



Subject: Music

Year 9 Curriculum Overview

2018-2019

Half Term 1 Artist Profile	Subject Content / Knowledge	To understand musical genre
	Skills	Pitch, dynamics, tempo, sonority, texture, silence, rhythm/duration, structure, instrumentation, melody
	Assessment	Demonstrate understanding through project work and final presentation
Half Term 2 Digital Audio Workstations	Subject Content / Knowledge	To be able to set up and use a Digital Audio Workstation (DAW)
	Skills	Beat, pulse, concatenation, appraisal and beat selection
	Assessment	Create an original audio project
Half Term 3/4 Creating a mix tape	Subject Content / Knowledge	To develop the use of rhythmic notation and use of DAW
	Skills	Rhythm, beat, note duration, pulse, time signatures, exploring notation
	Assessment	Demonstrate understanding through an original 3 minute mix tape
Half Term 5 Film scores	Subject Content / Knowledge	Identifying and creating musical features
	Skills	Structure, form, melody, instrumentation, pitch, rhythm, tempo
	Assessment	Composing a piece of music using a range of musical features in response to a visual stimulus

Half Term 6 Musical Review	Subject Content / Knowledge	To develop a group performance
	Skills	Chords, chord progressions, musical elements, performance techniques
	Assessment	To perform a piece of original music using appropriate techniques