

Mulberry Academy Woodside

Music Curriculum Overview 2023 - 2024

CURRICULUM MAP 2023 - 2024

INTENT: To create a personalised curriculum that promotes a love of learning; provides breadth of knowledge and skills; that is enriching and supportive and seeks to bridge the cultural knowledge gap to provide a platform for our students to succeed in whatever they aspire to do.

DEPARTMENT: MUSIC

KS3		AUTUMN TERM		SPRING TERM	SUMMER TERM		
		TERM 1A	TERM 1B	TERM 2A	TERN 2B	TERM 3A	TERM 3B
YEAR 7	KNOWLEDGE	Rhythms Making Stomp and Percussion Skills	Traditional to modern ensembles/Ode to Joy Developing how orchestras and choirs are developed over time.	Chinese Music Understanding the pentatonic scale, elements and techniques	Structure and Form Ground Bass/Ternary Form Pachelbel Canon Arrangement	All about the Bass! Performing well-known hooks and riffs Developing structure and form in pop music	Rhythms of the World African and Samba drumming Developing polyrhythm patterns Traditional singing and drumming
	SKILLS	Listening Skills Performing Skills Creative skills – recycling objects Ensemble Skills	Score reading Research and listening Ensemble skills Comparing a traditional and modern choir	Reading music notation Listening & Composition	Composing skills Theory skills Performing skills	Composing skills Performing Theory Skills Listening skills	Ensemble Skills Performing Skills Listening skills
YEAR 8	KNOWLEDGE	Film Making From Silent to Modern films	Games Music Composition based a character and 8 bit music	History of Blues Exploring music from the 1920's Walking Bass & Chord Progression	Rock n Roll Exploring music from the 1950's Creating I IV V arrangements Building on performance	National Anthems Understanding and appreciating anthems Creating and playing anthems	Celebrating Caribbean Music Reggae Music Calypso Music Mento Music
	SKILLS	Listening & appreciation Composing Score Reading	Listening g Composing Performance	Listening & history Performing (ensemble) Theory and notation	Ensemble skills Performing Skills Theory Skills Chord sequence	Keyboard skills Theory skills Composing skills	Music technology Composing History and influence of world music Technical skills
YEAR 9	KNOWLEDGE	Pop Ballads Writing songs Understanding chord progressions Song structures	Swing and Jazz Devising and creating an arrangement or original song in a clear structure	Programmatic Music and Soundtracks Developing atmospheric music and devising a soundtrack for a given brief	Music and Media Devising adverts or a podcast for TV, Radio or Film Trailers. Building on creative skills and communication skills	Dance Music Developing an appreciation of world music Club Dance and disco	Fusion Music Indian Classical & Bhangra Fusion Devise or perform a medley of two songs from different genres
	SKILLS	Listening and Appraisal Performing Composing	Listening and Appraisal Producing Composing Performing	Composing Performing	Creative skills Producing Ensemble skills	Developing creative skills Composing and arrangement Listening	Communication Social skills Teamwork