



	Y1	Y2	Y3/4	Y5	Y6
Listen and Appraise	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● To know 5 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. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 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. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 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: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Its 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 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● To know five songs from memory, who sang or wrote them, when they were written and, if possible, why? ● To know the style of the five songs and to name other songs from the Units in those styles. ● To choose two or three other songs and be able to talk about: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Some of 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 and pitch) ○ Identify the main sections of the songs (intro, verse, chorus etc.) ○ Name some of the instruments they heard in the songs ○ The historical context of the songs. What else was going on at this time? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 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: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 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
Musical activities - Warm up games	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 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 animals. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 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 animals. ● Rhythms are different from the steady pulse. ● We add high and low sounds, pitch, when we sing and play our instruments. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Know how to find and demonstrate the pulse. ● Know the difference between pulse and rhythm. ● Know how pulse, rhythm and pitch work together to create a song. ● Know that every piece of music has a pulse/steady beat. ● Know the difference between a musical question and an answer. 	<p>Know and be able to talk about:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● How pulse, rhythm, pitch, tempo, dynamics, texture and structure work together and how they connect in a song ● How to keep the internal pulse ● Musical Leadership: creating musical ideas for the group to copy or respond to 	<p>Know and be able to talk about:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● How pulse, rhythm, pitch, tempo, dynamics, texture and structure work together to create a song or music ● How to keep the internal pulse ● Musical Leadership: creating musical ideas for the group to copy or respond to



<p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">Singing</p>	<p>To confidently sing or rap five songs from memory and sing them in unison.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 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. 	<p>To know and be able to talk about:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Singing in a group can be called a choir ● Leader or conductor: A person who the choir or group follow ● Songs can make you feel different things e.g. happy, energetic or sad ● Singing as part of an ensemble or large group is fun, but that you must listen to each other ● To know why you must warm up your voice 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● To know and confidently sing five songs and their parts from memory, and to sing them with a strong internal pulse. ● To choose a song and be able to talk about: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Its main features ○ Singing in unison, the solo, lead vocal, backing vocals or rapping ○ To know what the song is about and the meaning of the lyrics ○ To know and explain the importance of warming up your voice 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● To know and confidently sing five songs and their parts from memory, and to sing them with a strong internal pulse. ● To know about the style of the songs so you can represent the feeling and context to your audience ● To choose a song and be able to talk about: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Its main features ○ Singing in unison, the solo, lead vocal, backing vocals or rapping ○ To know what the song is about and the meaning of the lyrics ○ To know and explain the importance of warming up your voice
<p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">Playing instruments</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 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. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 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. 	<p>To know and be able to talk about:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● The instruments used in class (a glockenspiel, a recorder) 	<p>To know and be able to talk about:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Different ways of writing music down – e.g. staff notation, symbols ● The notes C, D, E, F, G, A, B + C on the treble stave ● The instruments they might play or be played in a band or orchestra or by their friends 	<p>To know and be able to talk about:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Different ways of writing music down – e.g. staff notation, symbols ● The notes C, D, E, F, G, A, B + C on the treble stave ● The instruments they might play or be played in a band or orchestra or by their friends
<p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">Improvisation</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Improvisation is about making up your own tunes on the spot. ● When someone improvises, they make up their own tune that has never been heard before. It is not written down and belongs to them. ● Everyone can improvise! 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Improvisation is making up your own tunes on the spot. ● When someone improvises, they make up their own tune that has never been heard before. It is not written down and belongs to them. ● Everyone can improvise, and you can use one or two notes. 	<p>To know and be able to talk about improvisation:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Improvisation is making up your own tunes on the spot ● When someone improvises, they make up their own tune that has never been heard before. It is not written down and belongs to them ● 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 	<p>To know and be able to talk about improvisation:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Improvisation is making up your own tunes on the spot ● When someone improvises, they make up their own tune that has never been heard before. It is not written down and belongs to them. ● 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 ● To know three well-known improvising musicians 	<p>To know and be able to talk about improvisation:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Improvisation is making up your own tunes on the spot ● When someone improvises, they make up their own tune that has never been heard before. It is not written down and belongs to them. ● To know that using one, two or three 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 and licks you have learnt in the Challenges in your improvisations ● To know three well-known improvising musicians



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	<p>A performance is sharing music with other people, called an audience</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 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. 	<p>To know and be able to talk about:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 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 	<p>To know and be able to talk about:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 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 ● Everything that will be performed must be planned and learned ● 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 ● A performance involves communicating ideas, thoughts and feelings about the song/music 	<p>To know and be able to talk about:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Performing is sharing music with an audience with belief ● A performance doesn't have to be a drama! It can be to one person or to each other ● Everything that will be performed must be planned and learned ● 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 ● A performance involves communicating ideas, thoughts and feelings about the song/music

Reception

<p>Listen and Respond The children can...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● To know twenty nursery rhymes off by heart. ● To know the stories of some of the nursery rhymes. 	<p>Explore and Create The children can...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● To know that we can move with the pulse of the music. ● To know that the words of songs can tell stories and paint pictures. 	<p>Singing The children can...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● To sing or rap nursery rhymes and simple songs from memory. ● Songs have sections. 	<p>Share and Perform The children can...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● A performance is sharing music.
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