



SUBJECT: MUSIC

	INTENT									
	-	age and inspire pu				•				
confidence in playing musical instruments as well as nurturing their critical engagement, eventually being able to appraise and compose pieces of music.										
AUTUMN EYFS KEY STAGE ONE KEY STAGE TWO										
	YEAR R	YEAR 1	YEAR 2	YEAR 3	YEAR 4	YEAR 5	YEAR 6			
KNOWLEDGE	What is music?	Through	Through	Through	Through	Through	Through			
	Where is the	learning how to	learning to play	learning to play	learning to play	learning to play	learning to play			
	music room?	play the	the Ukulele,	the Ukulele,	the African	Boom	Keyboards,			
	Sing a range of	Recorder,	understand the	understand the	Drums,	Whackers,	understand the			
	well-known	understand the	following	following	understand the	understand the	following:			
	nursery rhymes	following	vocabulary:	vocabulary	following:	following:	Dotted minim,			
	and songs.	vocabulary	Stringed	Pulse, High and	Djembe.	Recap	Dotted,			
	_	Woodwind,	instrument,	low notes,	Songs sung in	Crotchets,	Semibreve,			
		Tonguing, Stave,	Tuned, Plucking,	Octaves,	native African	Quavers,	Time signature			
		Treble clef,	Strumming,	Semiquavers.	language.	Semiquavers	and			
		Crochet, Quaver	Pattern, Chord,	Recap reading	Knowledge of	and rests.	Italian terms.			
		and Repeat sign.	Major, Minor.	music on stave -	origins/history	Minim	Learn to play a			
			How to read	deepen	of African	Semibreve	range of simple			
			music on a stave	knowledge of	music.	Musical	pieces.			
			e.g. FACE	musical notation.	Rounds	dimensions.	How to use			
			EGBDF				musical notation			

			How different rhythms are developed. Major and Minor Keys.	Learning to play specific rhythmic patterns and songs.		Deepen understanding of musical notation.	to record own compositions.
SKILLS	Knowing what music is and where it is taught. Perform songs and rhymes and move in time with the music.	Play 3 note tunes on the recorder musically.	Able to play basic chords rhythmically. Perform a short piece at the end of the unit. Listen with concentration to live music.	Able to play chords from staff and musical notations. Counting bars. Improvisation. Performance skills.	Play and perform solo and ensemble. Play a range of both simple and complex rhythms on Djembe drums. Improvise and compose own rhythms using basic patterns. Listen and appraise live music.	Playing instruments in different parts. Improvise and compose more complex rhythms. Listen and appraise, giving details of what they have heard.	Playing the keyboard. Reading music using the staff. Begin to play using a given time signature. Improvisation and composition of own pieces of music. Listen and appraise – giving suggestions for improvement.

		KET STA	E ONE KEY STA		TAGE TWO		
	YEAR R	YEAR 1	YEAR 2	YEAR 3	YEAR 4	YEAR 5	YEAR 6
KNOWLEDGE	What is	Understand the	Understand the				
	rhythm?	following	following				
	Beats using	vocabulary in	vocabulary in				
	syllables -	relation to	relation to				
	clapping/tapping	singing and	singing and				
	using body	listening to	listening to				
	percussion.	recorded music:	recorded music:				
	What is	Warm up,	Recap Warm up,				
	percussion?	Breathing,	Breathing,				
	Tuned and	Posture, Chant,	Posture, Chant,				
	untuned	Pitch, Dynamics,	Pitch, Dynamics,				
	instruments.	Structure, Pulse	Structure,				
	Untuned	and Rhythm.	Pulse, Rhythm,				
	instruments are	Using	Tempo,				
	good for	percussion	Crescendo,				
	rhythm.	understand the	Decrescendo				
	Specific names	following	and Pause.				
	of percussion	vocabulary:	Using				
	instruments.	Question and	percussion				
	How to keep a	answer phrases,	understand the				
	steady beat	Sound effects,	following				
	using an	Sequences,	vocabulary:				
	instrument.	Rhythm pattern	Improvise,				
		and	Graphic				
		Rhythm	symbols,				
		notation.	Dot notation,				

			Stick notation		
			and Crotchet		
			rests.	 	
SKILLS	Using	Sing simple	Sing songs with		
	understanding	songs, chants or	a small pitch		
	of percussion to	rhymes from	range with		
	keep a steady	memory.	control and		
	rhythm.	Listen to music	accuracy.		
	Explore the	with	To have some		
	different	concentration	understanding		
	sounds of	and	of dynamics and		
	instruments.	understanding.	tempo.		
	Use percussion	Improvise	Listen to most		
	instruments to	simple vocal	music with		
	add sounds	chants and	developing		
	effects to a	create musical	concentration		
	story.	sound effects.	and		
	Children will be	Use body	understanding		
	able to sing a	percussion and	including		
	range of	instruments to	appraisal.		
	familiar songs	play repeated	Create music in		
	and rhymes.	rhythms	response to a		
		maintaining a	musical stimulus.		
		steady beat.	Be able to		
		Respond to the	improvise with		
		pulse in	rhythmic		
		recorded music	phrases.		
		through	Use symbols for		
		movement.	rhythm		
			notation.		

SUMMER	EYFS	KEY STA	GE ONE	KEY STAGE TWO			
	YEAR R	YEAR 1	YEAR 2	YEAR 3	YEAR 4	YEAR 5	YEAR 6
KNOWLEDGE				Learning songs and using appropriate instruments to support the song. Recap pulse, beat and rhythm. Tempo. Begin to understand pentatonic scale.	Develop an understanding of music history. Know how music is created. How to use musical vocabulary when appraising. Pitch patterns. Begin to understand basic musical dynamics. Begin to understand how to use musical notation for own compositions. Develop understanding of pentatonic scale.	Composers and musical history. Difference between live and recorded music. Different musical genres and their features. Song composition	Genres. Rap. Backing track. Funk. Electronic. Rock n Roll. Knowledge of music in since the 1930's.

SKILLS		Singing and	Using musical	Listening to	Listening and
		accompanying	notation of	and appraising	appraising
		with percussion.	beats to record	music.	music. Give
		Performing and	own	Singing	opinions on
		appraising.	compositions.	Reading notes	improvements
		To use	Use knowledge	on a stave.	and styles
		knowledge of	of dynamics to	Playing	heard.
		rhythm and	compose and	instruments in	Improvisation
		tempo as a	perform own	different	and composition
		stimulus to	musical piece.	parts using	of own music
		create a	Perform, record	musical	using notation
		suitable rhythm	and appraise	scores.	on musical
		to accompany a	work using	Improvise	staves.
		given song.	correct musical	Composing	Use technology
		They will be	vocabulary.	different	to compose a
		able to read a	Deeper	musical	simple track.
		musical rhythm	understanding	genres.	
		from standard	of written		
		notation.	musical scores.		

IMPACT (END POINTS)									
EYFS	KEY STA	GE ONE		KEY STAGE TWO					
YEAR R	YEAR 1	YEAR 2	YEAR 3	YEAR 4	YEAR 5	YEAR 6			
In Reception,	In Year 1, children	In Year 2, children	In Year 3, children	In Year 4, children	In year 5, Children	In Year 6, children			
children will be	will be able to	will be able to use	will be able to read	will have developed	will have developed	will have an			
able to play a	recognise	their voices	basic musical	their	their	awareness of			
range of	different musical	expressively and	notation and	understanding of	understanding of	different genres			
percussion	structures e.g.	creatively by	understand beats	rhythm through	the musical staff	of music through			
instruments.	tempo, rhythm.	singing songs and	in a bar. They will	the learning of	and will be able to	history and know			
Children will be	They are able to	chants and rhymes.	be able to play	African Drumming.	learn a song and	their stylistic			
able to sing a	clap or tap to the	Children will play	some tunes a tuned	Through this, they	improvise/compose	differences.			
range of familiar	beat and play a	tuned and untuned	instrument e.g.	have an	using tuned, e.g.	Children can			
songs and rhymes.	few simple notes	instruments	ukulele. They will	understanding of	boom whackers	improvise and			
Children will be	on the recorder.	musically. Children	be able to listen	different genres	and untuned	compose their own			
able to perform in	Children will listen	will listen with	and evaluate a	and the history of	instruments.	music using a			
front of an	with developing	concentration and	piece of music.	music and its	Children will have	variety of			
audience.	concentration and	understanding to a		origins. They can	developed some	instruments using			
	understanding to a	range of high-		compose their own	understanding of	standard notation.			
	range of high	quality live and		rhythms to	composers and	They are able to			
	quality recorded	recorded music.		accompany songs	genres of music	play a tuned			
	music.	Children will		using untuned	through history.	instrument e.g.			
		experiment with,		percussion.		keyboard, reading			
		create, select and		Their compositions		music from a			
		combine sounds		may begin to use		score.			
		using the inter-		some tuned					
		related dimensions		instruments.					
		of music.							
		Children will be							
		able to play a few							
		simple chords on							
		the ukulele.							