



Music Curriculum Overview

INTENT	At Lord Street our intent is for children to aspire to be the musicians of the future through gaining experience of music across a variety of genres from local, national and international musicians. Gaining a firm understanding of what Music is, through listening, singing, playing, analysing and composing through the use of their voices and through playing musical instruments. Children will explore their own musical talents using a variety of instruments and prepare their own musical pieces as well as having the opportunity to perform.					
EYFS	Our EYFS lessons are a natural precursor to our Year 1 Music plans and focus not only on discrete music learning but also on how to incorporate music into all the other areas of learning.					
	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
	Child-led learning in continuous provision	Celebration Music	Exploring Sound	Music and Movement	Musical Stories	Big Band
TERMS	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Key Stage 1 (Year 1 & 2)						
Year 1	Pulse and Rhythm Theme: All about me	Classical Music, Dynamics and Tempo Theme: Animals	Musical Vocabulary Theme: Under the Sea	Timbre and Rhythmic Patterns Theme: Fairy Tales	Pitch and Tempo Theme: Superheroes	Vocal and Body Sounds Theme: By the Sea
Year 2	West African Call and Response song Theme: Animals	Orchestral Instruments Theme: Traditional Stories	Musical Me	Dynamics, Timbre, Tempo and Motifs Theme: Space	On this Land: British songs and sounds	Myths and Legends

Lower Key Stage 2 (Year 3 & 4)						
Year 3	Ballads	Creating Compositions in response to animation Theme: Mountains	Developing Singing Techniques 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
Upper Key Stage 2 (Year 5 & 6)						
Year 5	Composition and 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	Themes and Variations Theme: Pop Art	Composing and Performing a Leavers' Song