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|  | **EYFS** | **Y1** | **Y2** | **End of KS1 Expectations** | **Y3** | **Y4** | **Y5** | **Y6** | **End of KS2 Expectations** |
| **Listen and Appraise** | • Listen attentively, move to and talk about music and sounds expressing their feelings and responses. | • Listen with concentration and understanding to a range of high-quality live and recorded music. To know five songs off by heart. ● To know what the songs are about. ● To know and recognise the sound and names of some of the instruments they use. To learn how they can enjoy moving to music by dancing, marching, being animals or pop stars. | • Listen with concentration and understanding to a range of high-quality live and recorded music. To know five songs off by heart. ● To know some songs have a chorus or a response/answer part. ● To know that songs have a musical style. ● To learn how they can enjoy moving to music by dancing, marching, being animals or pop stars. ● To learn how songs can tell a story or describe an idea. | **Listen with concentration and understanding to a range of high-quality live and recorded music • Use their voices expressively by singing songs and speaking chants and rhymes. • Play tuned and un-tuned instruments musically. • Experiment with, create, select and combine sounds using the inter-related dimensions of music.** | • Appreciate and understand a wide range of high-quality live and recorded music from different traditions and from great musicians and composers. Develop an understanding of the history of music To know five songs from memory and who sang them or wrote them. To know the style of the five songs. To choose one song and be able to talk about: ● Some of the style indicators of that song (● The lyrics: what the song is about. ● Any musical dimensions featured in the song and where they are used (texture, dynamics, tempo, rhythm and pitch). ● Identify the main sections of the song (introduction, verse, chorus etc). ● Name some of the instruments they heard in the song. ● To confidently identify and move to the pulse. ● To talk about the musical dimensions working together in the Unit songs ● Talk about the music and how it makes them feel. ● Listen carefully and respectfully to other people’s thoughts about the music. ● When you talk try to use musical words. | • Appreciate and understand a wide range of high-quality live and recorded music from different traditions and from great musicians and composers. • Develop an understanding of the history of music To know five songs from memory and who sang them or wrote them. To know the style of the five songs. 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What else was going on at this time? ● To identify and move to the pulse with ease. ● To think about the message of songs. ● To compare two songs in the same style, talking about what stands out musically in each of them, their similarities and differences. ● Listen carefully and respectfully to other people’s thoughts about the music. ● When you talk try to use musical words. ● To talk about the musical dimensions working together in the Unit songs. ● Talk about the music and how it makes you feel. | • Appreciate and understand a wide range of high-quality live and recorded music from different traditions and from great musicians and composers. • Develop an understanding of the history of music To know five songs from memory, who sang or wrote them, when they were written and why? ● To know the style of the songs and to name other songs from the Units in those styles. ● To choose three or four other songs and be able to talk about: ○ The style indicators of the songs (musical characteristics that give the songs their style) ○ The lyrics: what the songs are about ○ Any musical dimensions featured in the songs and where they are used (texture, dynamics, tempo, rhythm, pitch and timbre) ○ Identify the structure of the songs (intro, verse, chorus etc.) ○ Name some of the instruments used in the songs ○ The historical context of the songs. What else was going on at this time, musically and historically? ○ Know and talk about that fact that we each have a musical identity ● To identify and move to the pulse with ease. ● To think about the message of songs. ● To compare two songs in the same style, talking about what stands out musically in each of them, their similarities and differences. ● Listen carefully and respectfully to other people’s thoughts about the music. ● Use musical words when talking about the songs. ● To talk about the musical dimensions working together in the Unit songs. ● Talk about the music and how it makes you feel, using musical language to describe the music. | **• Appreciate and understand a wide range of high-quality live and recorded music from different traditions and from great musicians and composers. • Develop an understanding of the history of music • Use their voices expressively by singing songs and speaking chants and rhymes. • Play tuned and un-tuned instruments musically. • Listen with concentration and understanding to a range of high-quality live and recorded music.**  **• Experiment with, create, select and combine sounds using the inter-related dimensions of music. • Improvise and compose music for a range of purposes using the interrelated dimensions of music. ● Play and perform in solo and ensemble contexts, using their voices and playing musical instruments with increasing accuracy, fluency, control and expression.** |
| **Musical Activities** | Sing a large repertoire of songs. • Know many rhymes,  Sing the pitch of a tone sung by another person (‘pitch match’). • Sing the melodic shape (moving melody, such as up and down, down and up) of familiar songs. • Create their own songs or improvise a song around one they know. • Play instruments with increasing control to express their feelings and ideas  Sing in a group or on their own, increasingly matching the pitch and following the melody | • Use their voices expressively by singing songs and speaking chants and rhymes. • Play tuned and un-tuned instruments musically. • Listen with concentration and understanding to a range of high-quality live and recorded music. • Experiment with, create, select and combine sounds using the inter-related dimensions of music To know that music has a steady pulse, like a heartbeat. ● To know that we can create rhythms from words, our names, favourite food, colours and Listen and sing back, and some different vocal warm-ups. Use your voices to copy back using ‘la’.  To confidently sing or rap five songs from memory and sing them in unison. ● Learn about voices, singing notes of different pitches (high and low). ● Learn that they can make different types of sounds with their voices – you can rap or say words in rhythm. ● Learn to start and stop singing when following a leader. ● Learn the names of the notes in their instrumental part from memory or when written down. ● Learn the names of the instruments they are playing. ● Treat instruments carefully and with respect. ● Play a tuned instrumental part with the song they perform. ● Learn to play an instrumental part that matches their musical challenge, using one of the differentiated parts (a one-note part, a simple part, medium part). ● Listen to and follow musical instructions from a leader. ● Help to create a simple melody using one, two or three notes. ● Learn how the notes of the composition can be written down and changed if necessary. | • Use their voices expressively by singing songs and speaking chants and rhymes. • Play tuned and un-tuned instruments musically. • Listen with concentration and understanding to a range of high-quality live and recorded music. • Experiment with, create, select and combine sounds using the inter-related dimensions of music. 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Use your voices to copy back using ‘la’. ● To confidently know and sing five songs from memory. ● To know that unison is everyone singing at the same time. ● Songs include other ways of using the voice e.g. rapping (spoken word). ● To know why we need to warm up our voices. ● Learn about voices singing notes of different pitches (high and low). ● Learn that they can make different types of sounds with their voices – you can rap (spoken word with rhythm). ● Learn to find a comfortable singing position. ● Learn to start and stop singing when following a leader. ● Learn the names of the notes in their instrumental part from memory or when written down. ● Know the names of untuned percussion instruments played in class. ● Treat instruments carefully and with respect. ● Learn to play a tuned instrumental part that matches their musical challenge, using one of the differentiated parts (a one-note, simple or medium part). ● Play the part in time with the steady pulse. ● Listen to and follow musical instructions from a leader. ● Learn how the notes of the composition can be written down and changed if necessary. | • Use their voices expressively by singing songs and speaking chants and rhymes. • Play tuned and un-tuned instruments musically. • Listen with concentration and understanding to a range of high-quality live and recorded music. • Experiment with, create, select and combine sounds using the inter-related dimensions of music. 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To know and be able to talk about: ● The instruments used in class (a glockenspiel, recorder or xylophone). ● Other instruments they might play or be played in a band or orchestra or by their friends. ● To treat instruments carefully and with respect. ● Play any one, or all four, differentiated parts on a tuned instrument – a one-note, simple or medium part or the melody of the song from memory or using notation. ● To know that using one or two notes confidently is better than using five ● To know that if you improvise using the notes you are given, you cannot make a mistake ● To know that you can use some of the riffs you have heard in the Challenges in your improvisations Improvise using instruments in the context of a song they are learning to perform. To know and be able to talk about: ● A composition: ● Different ways of recording compositions (letter names, symbols, audio etc.) ● Help create at least one simple melody using one, three or all five different notes. ● Plan and create a section of music that can be performed within the context of the unit song. ● Talk about how it was created. ● Listen to and reflect upon the developing composition and make musical decisions about pulse, rhythm, pitch, dynamics and tempo. ● Record the composition in any way appropriate that recognises the connection between sound and symbol (e.g. graphic/pictorial notation). | • Use their voices expressively by singing songs and speaking chants and rhymes. • Play tuned and un-tuned instruments musically.  • Listen with concentration and understanding to a range of high-quality live and recorded music. • Experiment with, create, select and combine sounds using the inter-related dimensions of music. 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| **Perform and Share** | • Explore and engage in music making and dance, performing solo or in groups. | Use their voices expressively by singing songs and speaking chants and rhymes. • Play tuned and un-tuned instruments musically  A performance is sharing music with other people, called an audience. ● Choose a song they have learnt from the Scheme and perform it. ● They can add their ideas to the performance. ● Record the performance and say how they were feeling about it.  Crotchets, Quavers, Minims and Semibreves  C,D,E,F,G,A,B | • Use their voices expressively by singing songs and speaking chants and rhymes. • Play tuned and un-tuned instruments musically.  A performance is sharing music with an audience. ● A performance can be a special occasion and involve a class, a year group or a whole school. ● An audience can include your parents and friends. ● Choose a song they have learnt from the Scheme and perform it. ● They can add their ideas to the performance. ● Record the performance and say how they were feeling about it.  Crotchets, Quavers, Minims and Semibreves  Dotted Minim and Rests  C,D,E,F,G,A,B | ● To rehearse and perform their part within the context of the Unit song. ● To listen to and follow musical instructions from a leader. ● To experience leading the playing by making sure everyone plays in the playing section of the song. Use their voices expressively by singing songs and speaking chants and rhymes. • Play tuned and un-tuned instruments musically.  To know and be able to talk about: ● Performing is sharing music with other people, an audience ● A performance doesn’t have to be a drama! It can be to one person or to each other ● You need to know and have planned everything that will be performed ● You must sing or rap the words clearly and play with confidence ● A performance can be a special occasion and involve an audience including of people you don’t know ● It is planned and different for each occasion ● It involves communicating feelings, thoughts and ideas about the song/music ● To choose what to perform and create a programme. ● Present a musical performance designed to capture the audience. ● To communicate the meaning of the words and clearly articulate them. ● To talk about the best place to be when performing and how to stand or sit. ● To record the performance and say how they were feeling, what they were pleased with what they would change and why.  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