

National Curriculum objective.

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2. improvise and compose music for a range of purposes using the inter-related dimensions of music
3. listen with attention to detail and recall sounds with increasing aural memory
4. use and understand staff and other musical notations
5. appreciate and understand a wide range of high-quality live and recorded music drawn from different traditions and from great composers and musicians
6. develop an understanding of the history of music.

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WOODPECKERS (YEAR3/4)	Cycle A Sept – even number year	Ballads NC:1, 2, 3, 4,	Instrumental lessons unit: Caribbean* NC:1, 2, 5, 6	Body and turned percussion (Theme: Rainforests) NC:1, 2, 3, 5, 6	Developing singing technique (Theme: Vikings) NC:1, 2, 3, 4,	Haiku, music and performance (Theme: Hanami festival) NC: 4, 5	Changes in pitch, tempo and dynamics (Theme: Rivers) NC: 2, 3, 4, 5
	Cycle B Sept – odd number year	Instrumental lessons unit: South Africa* NC:1, 2, 5, 6	Jazz NC:1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6	Adapting and transposing motifs (Theme: Romans) NC: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5	Creating a composition in response to an animation (Theme: Mountains) NC: 1, 2, 3,	Haiku, music and performance (Theme: Hanami festival) NC: 4, 5	Samba and carnival sounds and instruments (Theme: South America) NC:1, 2, 5, 6

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Eagles	Cycle A Sept – even number year	Composition notation (Theme: Ancient Egypt) NC:1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6	Blues NC:1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6	Theme and variations (Theme: Pop Art) NC: 2, 3, 5,	Dynamics, pitch and texture (Theme: Coast - Fingal’s Cave by Mendelssohn) NC:1, 2, 3, 4,	South and West Africa NC:1, 2, 3, 5, 6	Composing and performing a Leavers’ song** (6 lessons) NC:1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6
	Cycle B Sept – odd number year	Songs of World War 2 NC:1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6	Musical theatre NC:1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6	Looping and remixing NC: 2, 3, 5,	Composition to represent the festival of colour (Theme: Holi festival) NC:1, 2, 3, 4, 5	Film music NC:1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6	Composing and performing a Leavers’ song** (6 lessons) NC:1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6