

Curriculum Overview – Music – 2024-2025

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	Keeping the pulse: My favourite things	Tempo: Snail and mouse	Dynamics: Seaside	Sound patterns: Fairytales	Pitch: Superheroes	Musical symbols: Under the sea
Year 2	Call and response: Animals	Instruments: Musical storytelling	Singing: On an island	Contrasting dynamics: Space	Structure: Myths and Legends	Pitch: Musical me
Year 3	Ballads	Creating composition in response to an animation	Developing singing technique	Pentatonic melodies and composition	Jazz	Traditional instruments and improvisation
Year 4	Body and tuned percussion	Rock and roll	Changes in pitch, tempo and dynamics	Haiku, music and performance	Samba and carnival sounds and instruments	Adapting and transposing motifs
Year 5	Composition notation: Ancient Egypt	Blues	South and West Africa	Composition to represent the Holi Festival composition	Looping and remixing	Musical Theatre
Year 6	Singing songs of World War 2	Film music	Dynamics, pitch and texture: Fingal's cave	Themes and variations: Pop art	Baroque	Composing and performing a leavers song