Music progression of Knowledge and Skills							
	Foundation	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4		
	Traditional songs Nursery rhymes Songs from around the world	Exploring songs What's that sound? March to the beat Peace at Last	Taking off - exploring pitch Find the Beat Carnival of the Animals Make that Sound	Untuned percussion Stomp! Notation + recorder Jazz Painting with Sound	Tuned percussion Indian composition Carillon Ten Pieces - Mars Ukelele		
Musical Understanding		How sounds can be <b>made</b> and <b>changed</b>	How sounds can be <b>sequenced</b> (usually with one sound after another)	How sounds can be <b>combined</b> in <b>layers</b> (as well as sequenced one after the other)	How sounds can be <b>combined</b> in <b>layers</b> (as well as sequenced one after the other)		
Listening + Understanding Dimensions of Music	<i>Pitch:</i> respond to high and low sounds <i>Duration:</i> distinguish between steady beat and no beat; recognise long and short sounds <i>Dynamics:</i> respond to loud, quiet, silence <i>Tempo:</i> respond to fast and slow <i>Texture:</i> respond to one sound and to many sounds combined <i>Timbre:</i> explore and respond to a range of vocal, body, environmental and electronic sounds <i>Structure:</i> recognise and identify narratives; same and different	<i>Pitch:</i> recognise and respond to high and low sounds <i>Duration:</i> recognise and respond to steady beat in music heard and performed, and long and short sound patterns <i>Dynamics:</i> identify and respond to loud, quiet and silence <i>Tempo:</i> identify and respond to fast and slow <i>Texture:</i> recognise and respond to one sound and to many sounds combined <i>Timbre:</i> identify wooden, metal, skinned and electronic instruments and their properties by sound <i>Structure:</i> understand and identify musical echoes, repeating patterns, and beginning, middle, end	<i>Pitch:</i> recognise higher and lower sounds; respond to the overall shape of melodies <i>Duration:</i> distinguish between rhythm and beat; understand how rhythmic patterns fit to the beat <i>Dynamics:</i> begin to understand getting louder and quieter <i>Tempo:</i> begin to understand getting faster and slower <i>Texture:</i> recognise how different pieces use different layers of sound <i>Timbre:</i> identify the way sounds are made: blown, plucked, shaken, struck, vocalised, strummed, electronically produced <i>Structure:</i> understand and identify repetition and contrast including question and answer, A-B-A, and verse and chorus	<i>Pitch:</i> distinguish between steps, leaps and repeats in melodies; major and pentatonic scales <i>Duration:</i> consolidate understanding of how rhythmic patterns fit to the steady beat; begin to understand 2, 3 and 4 metre <i>Dynamics:</i> understand and identify getting louder and quieter <i>Tempo:</i> understand and identify getting faster and slower <i>Texture:</i> recognise the density of different textures <i>Timbre:</i> identify a range of non percussion instruments by name; distinguish between different ways of playing percussion instruments <i>Structure:</i> develop understanding of a range of repetition and contrast structures, including use of ostinati	<i>Pitch:</i> distinguish between steps, leaps and repeats in melodies; major and pentatonic scales <i>Duration:</i> consolidate understanding of how rhythmic patterns fit to the steady beat; begin to understand 2, 3 and 4 metre <i>Dynamics:</i> understand and identify getting louder and quieter <i>Tempo:</i> understand and identify getting faster and slower <i>Texture:</i> recognise the density of different textures <i>Timbre:</i> identify a range of non percussion instruments by name; distinguish between different ways of playing percussion instruments <i>Structure:</i> develop understanding of a range of repetition and contrast structures, including use of ostinati		
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Applying understanding	Recognise that musical Dimensions can be used for different purposes Recognise that sounds can he made in different ways, eg: sung, body, instrumental, environmental, electronic Recognise that musical ideas linked to the Dimensions can be represented by signs and symbols, including 3D objects	Identify how musical Dimensions can be organised and used expressively within simple structures Identify how sounds can be made in different ways, eg: sung, body, instrumental, environmental, electronic Develop own signs or symbols for musical ideas linked to understanding of Dimensions	Identify how combined musical Dimensions can be used expressively within movement simple structures dance Identify how the choice of sound source can contribute towards the environment mood or effect in the music heard or performed Use and explore a variety of signs or symbols linked to understanding of Dimensions to communicate own musical ideas	Identify how combinations of Dimensions are used in a variety of musical styles, and to communicate musical effects Identify different families of instruments and their qualities Use and explore notations which are linked to understanding of Dimensions to communicate own musical ideas, including relative pitch Identify composers' intent in music heard and performed Identify how music is produced in different ways including the use of ICT	

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