

Year 7



Musical Elements

Learning about the building blocks of music



Vocal Skills

Using the voice creatively



Keyboard

Developing keyboard technique and notation reading skills



Instruments of the Orchestra

Recognising different timbres and how they can be used descriptively



World Rhythms

Performing samba, djembe and gamelan

Year 8



Musicals

Musical theatre conventions and features



Film and Game

Creating music to match on screen action



Blues

Origin and influence of Blues music



Music Project

Develop your solo or group performance skills or create your own music tracks

Music Theory
Keys, chords, cadences and how to use them



Year 10



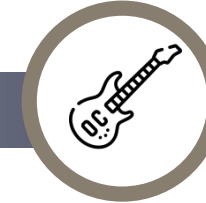
Ensembles

Types of ensemble; musical theatre and jazz



Western Art Music

The history of music and musical instruments and the development of the orchestra



Rock and Pop

Listening, performing and composing in pop styles



Music Theory

Rhythm and pitch notation, keys, chords and cadences

Year 9

Introduction to AoS 3: Film Music
Film music conventions and features; composing for film



- Careers**
- Musician
 - Music teacher
 - Music therapist
 - Sound technician
 - Composer for film/game
 - DJ
 - Broadcaster
 - Events administrator
 - Music journalist

- Literacy Literacy**
- Beat/pulse
 - Rhythm
 - Pitch
 - Tempo
 - Dynamics
 - Timbre
 - Texture
 - Duration
 - Structure
 - Melody
 - Harmony



Introduction to AoS 1: Musical Forms and Devices

Structures in music; historical periods



Introduction to AoS 2: Music for Ensemble

Types of ensemble; chamber music; texture



Going deeper into AoS 4: Pop Music

Analysis of set work 2; composing and performing chord sequences



Going deeper into AoS 1: Musical Forms and Devices

Analysis of set work 1

Year 11



Going deeper into AoS 3: Film Music

Exam style listening; free composition



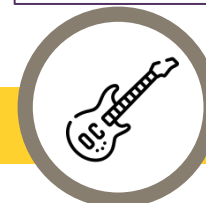
Revision of AoS 1: Musical Forms and Devices

Set work 1 revision; solo performance



Going deeper into AoS 2: Music for Ensemble

Chamber music, musical theatre, jazz and blues; ensemble performance



Revision of AoS 4: Pop Music

Set work 2 revision; free composition