| | Autumn 1 | Autumn 2 | Spring 1 | Spring 2 | Summer 1 | Summer 2 |
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| Content | Vocal Graphics | Emerald Crown | Mediæval Music | Orient Express | Orchestra Explorers | Fanfares |
| Declarative | Understand that music | Sing/rap with clear | Give musical context to | Aspects of traditional | What on orchestra is and | Purposes of fanfares. |
| knowledge | can be described by its | diction and sense of | history unit on Mediæval | instrumental Chinese | the role of the | Typical instruments and |
| 'I Know' | component parts ie | phrasing. | realms. | music. | conductor. | why used. |
| | tempo, pitch, dynamics, | Sing in harmony. | Understand that music | Some common Chinese | Learn about each family | Typical conventions and |
| | duration, texture, | Improvise melodically | can be sacred or secular. | instruments. | of instruments in turn | their effect. |
| | timbre, silence, structure | and rhythmically. | Understand and describe | Pentatonic scales, | through video, actual | Notes C, E, G on the |
| | Understand that music | Basic understanding of | features used in | performing and | instruments, | keyboard. |
| | can by notated through | some keyboard features. | Mediæval music. | composing. | performance and | Simple notation of |
| | graphic symbols. | Aleatoric music, brief | Perform solo melodic | Stereotypes in music. | personal account. | melodies including some |
| | Use and interpret | introduction. | parts with accuracy of | Traditional Chinese song. | How to identify and | rhythms. |
| | graphic symbols in a | Using graphic notations | pitch and timing. | Compare modern | classify orchestral | |
| | score. | to create scores. | Understand some | Chinese pop music with | instruments. | |
| | Appraise music from | Compare and contrast | history of music | British pop music. | Identify instruments by | |
| | composers who used | music using Double | notation, also that many | | ear. | |
| | graphic scores. | Bubble sheet, promoting | modern instruments are | | | |
| | Use the voice creatively. | accurate and wider use | descended from | | | |
| | Use elements to | of elements vocabulary | Mediæval ones. | | | |
| | compare versions. | | | | | |
| Skills | How to change an | Keyboard skills – use | Greater familiarity with | Play and compose using | Change voice on | Choose appropriate |
| Procedural | element in a | backbeat; melodic and | simple rhythms and | a pentatonic scale. | keyboard. | voice on keyboard. |
| Knowledge | performance. | rhythmic improvisation. | pitches in the treble clef. | Use an ostinato as a | Read own part in a | Use a range of fanfare |
| 'I know how to' | How to create and | Rapping and singing | Improve ensemble skills | backing. | score. | techniques. |
| | perform from a graphic | | such as maintaining | Notate own melody | Perform as part of a | Perform using correct |
| | score. | | independent part, taking | using note names and/or | large ensemble. | playing technique. |
| | | | a lead in rehearsing, and | staff notation. | | |
| | | | performing. | | | |
| Strategies | Know why graphic | Use previous graphic | Know why music | Know when to take the | Choose appropriate | Know when and why a |
| Conditional | symbols may be used | score knowledge to | notation was invented | lead and when to | voice on keyboard. | fanfare is used. |
| Knowledge | instead of conventional | create dice game. | and developed. | accompany. Whether to | Know when to play as | |
| 'I know when to' | notation. | Choose appropriate | Choose appropriate | use major or minor | part of ensemble. | |
| | | backbeat and tempo. | timbres for music. | pentatonic scale. | | |
| Key Questions | Describe the elements. | How does tempo affect a | Why do some Mediæval | What is a stereotype in | How can you tell the | Why are fanfares still |
| | How can graphic | piece? What is the | instruments sound | music? In what ways can | instruments by ear/by | used? What forms do |
| | symbols be used to | effect of the backbeat | different to modern | we notate our ideas? | sight? | modern fanfares take? |
| | notate music? | you have chosen? Why? | ones? How are the | How can we change the | | Why do they |
| | | | different layers | feel of music? | | traditionally use a |
| | | | performed? | | | limited range of notes? |

| Assessment | Graphic score, | Performing and creating | Performing Mediæval | Composition of melody | Perform in an ensemble | Compose and perform a |
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| topics | performance(s) | simple raps, singing | melody; composing | with ostinato | | fanfare |
| | | | Mediæval style melody | accompaniment using | | |
| | | | | pentatonic scale. | | |
| Cross curricular | Art: pop art (may have | Environmental issues esp | History: unit on | Cultural: Chinese New | Numeracy: counting | SMSC: use of fanfares in |
| links/Character | been studied in feeder | rainforest destruction, | Mediæval realms | Year | beats | Remembrance services |
| Education | school) | sustainability | Numeracy: interval of a | Literacy: Mandarin | ICT: research skills | and other ceremonial |
| | Literacy: correct use of | Geography: Amazon | 5 th , every other (note) | lessons taught to some | Citizenship: working in | occasions |
| | music vocabulary for | river, indigenous peoples | Literacy: vocabulary, | year 7 students | teams, teaching others | Science: frequencies of |
| | elements | eg Ticuna, Brazil | evaluating skills | Numeracy: Lucky and | | notes, harmonic series |
| | Citizenship: team | Numeracy: counting | | unlucky numbers esp | | History: bugle calls and |
| | working, working with | beats, tempo (bpm), | | number 5 | | fanfares in war; |
| | unfamiliar people | Dice game | | Citizenship: Expressing | | Tutankhamun's |
| | ICT: use SMHW to access | | | opinions verbally and | | trumpets |
| | homework | | | written | | |

| | Autumn 1 | Autumn 2 | Spring 1 | Spring 2 | Summer 1 | Summer 2 |
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| Content | Hip Hop and Grime | Reggae | Blues | Adverts | Musical Theatre | Under Cover |
| Declarative | Hip Hop encompasses | Stylistic conventions of | Develop general | How music was first | Origins and | How bands work as a |
| knowledge | four main elements | Reggae music. | keyboard technique | used in advertising. | development of musical | team, utilising individual |
| 'I Know' | (graffiti art, break- | How chords contribute | including the acmp | How music is used to | theatre which have led | strengths. |
| | dancing, MC/rapping, DJ- | to the texture of a song. | feature. | enhance an advert. | to the modern day | Play and perform |
| | ing/scratching/sampling). | Key features of a Reggae | Basic facts about the | Value of a slogan and/or | musical. | confidently using voice/ |
| | Discuss the merits of Hip | bass line. | Blues including a brief | earworm. | Distinction between | playing instruments |
| | Hop and the ethics of | Syncopation and how it | history, conventions | Different types of sonic | musicals and opera. | fluently, and with |
| | using samples from other | is used in Reggae music. | such as AAB structure, | branding eg ident, jingle. | Different types of songs . | accuracy and expression. |
| | music. | Key themes and style of | use of improvisation, | How an advert might be | Voice types. | Song structure. |
| | Basic history of the | Reggae lyrics and | topics for lyrics, walking | shot, what is involved. | Explore the relationship | |
| | genre. | Jamaican patois. | bass, swung quavers, | Evaluate different | between music and | |
| | | Bob Marley and his | blue notes. | adverts, including over | drama. | |
| | | influence. | | time. | | |
| Skills | Compose and perform | Play tonic and dominant | Build on knowledge of | Create an advert from a | Plan a musical including | How to find the |
| Procedural | an effective bass riff. | chords; extension task of | basic chords. | brief. | plot, characters, song | resources to learn a |
| Knowledge | Change the beats in | sub-dominant chord, | Compose simple | Write a slogan and use it | choices, scenery, | piece of own choice. |
| 'I know how to' | BandLab, use this to | different chord shapes. | melodies in a suitable | in context. | costume. | How to support and lead |
| | create an idiomatic | Play riffs from different | style, improvise short | Use a musical 'bed'. | Research skills. | a group performance. |
| | backing track. | reggae songs. | melodies. | | Appraise different | Rehearse effectively. |
| | Create rap lyrics to a | | Play the Blues scale. | | Musical Theatre songs. | |
| | suitable theme, put to a | | Play a walking bass. | | | |
| | looped back-beat. | | | | | |
| Strategies | Explain the effect of | Which part to play and | When to use intro and | Judicious use of music | How to pitch an idea. | Applying knowledge in a |
| Conditional | changing tempo on the | when. | ending buttons; change | including underscoring. | When to lead and when | practical context. |
| Knowledge | back beat. | | the backing style. | | to support in a group | Musical Futures style of |
| 'I know when to' | | | | | endeavour. | peer/informal learning. |
| Key Questions | What is the difference | What musical genres | How did the music of | Why is music effective in | How are different voice | What makes a suitable |
| | between Hip Hop and | resulted in reggae? | enslaved people | an advert? How do | types matched to | piece for performance in |
| | rap? What makes a good | | influence the Blues? | adverts aim to influence | characters? Why? | school? What makes an |
| | rap performance? | | | people? | What is the difference | effective performance? |
| | | | | | between opera and | |
| | | | | | musical? | |
| Assessment | Create and perform rap | Ensemble skills | Improvisation | Create and present/ | Presentation of 'new' | Group performance of |
| topics | lyrics; create a backbeat | Performance of <i>Three</i> | Perform different parts | perform an advert from | musical. | piece of own choice, |
| | | Little Birds | of a Blues. | a brief. | Performance | playing and/or singing |
| | | | | | | and/or rapping |

| Cross curricular | Literacy: poetry, rhyming | History: Windrush | History: slavery in | Media: use of music in | Drama: plot, acting, | British values: |
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| links/Character | patterns, syllables, exact | generation; social and | America | adverts | characters, narrative, | collaboration, |
| Education | and slant rhymes | historic context for the | British values: ethics of | Numeracy: counting | dialogue | communication, team |
| | Numeracy: BPM, | music | slavery/freedom, | beats, changing tempo, | Art: scenery | work, shared |
| | changing tempo, | English: poetry and lyrics | modern slavery | BPM | Dance: opera and | responsibility, |
| | counting beats, rapping | British values: Black lives | Numeracy: counting | Literacy: stating | musical | independence and |
| | in time | matter | beats, 12-bar structure | preference and why, | Literacy: libretto, | democratic decision |
| | Art: graffiti art | Geography: location of | Literacy: spellings of | writing a slogan | presentation skills | making |
| | ICT: using | Jamaica | vocabulary, rhyming | | | |
| | StageLight/BandLab | | patterns in lyrics | | | |
| | British values: copyright, | | | | | |
| | sampling | | | | | |

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| Content | The Passenger | James Bond | Xmas Songs | Variations | Folk Music | Minimalism/EDM | Modal Jazz | Samba |
| Declarative | This is a Musical | How a film | How Christmas | Understand | Purposes of folk | Why, where and | Build on Blues | Origins of Samba |
| knowledge | Futures project | composer uses | songs can be | variation form as | songs. | when Minimalism | learning from year | and Bossa Nova; |
| 'I Know' | that involves | devices such as | created using | a type of musical | Learn about | began. | 8. Recap theory of | background to |
| | whole-group | leitmotifs in film | structure, | structure. | England's oldest | It's effect on | scales including | Samba em |
| | creative music | soundtracks to | melody, | Explore basic | known folk song | other genres | modes; tones and | Prelúdio. |
| | making, building | represent | rhythmic detail, | ways to vary an | (from Reading | including EDM. | semitones. | Basics of jazz |
| | upon and | characters or | accompaniment, | existing theme | Abbey). | Typical | Extended ternary | harmony building |
| | extending skills | situations. | harmony | using the | How/why music | compositional | form/32-bar song | on previous topic. |
| | and experiences | Perform several JB | selection of | elements of music | notation began. | techniques | form. | Understand |
| | students may have | themes. Use a | instruments, | and simple | Basic theory of | associated with | How modal jazz | how jazz fused |
| | developed through | storyboard. | lyrics | musical devices. | scales including | genre. | differs from other | with at least two |
| | outside interests. | , | • | Identify a range | modes; tones and | | jazz genres. | styles. |
| | | | | or orchestral | semitones. | | , , | Main features of |
| | | | | instruments. | | | | the piece. |
| Skills | Contribute | Compose own | Work as a song- | Use different | Perform and | Develop motifs | Simple | Perform samba |
| Procedural | instrumental/ | soundtrack to a JB | writing team to | variation | compose in 6/8 | into longer | transposition. | rhythms |
| Knowledge | singing skills to | film trailer using a | compose an | techniques. | metre. | compositions. | Improvisation | Follow a vocal |
| 'I know how to' | group. | cuesheet to create | effective | Use the basic | Learn music by | Use the basic | using different | score |
| | Ensemble skills. | music to fit with | performance | functions of | ear (aural skills). | functions of | modes. | Identify main |
| | | exact timings. | using vocals, | Sibelius, one of | Arrangement | Cubase, one of | Create a melody | features |
| | | J | keyboards | the main music | skills. | the main music | using a mode. | Create extended |
| | | | and/or other | writing software | | writing software | | chords |
| | | | instruments | packages. | | packages. | | |
| Strategies | When to take the | When to use | Choose suitable | How the elements | Appropriate | How | Choice of mode | Use of specific |
| Conditional | lead, when to | musical effects, | tonality/chords | of music can be | choice of | development of | Adapt | vocabulary to |
| Knowledge | accept ideas from | how they work. | to fit lyrics | used and | instruments and | small melodic | improvisations to | explain key |
| 'I know when to' | others | - | · | manipulated to | timbres; compose | fragments can be | fit genre | features. |
| | | | | create different | using stylistic | used to create a | | |
| | | | | effects. | features of genre | calming effect. | | |
| Key Questions | How do bands | What devices can | How will your | How can we use | Why is folk music | What musical, | How are scales | What are the main |
| | work as an | be used to under- | music reflect the | the elements of | popular and | compositional | and modes | features of this set |
| | ensemble? How | score different | sentiment of | music to change | relevant in | and performance | constructed? | work and how can |
| | do you create an | scenes? | your lyrics? | or vary a melody? | today's society? | techniques are | How does modal | you locate them? |
| | effective | | | How can we | What are typical | used in | jazz improvisation | What are the |
| | arrangement? | | | change or vary | conventions of | Minimalism? | differ from other | fusions, how can |
| | | | | the tonality using | folk music? | | jazz genres? | you tell? |
| | | | | major and minor? | | | | |

| Assessment topics | Group arrange- ment and performance of The Passenger | Performance of own underscore to JB trailer | Performance of own song; one song from class to be performed in carol service | Using Sibelius to input existing melody before adding at least two variations | Performance by ear. Arrangement of a folk song. Composition using 6/8 metre. | Creation and performance of cells, longer compositions. | Performance of So What and/or Impressions Improvisation Composition of modal jazz piece | Short answer questions, essay question |
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| Cross curricular links/Character Education | British values: teamworking, peer support, mutual respect Numeracy: counting bars, syncopation | Media: use of music in films Numeracy: accurate timings | Literacy: writing lyrics SMSC: wider implications of Christmas, how seasonal songs reflect this | Literacy: writing a report on the compositional process ICT: using Internet for research; using Sibelius | SMSC: preservation of culture History: often reflects local history, work songs Literacy: oracy skills | SMSC: use of Minimalist style pieces in popular culture ICT: using Cubase | Numeracy: counting beats and bars, syncopation Literacy: vocabulary and spellings | Numeracy: bar locations, lengths of sections, extended chords History: origins of jazz, samba MFL: Portuguese lyrics Literacy: writing skills, vocabulary |

| | Autumn 1 | Autumn 2 | Spring 1 | Spring 2 | Summer 1 | Summer 2 | On-going |
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| Content | Music for a While | Killer Queen | Brandenburg | Beethoven | Star Wars | Defying Gravity | Assessment |
| Declarative knowledge 'I Know' | Importance of ground bass, basso continuo. Word painting | Structure of a pop song. Identify basic guitar techniques | Features of the genre. Revision of basso continuo. | How piano developed and its influence on contemporary | How a film composer uses devices such as leitmotifs to represent characters and | Brief history of the Musical. Background to <i>Wicked</i> . Analysis of set work. Orchestration. | criteria for both performances and |
| | Voice parts Analysis of set work. | by ear. Analysis of set work. | Analysis of set work. | compositions. Beethoven as an innovative composer. Analysis of set work. | situations. Analysis of set work. | | compositions. How to answer questions from Paper 3. |
| Skills Procedural Knowledge 'I know how to' | Follow a score. Recognise variety of common ornaments. Create a simple melody over a ground bass. | Identify basic features of a score such as structure, instruments, different types of notations. | Follow an instrumental score. Identify a concerto/concerto grosso. Identify Baroque music by ear. | Use a motif as a basis for composition. Exploit basic features of an instrument. | Follow a short score indicating a range of instruments. How elements such as melody, texture, rhythm, tonality, harmony are used to create atmosphere and story | Recognise different vocal techniques. Identify main features and explain their relevance. Identify unusual instruments used. | Choose and use range of chords; write idiomatically for performing forces. Perform with expression and control. |
| Strategies Conditional Knowledge 'I know when to' | Why and when ornamentation used. Begin to explore use of perfect cadence. | Compare and contrast set work with selected pop songs from before and after this set work. | Use of specific vocabulary to explain key features. | How elements of music can set up expectation. Basic use of modulation. | When to manipulate elements of music to best effect. How/when to use a fanfare. | Use major and minor tonalities for different effects. 'Aspirational' chorus | Compose idiomatically. Perform in correct genre(s). |
| Key Questions | What features are typical of Baroque music? | What features are typical of Glam Rock? | What features are typical of Baroque music? | How is this adventurous writing for the piano? | How does the music fit the action onscreen? | How does the music reference <i>The Wizard of Oz</i> ? | How do I meet the assessment criteria? |
| Assessment topics | Short-answer questions Essay question | Short-answer questions Essay question Ensemble performance (of part of a Queen song) | Short-answer questions Essay question Basic ternary form composition | Short-answer questions Essay question Developing a short motif in composition. | Short-answer questions Essay question Creating a short underscore using Cubase. | Short-answer questions Essay question Choosing and using a chord sequence. Performance | In-class performances; practice compositions |
| Cross curricular links/Character Education | Baroque existed in Art, Literature, Architecture, Dance and Theatre | History: pop music in late 1950s-60s. Social issues of the early 1970s. | History: patronage system and its influence on composers. How | D+T: improvements in technology | ICT: technology in Music, Cubase | Drama: setting a play/story to music SMSC: friendship, standing up against oppression | ICT: using Cubase, Musescore and Sibelius |

| History: Re- | Literacy: | instruments have | History: develop- | Numeracy: fitting | SMSC: peer |
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| opening of | presentation of | changed over time. | ment of the piano inc | music to exact timings | review |
| theatres during | research to class. | Literacy: vocabulary | fortepiano | of a film | |
| Reformation | Vocabulary | | Art: Classical to | Media: compare with | |
| Literacy: | Tech: use of | | Romantic | use of music in TV, | |
| vocabulary | technology as an | | | other films | |
| ICT: Sibelius | element | | | | |

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| Content Declarative knowledge 'I know' | Afro Celt Sound System African, Celtic, and electronic musical features and traditions. Identify where and how the elements of music are utilised in this set work and what effect it gives. Analysis of set work. | Performance Develop performing skills individually and in groups to communicate musically with fluency and control of the forces used. Develop knowledge, understanding and skills needed to communicate effectively as musicians | Composition Develop an awareness of music technologies and their use in the creation and presentation of music. Idiomatic features of different instruments. Understand the principles of rhythmic, melodic and harmonic construction; form and structure. | Dictation Skills for rhythmic and melodic dictation. Know and use treble clef; greater awareness of tab, and other clefs. | Unfamiliar listening Typical features of different musical styles/genres and eras. | Revision Know the content and context of each of the eight set works. | On-going What the links are between the integrated activities of performing, composing and appraising and how this informs the development of music Assessment criteria. |
| Skills Procedural knowledge 'I know how to' | Follow the score and loops. Identify the main features of African, Celtic and electronic music. Draw conclusions and compare to other music. | Play their instrument/sing with good technique, accuracy and interpretation. Work with other musicians to create a successful performance. | Apply different compositional techniques to their own work. Use different music technology programmes to record their compositions. Compose appropriately for different musical forces. | Read notation(s). Know how to identify intervals and rhythmic values. Use music notation to write down short melodies and rhythms. | Transfer skills used for the set works to unfamiliar pieces of music. Identify typical features of different musical styles/genres and eras. Identify different elements of music. | Apply knowledge to exam questions Draw conclusions and compare to other music in this style. How to answer exam questions. Revision techniques. | How to recognise contrasting genres, styles and traditions of music, and develop an awareness of musical chronology |
| Strategies Conditional knowledge 'I know when to' | When to apply/use subject specific vocabulary. | When to use phrasing and dynamics appropriate to chosen style and mood of music. | Appropriate choice of instruments. Idiomatic use of the elements, techniques and resources for developing and manipulating ideas. | Strategies for notating melodies and rhythms. | Strategy for answering questions, using existing knowledge. | Apply knowledge that is relevant for that question. When to use subject specific vocabulary. | Apply knowledge of style and genre to their performance, composition and exam questions. |

| Key questions | What is fusion? How can you tell this is a fusion piece? What are the main features of this set work? | Does this performance fit the style/genre? Is this performed with accuracy, technique and interpretation? | Does this piece of music fit the purpose/genre/audi ence/occasion? Have you exploited the instruments you have used? Does your composition show musical coherence, development of ideas and technical control? | Does your notation add up the correct number of beats on the bar? Does your notation follow the shape of the melody? | What are the typical features of this genre/style/era? | What are the main features of the set works and how can you locate them? Can you link information to the elements of music? | Are you drawing links between performance, composition and appraisal? |
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| Assessment topics | Short answer questions Essay questions | Two performances: solo and ensemble, combined time of four minutes. Assessed on their skills demonstrated during a live, unedited, uninterrupted performance. | Two compositions: Free and to a brief supplied by the exam board. Combined time of 3 minutes. | Part of the GCSE exam paper, we will use past paper exam style questions. | Short form questions on the unfamiliar work. This will be one of the questions in the GCSE exam paper. | Practice exam questions - short form and essay. GCSE Exam in the Summer term. | Coursework and exam. |
| Cross curricular links/ Character Education | Literacy: essay writing MFL: Celtic culture Numeracy: rhythm and structure History: musical tradition of difference times and places. | Develop creative thinking, aesthetic sensitivity, critical awareness, self-confidence, self-motivation and their own musical interests and skills. Ensemble skills: be able to work as part of a team. | Students consider the effect of the purpose and intention of their composition, the effect of audience, time and place. ICT: using Cubase, Musescore and Sibelius | Numeracy: Rhythmic and melodic dictation. | Being aware of different time periods and what technological developments happen at that time – history, computing, design and technology and science | Exam skills. | |

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| Content | AoS 4 The | AoS 5 | AoS 3 | AoS 2 Clara | AoS 1 VW | AoS 6 | AoS 2 Berlioz | AoS 3 Elfman | AoS 4 Pine | Bach Chorale |
| Declarative | Beatles | Debussy | Herrmann | Schumann | Features of | Stravinsky | Features of | Background | Jazz | Stylistic features |
| knowledge | Who <i>The</i> | Background | Genesis of | Features of | vocal music | Innovative | orchestration | to Elfman and | features | of a Bach Chorale, |
| 'I Know' | Beatles were | both of | film <i>Psycho</i> | instrument | in the late | use of | in the Romantic | his music. | and genres | linking to the |
| | and history | Debussy as | and its | al music in | Romantic | orchestra | era | Performing | over time. | context of the |
| | of the band. | a composer | music. | the | era. | and | What | forces and | Hip hop, | time and place. |
| | Features of: | and set | Use of | Romantic | What a | timbres. | programme | their | R&B and | Typical choral |
| | 60s pop, | work. | strings and | era. | song cycle | How music | music is and | handling, use | jazz fusion. | music of the |
| | barbershop | Features | their varied | History and | is. | supports | how a story can | of elements | Jazz | Baroque. |
| | choirs, Indian | including | timbres to | developme | On | the ballet. | be told through | and their | harmony | Harmony theory, |
| | classical. | elements, | point up | nt of the | Wenlock | Background | an orchestral | effect. | theory | chords, cadences, |
| | The Revolver | fusion | the story. | Piano. | <i>Edge</i> by | of | work. | Leitmotifs | Understand | inversions, key |
| | Album | aspects, | Hitchcock | Context – | Vaugh | Stravinsky | How the idee | and how | the playing | signature, related |
| | analysis. | use of | chord and | influences | Williams | and music. | fixe is used | used. | techniques | keys. |
| | | piano, | how/why | on | analysis | Features | throughout a | How music | on the | Extending melodic |
| | | stylistic | used. | compositio | | including | symphony. | fits the action | saxophone. | and harmonic |
| | | aspects. | Leitmotifs | n. | | elements. | Symphony | on screen. | Back in the | ideas. |
| | | Estampes | and how | Sonata | | Le sacre du | fantastique | Batman | <i>Day</i> album | |
| | | analysis | used. | Form and | | printemps | analysis | Returns music | analysis | |
| | | | Psycho | Fugue. | | analysis | | anlysis | | |
| | | | analysis | Piano trio | | | | | | |
| | | | | in G major | | | | | | |
| | | | | Op17 Mvt1 | | | | | | |
| | | | | analysis | | | | | | |
| Skills | Identify | Identify | Identify | Identify | Identify | Identify | Identify | Identify | Identify | Recreate Bach's |
| Procedural | elements | elements | elements | elements | elements | elements | elements | elements | elements | harmony theory in |
| Knowledge | making | making | making | making | making | making | making critical | making | making | own work to |
| 'I know how | critical | critical | critical | critical | critical | critical | judgements on | critical | critical | compose a Bach- |
| to' | judgements | judgements | judgements | judgements | judgements | judgements | their effect. | judgements | judgements | style chorale. |
| | on their | on their | on their | on their | on their | on their | Compare this | on their | on their | Identify key |
| | effect. | effect. | effect. | effect. | effect. | effect. | work and other | effect. | effect. | signatures, what |
| | Compare this | Compare | Compare | Compare | Compare | Compare | music of the | Compare this | Compare | chords to use and |
| | work and | this work | this work | this work | this work | this work | time. | work and | this work | why. |
| | other music | and other | and other | and other | and other | and other | Draw | other music | and other | Variety of |
| | of the time. | music of | music of | music of | music of | music of | conclusions | of the time. | music of the | compositional |
| | | the time. | the time. | the time. | the time. | the time. | about musical | | time. | techniques. |

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| Strategies | Use subject | Use | Use subject | Use subject | Use subject | Know when to use |
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| Knowledge | vocabulary to | specific | vocabulary | vocabulary | vocabulary | vocabulary | vocabulary to | vocabulary to | vocabulary | cadences, |
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| | key features? | the key | key features? | key features? | the key | features of a Bach |
| | Is this work | features? | features? | features? | features? | features? | Is this work | Is this work | features? | chorale? |
| | typical of its | Is this work | typical of its | typical of its | Is this work | Does your chorale |
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| | inspiration | How? | How? | How? | How? | How? | inspiration | inspiration | How? | |
| | behind this | What is the | What is the | What is the | What is the | What is the | behind this | behind this | What is the | |
| | work? | inspiration | inspiration | inspiration | inspiration | inspiration | work? | work? | inspiration | |
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| | | work? | work? | work? | work? | work? | | | work? | |
| Assessment | Short form | Short form | Short form | Short form | Short form | Short form | Short form | Short form | Short form | Assessed in Yr13: |
| topics | listening | listening | listening | listening | listening | listening | listening | listening | listening | Composition to a |
| topics | questions. | questions. | questions. | questions. | questions. | questions. | questions. | questions. | questions. | brief, Bach |
| | Long form | Long form | Long form | Long form | Long form | Long form | Long form | Long form | Long form | Chorale |
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| Education | | Rhythm | Rhythm and | Rhythm | Rhythm | Rhythm | | Media: film | | |
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| | Britain; | Art: | History: | History: Feminism – | History: | History: | Romantic era | | chords and | illusion of a large choir |
| | Hinduism. | impressioni | mores of the time | female | Context of the | why this | | | general jazz | Maths: problem |
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| Content Declarative knowledge 'I Know' | AoS 4 Bush Features of Pop music music technology developments in the 1980's Features of folk and synth-pop fusion How Kate Bush creates her unique sound Hound of Love album analysis | AoS 5 A Shankar Performing forces and their handling Features of interest for each piece, especially the fusion aspects. Influences on Shankar. Breathing Under Water analysis | AoS 1 Bach Vocal music in the Baroque era. Features of a Baroque Cantata Idiomatic use of the elements of music in this era Ein feste Burg ist unser Gott analysis | AoS 6 Saariaho Background both of Saariaho as a composer and set work. Features including elements, innovative use of 'cello and electronics, spectralism, stylistic aspects. Petals analysis | Performance Idiomatic features of chosen instrument or voice. Background information on each piece. | free or to a brief/ Bach chorales Use stylistic features of Bach chorale to complete two melodies. Use inspiration from set work to create a free composition | Revision Revise all set works |
| Skills Procedural Knowledge 'I know how to' | Identify elements making critical judgements on their effect. Compare this work and other music of the time. Draw conclusions about musical decisions and their effect on the listener. Link time and culture to the music. | Identify elements making critical judgements on their effect. Compare this work and other music of the time. Draw conclusions about musical decisions and their effect on the listener. Link time and culture to the music. | Identify elements making critical judgements on their effect. Compare this work and other music of the time. Draw conclusions about musical decisions and their effect on the listener. Link time and culture to the music. | Identify elements making critical judgements on their effect. Compare this work and other music of the time. Draw conclusions about musical decisions and their effect on the listener. Link time and culture to the music. | Research background to composer and genre. Write and present programme notes. Create a balanced programme of pieces. Interpret musical ideas through performing, with technical and expressive control. | Variety of composition conventions, when used and how. Techniques of modulation. Create balance of repetition and contrast. | Techniques for answering the different types of questions on the written paper. Rhythmic and melodic dictation techniques. |
| Strategies Conditional Knowledge 'I know when to' | Use subject specific vocabulary to make observations and critical evaluations of the set work and other music. Gain inspiration for own compositions. | Use subject specific vocabulary to make observations and critical evaluations of the set work and other music. Gain inspiration for own compositions. | Use subject specific vocabulary to make observations and critical evaluations of the set work and other music. Gain inspiration for own compositions. | Use subject specific vocabulary to make observations and critical evaluations of the set work and other music. Gain inspiration for own compositions. | Demonstrate an understanding of style and context. | Use and apply harmonic and melodic devices. Identify key signatures, what chords to use, why. Variety of compositional techniques | Use and apply knowledge to the exam question |
| Key Questions | What are the key features? Is this work typical of its time and place? How? | What are the key features? Is this work typical of its time and place? How? | What are the key features? Is this work typical of its time and place? How? | What are the key features? Is this work typical of its time and place? How? | What is the background to each piece? How can it be performed stylistically? | What are the stylistic features? What are the assessment criteria? | How is each question assessed? What are the main features? |

| | What is the inspiration behind this work? | What is the inspiration behind this work? | What is the inspiration behind this work? | What is the inspiration behind this work? | | | How are the elements used, what is their effect? |
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| Assessment topics | Short form listening questions. Long form essay questions, comparing the set work to other music. | Short form listening questions. Long form essay questions, comparing the set work to other music. | Short form listening questions. Long form essay questions, comparing the set work to other music. | Short form listening questions. Long form essay questions, comparing the set work to other music. | Performance in recital form of at least 8 minutes of music. Recording sent to exam board. | One composition of at least 4 minutes. Two chorale melodies completed under controlled conditions of up to 6 hours. Marked by exam board. | Written exam paper, set and marked by the exam board. |
| Cross curricular links/Character Education | Literacy: Essay writing Numeracy: Rhythm and structure SMSC: lyrics about near death experiences ICT: Music technology and developments of tech in the 1980's | Literacy: Essay writing Numeracy: Rhythm and structure SMSC: Indian instruments; engage with, and extend appreciation of, the diverse heritage of music in order to promote personal, social, intellectual and cultural development. | Literacy: Essay writing Numeracy: Rhythm and structure History: context of the baroque era | Literacy: Essay writing Numeracy: Rhythm and structure ICT: use of electronics as a performing force | Drama: performance skills English: presentation of self | Media: Film music (if chosen as free composition) Numeracy: Problem solving and harmony theory | Literacy: Essay writing Numeracy: Rhythm and structure History: context of the relevant time period |