

Curriculum Overview – Music – 2023-2024

Year group	Autumn		Spring		Summer	
	Term 1	Term 2	Term 1	Term 2	Term 1	Term 2
EYFS	Nursery Rhyme Challenge	Celebration Music	Music and Movement	Musical Stories	Big Band Orchestra	Journeys with sounds
Year 1	Pulse and Rhythm	Music, dynamics and tempo	Music vocabulary	Timbre and rhythmic patterns	Pitch and tempo	Vocal and body sounds
Year 2	Hands, Feet, Heart	Orchestra instruments	Musical Me	Dynamics, timbre, tempo and motifs	On this island – British songs and sounds	Myths and Legends
Year 3	Let your spirit fly	Creating composition in response to an animation	Developing singing technique	Pentatonic melodies and composition	Jazz	Traditional instruments and improvisation
Year 4	ABBA – Mamma Mia	Rock and Roll	Body and tuned percussion	Hailu, music and performance	Samba and carnival sounds	Adapting and transposing motifs
Year 5	Livin' on a prayer	Blues	South and West Africa	Holi Festival composition	Looping and remixing	Musical Theatre
Year 6	Rhythm patterns	Film music	Songs of World War II	Themes and variations	Baroque	Composing and performing a leavers song