

Key Stage 3 Curriculum Map 2020-21

Term 2

Year Group: 9	Subject: Music		
Focus/Topic	Objectives	Key Skills/ UAE Links	Home Learning/ Recommended Reading
Introduction to Songwriting.	 To recognise and identify what makes a 'good' song. 	 Knowledge and understanding 	• Listening Task.
 Songwriting: Common Chord Progressions used in Pop Music. 	• To analyse and perform the most commonly used Chord Progressions in Pop Music.	 Knowledge and understanding Performance Skills 	 Practicing Chords Progressions.
 Songwriting: Creating a Chord Progression. 	 To create and perform my own original Chord Progression, based on a set of given chords. 	 Knowledge and understanding Performance Skills 	 Creating a Chord Progression Assignment.
 Songwriting: Identifying a Riff 	 To identify and analyse how a Riff is created, and what makes a successful Riff. 	 Knowledge and understanding Aural Skills 	•
Songwriting: Creating a Riff	 To create and perform my own original Riff. 	 Knowledge and understanding Performance Skills 	 Creating a Riff Assignment.
• The 'ideal' song structure.	 To examine the 'ideal' song structure, and what elements are used in the structure to make a successful song. 	 Knowledge and understanding 	•
	Half Term		
Writing Lyrics.	• To examine the lyric writing process, and how to write our own lyrics.	 Knowledge and understanding Composition Skills 	•
Creating your own song.	 To create a plan for composing and performing our own original song. 	 Knowledge and understanding Composition Skills Performance Skills 	 Composing your song.

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Spring Break				