Curriculum Map – Music -Year 9

	Half term 1	Half term 2	Half term 3	Half term 4	Half term 5	Half term 6
Key focus	Blues	Reggae	Classical Remix	23/24 Top 40 Remix; 24/25 EDM & Bhangra (Scheme moving from Y8>Y9)	Live Lounge	Musical Theatre
Key knowledge and skills	 To develop knowledge and skills using 12 Bar Blues and Improvisation. 	 To develop knowledge and skills of Reggae using syncopation and riff. 	 To develop knowledge of Classical music and skills of how to develop musical ideas using these concepts. 	 23/24 Top 40 To develop knowledge of how to develop musical ideas using chords and harmonies. 24/25 To develop knowledge of EDM and Bhangra and skills to develop musical ideas using related concepts. 	 To develop ensemble performance skills using variation. 	To develop knowledge and skills of Musical Theatre, developing performance work using these concepts.
Key words/ vocabulary	Primary Chords (I, IV, V) 12 bar blues Improvisation Vocal opportunities- Blues Songs	Syncopation Riff Verse/Chorus Structures Vocal opportunities- Reggae songs	Classical Music Periods Orchestral Sections Music Technology- Sequencing Packages, Loops and Samples Vocal opportunities- Vocal samples	UK Dance Music Technology Vocal Opportunities: Vocal Samples Variations in Composition/ Arrangement Music Technology- Mixing and FX. Vocal opportunities- Vocal samples 24/25 Riff- Loops from other Cultures Northern Hindustani Music Bhangra	Variations in Performance Arrangements using Expression. (Tempo, Dynamics, Timbre.) Vocal opportunities- Pop songs	Voice Types Enhancing Performance using Expression. (Tempo, Dynamics, Timbre.) Vocal opportunities- Musical Theatre songs



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Assessment	Blues scale, 12 bar blues,	Syncopation, riff, melody	Baroque, Classical,	DAW, 4 to the floor,	Intro, Verse, Chorus,	Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass,
method	Head, Solo, Pentatonic, Chords I/1, IV/4, V/5. Challenge: Strophic, Extended Chords (7 th s and 9ths), Modes, Triplet.	with accompaniment, call and response, Ska, Reggae. Challenge: Rastafari, skank, triplet, delay, homophonic.	Romantic, Modern.	Sequencer, Loop, Melody, Bassline, FX, Mix, Reverb, BPM, Volume, Pan. 24/25 Sitar, Dhol, Tabla, Tala, Cyclic Rhythm, Loop, Punjabi, BPM, Sample, DAW. Challenge; Delay, Reverb, Chorus, EQ. 24/25: Tumbi	Instrumental, Outro, Melody, Chords, Accompaniment, Ensemble, Cover, Style, Dynamics, Tempo. Challenge: Middle 8, Mode, Vibrato, Delay, Reverb Strophic.	Set, Props, Orchestra, Conductor, Soloist, Chorus, Choreography. Challenge: Mezzo- Soprano, Baritone, Pit, Libretto, Proscenium, Thrust, Aria, Recitative.
Wider links	Live Performance including Improvisation	Live Performance	Composition using Sequencing Software.	Composition using Sequencing Software.	Live Performance/ Arrangement.	Live Performance.
Enrichment	Links to	Links to	Links to	Links to	Links to	Links to
opportunities	History: The Slave Trade	R.E: Rastafari History: Empire	Maths; Sequences History; Classical periods and context.	Maths; Sequences 24/25 Links to: Geography- Music of northern India and Punjab.	PSHE: Current events.	Drama; Characterisation, Staging and Props.
Careers links	https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesiz e/guides/zjhtng8/revision/1 Rock Band (Improvisation and 12 Bar Blues)	https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesi ze/guides/z3q47p3/revision /10 Rock Band	https://www.bbc.co.uk/teac h/class-clips-video/ks2- music-history-of-music- with-naomi-and-ludwig-6- 20th-century- music/z2q7xbk Immanuel Orchestra (Classical Music)	www.soundtrap.com (Students are supplied with a school account.)24/25 https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesi ze/guides/zt2v34j/revision/3 ?scrlybrkr=471092a3https://www.kalasangam.or g/education-and- outreach/activity-packs/Rock Band Glee Club (Rock and Pop)	https://www.bbc.co.uk/progr ammes/p01029mq/episode s/player Rock Band Glee Club (Cover Versions)	https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesi ze/guides/z2hr7ty/revision/ 1 Show Band School Musical



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