



Music Whole School Overview 2025

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
EYFS	Set up continuous provision in your classroom. See Teacher guidance	Celebration music	Exploring sound	Music and movement	Musical stories	Big band
Year 1	Keeping the pulse (Theme: My favourite things)	Tempo (Theme: Snail and mouse)	Musical symbols (Theme: Under the sea)	Sound patterns (Theme: Fairytales)	Pitch (Theme: Superheroes)	Dynamics (Theme: Seaside)
Year 2	Call and response (Theme: Animals)	Instruments (Theme: Musical storytelling)	Singing (Theme: On this island)	Contrasting dynamics (Theme: Space)	Pitch (Theme: Musical me)	Structure (Theme: Myths and legends)
Year 3	Ballads	Creating compositions in response to an animation (Theme: Mountains)	Developing singing technique (Theme: The Vikings)	Pentatonic melodies and composition (Theme: Chinese New Year)	Jazz	Traditional instruments and improvisation (Theme: India)
Year 4	Body and tuned percussion. (Theme: Rainforests)	Rock and roll	Changes in pitch, tempo and dynamics (Theme: Rivers)	Haiku, music and performance (Theme: Hanami)	Samba and carnival sounds and instruments	Adapting and transposing motifs (Theme: Romans)
Year 5	Composition notation (Theme: Ancient Egypt)	Blues	South and West Africa	Composition to represent the festival of colour. (Theme: Holi festival)	Looping and remixing	Musical theatre
Year 6	Advanced rhythms	Dynamics, pitch and tempo (Theme: Fingal's Cave)	Songs of WW2	Film music	Theme and Variations (Theme: Pop Art)	Composing and performing a Leavers' Song

Fullness of life for all, through working together with the love of Christ.