Subject Curriculum Map – Music

Year 7						
	Unit of Work	Assessment Focus	Elemental Focus	Skills Focus		
Term 1	'Pop 'Till You Drop'	Performance (Vocal)	Pitch			
	Pop Music and the Elements		Dynamics			
			Tempo			
			Rhythm			
			Melody			
Term 2 / 3	'Monkeys and Mallets'	Composition (Rhythmic and	Rhythm			
	The Music of Bali	Instrumental)	Structure			
			Texture			
			Instrumentation			
Term 4	'ABCEasy as 123!'	Understanding	Rhythm			
	Stave Notation	(Rhythm and Pitch Dictation	Pitch			
		Musical Symbols)	Timbre			
Term 5 / 6	'Roll Over Beethoven'	Performance	Pitch			
	The Classical Period	(Keyboard)	Rhythm			
			Melody			

		Year 8			
	Unit of Work	Assessment Focus	Elemental Focus	Skills Focus	
Term 1	'Soul Train'	Performance (Vocal)	Pitch		
	Understanding Soul Music		Dynamics		
			Tempo		
			Rhythm		
			Melody		
Term 2 / 3	'Describe the Vibe'	Composition (Descriptive)	Timbre		
	Understanding Programme		Rhythm		
	Music		Structure		
			Texture		
			Instrumentation		
Term 4	'DEFEasy as 456!'	Understanding	Rhythm		
	Stave Notation	(Rhythm and Pitch Dictation	Pitch		
		Musical Symbols)	Timbre		
Term 5 / 6	'Blast from the Past'	Performance	Pitch		
	Traditional Music Through	(Keyboard)	Rhythm		
	Time		Melody		

Year 9						
	Unit of Work	Assessment Focus	Elemental Focus	Skills Focus		
Term 1/ 4	'Carnival'	Composition (Rhythmic and	Timbre			
	Exploring Samba	Instrumental)	Rhythm			
			Structure			
			Texture			
			Instrumentation			
			Dynamics			
Terms 2-3 /	'Bardcore Bops'	Performance (Keyboard)	Pitch			
5-6)	Music of the Middle Ages		Rhythm			
			Melody			

		Year 10		
	Performance	Composition	Appraisal	Other
Term 1	Ensemble and Solo	Chord Sequence and	Elements of Music	
	Performance	Compositional Structure	Rhythm and Metre	
		Harmonic Rhythm		
Term 2	Ensemble and Solo	Melody	Tempo	
	Performance	Texture	Dynamics	
			Instrumentation	
Term 3	Solo Performance	Harmony	Harmony	
		Compositional Development	Texture	
			Structure	
Term 4	Ensemble Performance	Lyric writing	Melody	
		Lyrical Phrasing		
Term 5	Ensemble Performance	Completing Composition	AoS 1 – Forms and Devices	
			AoS 4 – Popular Music	
Term 6	Ensemble Performance	Recording Composition	AoS 2 – Music for Ensemble	
			AoS 3 – Film Music	
			10 Mark Question	

Year 11					
	Performance	Composition	Appraisal	Other	
Term 1	Ensemble and Solo Performance	Revisiting Composition 1	Pop Music Set Work – Africa (Toto)		
	Exams	Process and Score Writing			
Term 2	N/A	Composition to a Brief	Forms and Devices Set Work – Badinerie (Bach)		
Term 3	N/A	Composition to a Brief	Exam Questions		
Term 4	N/A	Composition to a Brief Recording	Exam Questions		
Term 5	N/A	Process and Score writing	Exam Questions		
Term 6	N/A	N/A	Exam		

Year 12 (2023-24)						
	Unit 385	Unit 349	Unit 303	Unit 310	Unit 362	
	Improving	Planning a Career in	Arranging Music	Composing Lyrics	Lead Performer	
	Instrumental	Music				
	Performance					
Term 1	Task 1 –					
	Maintenance and	Task 1 – Skills Audit				
	Demands					
	Task 2 – Practice		Task 1a – Crime			
	Schedule		Credits			
Term 2	Task 3 – Practical					
	Evidence and	Task 2 – Skills				
	Review	Development Plan				
	Task 4 - Evaluation					
Term 3				Tasks 1a and 1b –		
				Lyric Writing		
				Task 2 – Lyric		
				Analysis		
Term 4				Task 3 – Radio Show	Task 1 – Working	
					Notebook	
Term 5					Task 2 – Video Log	
Term 6					Task 3 –	
					Performance	
					Task 4 – Evaluation	

Year 13 (2023-24)						
	Unit 385	Unit 349	Unit 303	Unit 387		
Term 1	Task 1 – Maintenance and Demands Task 2 – Practice Schedule	Task 3 – Industry Roles	Task 1a – Crime Credits			
Term 2	Task 3 – Practical Evidence and Review Task 4 - Evaluation					
Term 3				Task 1 – Planning your performance Task 2 – Rehearsing for your Performance		
Term 4				Task 3 - Performance Task 4 - Evaluation		
Term 5		Task 4 – Career Action Plan				