Wrockwardine Wood CE Junior School

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100D

Music Progression Document

	Year 3	Year 3/4	Year 4	Year 5	Year 5/6	Year 6
To perform	Develop breath control and instrument control. Play or sing a part with increased control, fluency, expression and accuracy on tuned and untuned instruments. Use their voice in different ways, including using a loud or soft voice, and identify simple repeated patterns.	Play or sing music from notation and memory, with increasing accuracy, fluency, control and expression. Sing songs accurately, both solo and as part of an ensemble.	Play or sing music from notation and memory, with increasing accuracy, fluency, control and expression. Sing songs accurately, both solo and as part of an ensemble.	Maintain their part in a performance with confidence, accuracy, fluency, control and expression, and with an awareness of what others are playing or singing.	Maintain their part in a performance with confidence, accuracy, fluency, control and expression, and with an awareness of what others are playing or singing. Maintain a part within an ensemble when singing in a round or in harmony.	Year 6 Take the lead in instrumental or singing performances and provide suggestions to others. Use gesture and expression to create a finished, polished performance.
To compose	To know that music is written in bars, with a set of number beats per bar and time signatures The main pulse of the music and they can be played, clapped, counted or conducted. Identify a pulse in a piece of music, realising that two, three, four or more beats to the bar can be counted. Improvise and compose sequences of sounds and vocals and record them using notes or pictures.	ostinato. Play and create repeated rhythmic patterns. Improvise and compose a sequence of sounds and	To develop the understanding of one type of rhythmic pattern is an ostinato. Play and create repeated rhythmic patterns. Improvise and compose a sequence of sounds and vocals for different instruments and record them using standard or invented notation. Play or sing simple melodies from standard and invented musical notation and symbols.	Confidently understand and explain the rhythmic pattern ostinato. Understand other musical techniques are pitch (high or low), tempo (speed) and dynamics (loudness). Compose and perform a short piece of music, using a range of musical techniques, including an ostinato. Create a composition that combines layers of sound and vocalisations and shows an awareness of pitch, tempo, rhythm, melody and dynamics.	Confidently understand and explain the rhythmic pattern ostinato. Understand other musical techniques are pitch (high or low), tempo (speed) and dynamics (loudness). Compose and perform a short piece of music, using a range of musical techniques, including an ostinato. Create a composition that combines layers of sound and vocalisations and shows an awareness of pitch, tempo, rhythm, melody and dynamics. Use musical notation to perform and write music.	Play and create pieces of music with a clear understanding of pulse and rhythm. Compose and perform a group score using a wide variety of timbres, textures, rhythms and motifs. Use features of musical notation when composing.

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To listen	Recognise and describe	Recognise and describe	Recognise and describe	Explain how pitch, tempo,	Explain how pitch, tempo,	Listen to and comment on a
	sounds and changes in a	sounds and changes in a	sounds and changes in a	rhythm, melody, dynamics	rhythm, melody, dynamics	wide range of genres and
	piece of music using	piece of music using	piece of music using	and major and minor	and major and minor tonality	musical styles using a broad
	musical vocabulary.	musical vocabulary.	musical v oc abulary.	tonality have been used to	have been used to create	musical vocabulary.
	Pitch	Pitch	Pitch	create particular feelings in	particular feelings in the	Pitch
	Timbre	Timbre	Timbre	the listener.	listener.	Dynamics
	Dynamics	Dynamics	Dynamics	Pitch	Pitch	Tempo-
	T	T	τ	Dynamics	Dynamics	Rhythm
	Tempo	Tempo	Tempo	Tempo	Tempo	Melody
				Rhythm	Rhythm	Harmonies
				Melody	Melody	
To describe	Listen and respond to	Compare and evaluate	Compare and evaluate	Use descriptive words and	Use descriptive words and	Identify and explain patterns
music	pieces of music written	different genres of music	different genres of music	relevant musical vocabulary	relevant musical vocabulary	and motifs in live and
music	around the same theme.	using appropriate musical	using appropriate musical	when talking about the	when talking about the	recorded music that provoke
	Pitch	vocabulary.	vocabulary.	elements of live or recorded	elements of live or recorded	feelings in the listener.
	Timbre	Structure of the music	Structure of the music	music within a piece.	music within a piece.	
	Dynamics	Inclusion of typical	Inclusion of typical	Pitch	Pitch	
	Tempo	rhythms	rhythms	Rhythm	Rhythm	
	тепцио	Triguurus	IIIguulis	Pulse	Pulse	
		Harmonies	Harmonies	Duration	Duration	
		Tempi	Tempi	Structure	Structure	
		renget	renge	Timbre	Timbre	
		Dynamics	Dynamics	Dynamics	Dynamics	
		Date of composition	Date of composition	Tempo	Tempo	
		Style of performance.	Style of performance.	Texture	Texture	

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Significant	Describe the lives and	Describe the lives and	Describe the lives and		Describe the lives and	Describe the lives and
	music of romantic	music of famous	music of famous		music of famous Baroque	music of famous classical
	composers.	popular musicians	popular musicians from		composers.	composers.
		from the late 20th	the late 20th century.			
		century.				

General vocab	
accent – where the music is emphasised	
bar – a regular section on a staff, separated by vertical lines. Con-	key signature – the flats and sharps at the beginning of each line, to be played
tains the beats	throughout the piece
beat- unit of rhythm	music
canon – tune that is repeated at regular intervals by different per-	major – a happy sounding piece of measure – a bar in a piece of music
formers, but with different starting times	minor – a sad sounding piece of music
chant – singing in unison, with a similar rhythm to speech	notation – a method of writing music
choir – group of singers	octave – 8 full tones above the key note. Start and end of a scale
chord – 2 or more notes (usually 3) played simultaneously in har-	off beat – the unaccented beat
mony	orchestra – a large group of instruments, usually classical
chord progression – string of chords played in succession, usually	pulse – the constant beat in a piece of music
a pattern	rest – moment when a note is not played for a defined length of time
clef – a symbol on written music, defining what pitch to play the	rhythm – structured groups of accented and unaccented beats
note	scale – successive notes of a key, ascending or descending
crescendo – getting louder	sharp – note to be raised by a semitone
decrescendo – getting quieter	slur – a curve over notes, suggesting that it is slurred together
dissonance – harsh sounds, chords not in harmony	staccato – short, sharp notes
downbeat – first beat in a bar	staff – five horizontal lines on which notes are written
drone – monotonous tone	tempo – speed of a piece
duet – two vocalists or instruments	time signature – how many beats to a bar
dynamics – how loud or quiet a piece of music is	unison – playing or singing the same notes simultaneously
ensemble – all instruments in an orchestra or all voices in a choir,	vibrato – quickly alternating between two notes – a wobbly sound
playing at once.	
flat – playing a note a semitone lower than the written one	<u>Common Tempo words</u>
forte – loud	
harmony – pleasing combination of two or more notes, played in	adagio – slow and calm
background behind melody	allegro – quick and lively
key – system of notes based on a key note	andante – relaxed and flowing
	largo – slow and broad
Note lengths	lento – slow
	moderato – a reasonable pace
Semibreve – 4 beats	rit. (ritardando) – slowing the tempo (also ral. (ralentissez))
Minim – 2 beats	presto – quick and lively
Crotchet – 1 beat	prestissimo – extremely quick
Quaver $-\frac{1}{2}$ beat	
Semiquaver – ¼ beat	
Rest lengths	
Semibreve rest – 4 beats	
Minim rest – 2 beats	
Crotchet rest – 1 beat	
Quaver rest $-\frac{1}{2}$ beat	
Semiguaver rest $-\frac{1}{4}$ beat	