



Music Curriculum Progression



Year 1						
	Autumn One	Autumn Two	Spring One	Spring Two	Summer One	Summer Two
Music	Pulse and tempo	Pitch and Christmas performance	Duration	Timbre	Inter-related dimensions of music: Traditional stories	Review and End of year performance
Coverage	NC 3: Listen with	NC 1: Use their voices	NC 2: Play tuned and	NC 3: Listen with	NC 4: Experiment with,	NC 1: Use their voices
	concentration and	expressively and	untuned instruments	concentration and	create, select and	expressively and
	understanding to a range	creatively by singing	musically	understanding to a range	combine sounds using	creatively by singing
	of high-quality live and	songs and speaking		of high-quality live and	the inter-related	songs and speaking
	recorded music	chants and rhymes	Also NC 1	recorded music	dimensions of music.	chants and rhymes
	Also NC 1, NC 2	Also NC 2, NC 3		Also NC 1, NC 2	Also NC 2	Also NC 2





Year 2						
	Autumn One	Autumn Two	Spring One	Spring Two	Summer One	Summer Two
	Beat, tempo and metre	Pitch and	Rhythm	Timbre: Instruments of	Descriptive music	Review and
Music		Christmas Performance		the Orchestra		End of Year
						Performance
Coverage	NC 3: Listen with	NC 1: Use their voices	NC 2: Play tuned and	NC 3: Listen with	NC 4: Experiment with,	NC 1: Use their voices
	concentration and	expressively and	untuned instruments	concentration and	create, select and	expressively and
	understanding to a range	creatively by singing	musically	understanding to a range	combine sounds using	creatively by singing
	of high-quality live and	songs and speaking		of high-quality live and	the inter-related	songs and speaking
	recorded music	chants and rhymes	Also NC 1	recorded music	dimensions of music.	chants and rhymes
	Also NC 1, NC 2	Also NC 2, NC 3		NC 1, NC 2	NC 2	NC 2





Year 3	Year 3						
	Autumn One	Autumn Two	Spring One	Spring Two	Summer One	Summer Two	
Music	The Inter-related dimensions of music and Timbre	Pitch Christmas Performance	Pentatonic Music	Sing around the World	Descriptive music	Review and End of Year Performance	
Coverage	NC 2: Improvise and compose music for a range of purposes using the inter-related dimensions of music	NC 1: Play and perform in solo and ensemble contexts, using their voices and playing musical instruments with increasing accuracy, fluency, control and expression NC 4: Use and understand staff and other musical notations	NC 2: Improvise and compose music for a range of purposes using the interrelated dimensions of music NC 3: Listen with attention to detail and recall sounds with increasing aural memory NC 5: Appreciate and understand a wide range of high-quality live and recorded music drawn from different traditions and from great composers and musicians NC 1: Play and perform in solo and ensemble contexts, using their voices and playing musical instruments with increasing accuracy, fluency, control and expression	NC 1: Play and perform in solo and ensemble contexts, using their voices and playing musical instruments with increasing accuracy, fluency, control and expression NC 3, NC 5	NC 2: Improvise and compose music for a range of purposes using the inter-related dimensions of music NC 4, 5	NC 1	



Year 4						
	Autumn One	Autumn Two	Spring One	Spring Two	Summer One	Summer Two
	The Inter-related	Introduction to the	Descriptive Music and	Traditional Music of		Review and End of Year
Music	dimensions of music	recorder	Recorder	the British Isles and		Performance
	and Pitch	Christmas performance		Recorder		
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Coverage	NC 1, NC 3	NC 1, NC 3, NC 4	NC1, NC 2, NC 3, NC 4,	NC 1, NC 3, NC 4, NC 5,		NC 1
			NC 5	NC 6		



Year 5						
	Autumn One	Autumn Two	Spring One	Spring Two	Summer One	Summer Two
Music	Inter-related dimensions of music and Repeating Patterns	Introduction to Ukulele and Christmas performance	Ukulele and Chords	Ukulele and Mood and Music	The Blues	Review and End of Year Performance
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Coverage	NC 1, NC 3	NC 1, NC 3	NC 1, NC 3, NC 4	NC 1, NC 2, NC 3, NC 4, NC 5	NC 1, NC 2, NC 3, NC 5, NC 6	NC 1



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		Autumn One	Autumn Two	Spring One	Spring Two	Summer One	Summer Two			
	Music	Inter-related	Introduction to	Keyboard and Chords	Samba and Music and	Music Technology				
		dimensions of music	Keyboard and Christmas		Media					
		and Riffs	Performance							
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		NG 1 NG 2 NG 2 NG 5	NG4 NG2	NG4 NG2 NG2 NG4	NG4 NG2 NG5 NG6	NGO NGO NGE				
	Coverage	NC 1, NC 2, NC 3, NC 5	NC 1, NC 3	NC 1, NC 2, NC 3, NC 4,	NC 1, NC 3, NC 5, NC 6	NC 2, NC 3, NC 5				
				NC 5						

