst took inspiration from this - Music often inspired by political events of the 20 th century (e.g world wars) -Musicians wanted to break away from traditional music and try new ideas -Musicians were keen to be radical and different	 Perform a range of music in school assemblies and extra performance opportunities Play melodies on tuned percussion, melodic instruments or keyboards, following staff notation written on one stave with one octave range Understand how triads are formed and play on tuned percussion, melodic instruments or keyboards. Perform simple chordal accompaniment to familiar songs Perform a variety of instruments to form an ensemble e.g. school orchestra Begin to practise playing by ear (with no sheet music) Recognise and use an octave range - c-c Notation Understand the differences between semibreves, minims, crotchets, crotchet rests, paired quavers and semiquavers. Understand how time signatures are recorded for 2/4, 3 / 4, 4 / 4 Read pitch notation within an octave
6	Autumn:	Read short rhythmic phrases at sight from prepared cards Singing
0	Crime and Punishment (History) Key information about The Specials: -The band formed in 1977 in Coventry -The Specials developed a type of Ska music called "2 Tone". It combined Ska music with punk music. Their music was usually a faster tempo than traditional Ska music. -The Specials believed in using their music to protest against racism in the UK	 Use the interrelated dimensions of music while singing Maintain a third part in a vocal piece with an understanding of harmony and texture Perform using conventional rhythmic and melodic notation to play a variety of ostinato and simple pieces/songs including expression and articulation Understand and respond to visual cues with greater accuracy Can direct others to change articulation, and show how to change these within a piece Show a greater mastery and control of tone, diction, posture and breathing consistently Introduce 3 and 4 part rounds and experiment with positioning singers randomly within the group in order to develop greater listening skills, balance between parts and vocal independence Perform a range of songs in school assemblies and extra performance opportunities, including a wider audience
	General Style indicators of Ska: -Ska originated in Jamaica in the1950s -Ska music was a precursor to reggae music (Y3 Summer term) -Off beat rhythms -Walking bass (a bass line that moves regularly at a walking pace) -Guitars and drums were the most common instruments used Spring: One World (Geography) Key information about Claude Debussy: -Debussy was a French composer who lived in the 19 th century. -He was a pianist but decided to compose instead for his career	 Composing Construct a piece with more complex structure, including binary, ternary, verse-chorus, intro/outro and 12 bar blues Can use different scale patterns to construct melodies e.g. major/minor and pentatonic Compositions are sensitive to mood through use of dynamics, pitch, tempo, articulations and timbre, experimenting with the use of harmony and chords Notate composition using a variety of methods, incorporating the interrelated dimensions of music Extend improvisation sections to include repetition and contrast Use chord changes as part of an improvised sequence Extend improvised melodies beyond 8 beats over a fixed groove Plan, compose and notate an 8 beat melodic phrase using the pentatonic scale. Play the composition using available instruments. Enhance composed melodic phrase with chordal accompaniment Use technology to create a ternary composition with contrasting sections

-Debussy was strongly influenced by Russian and Far Eastern music and he used this to create his own style of harmony

-His famous works include La Mer, Children's Corner and Prelude a l'apres-midi d'un faune.

-He mostly composed for orchestras and solo piano

General Style indicators of Impressionist Music:

-Impressionist music focused on atmosphere and mood

-Inspired by the Impressionist art movement pioneered by Monet (see corresponding art topic for spring term).

-Music often contained contrasting timbres and orchestration

-Impressionist music was often used in order to portray a mood, atmosphere or scene.

Summer:

Battle of Britain (History) Transition Project- See p98 of Model Music Curriculum to link to school production.

- To recognise staff notation for sharps and flats full chromatic scale
- Apply the interrelated dimensions of music to compositions

Listening

-Reflecting and evaluating

- Discuss the full range of interrelated dimensions of music to make constructive and refined comments on own and others' music to develop compositions and performances.
- Make connections and comparisons with music being listened to and own compositions, identifying the use of musical devices (e.g. canon, ostinato, repetition, sequence)
- Recognise how music reflects its purpose, place and time including other cultures, traditions and other experiences

-Aural Awareness

- Recognise and identify instrumental families aurally, including instruments from different genres, cultures and traditions
- Compare and contrast instruments from different genres, cultures and traditions
- Memorise more complex rhythms and melodic patterns and match conventional notation/graphic pitch notation
- Recognise simple structures in the music that is being performed or listened to (rondo, variation, 12 bar blues, ternary, verse-chorus, intro/outro, through-composed
- Compare and discuss differences in performances of the same piece of music
- Recognise a variety of metres (2,3,4 6/8 and 5/4)

Musicianship

-Instruments

- Use the interrelated dimensions of music while playing
- Maintain a third part in an instrumental piece with an understanding of harmony and texture
- Perform using conventional rhythmic and melodic notation to play a variety of ostinato and simple pieces including expression and articulation
- Understand and respond to visual cues with greater accuracy
- Can direct others to change articulation, and show how to change these within a piece
- Show a greater mastery and control of tone, posture and breathing consistently
- Introduce 3 and 4 part rounds and experiment with positioning performers randomly within the group in order to develop greater listening skills, balance between parts and independence
- Perform a range of music in school assemblies and extra performance opportunities, including a wider audience

- Notation

- Understand the differences between semibreves, minims, crotchets, crotchet rests, paired quavers and semiquavers and their equivalent rests.
- Read and play confidently from rhythm notation cards and rhythmic scores in up to 4 parts that contain known rhythms and note durations
- Read and play from notation a four-bar phrase, confidently identifying note names and durations