

Goodrich CE Primary School Music Sticky Knowledge

MUSIC						
BIG IDEAS	Perform		Compose		Transcribe	
Building Blocks	Singing	Playing instruments	Compose	Digital music	Symbols-Musical notation	Musical Vocabulary
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	Perform	Compose	Transcribe	
Class	Singing	Compose	Symbols-Musical Notation	
	Playing Instrument	Digital Music	Musical Vocabulary	
EYFS	Use their voice to speak/sing/chant.	Make a range of sounds with their voice/instruments.	Represent sounds pictorially.	
	Join in with singing.	Begin to sequence sounds to create a rhythm/beat.	Begin to read pictorial representations of music (e.g.	
	Experiment with creating sounds with different	Repeat short-rhythmic patterns and melodic patterns.	colour coded bells, music story maps).	
	instruments.			
Key Stage	Use their voice to speak/sing/chant.	Make a range of sounds with their voice/instruments.	Represent sounds pictorially.	
1	Join in with singing.	Identify changes in sounds.	Respond to musical indications about when to	
-	Sing songs as an ensemble following the tune.	Make a sequence of sounds for a purpose.	play/sing.	
	Perform in an ensemble with instructions from the	Repeat short-rhythmic patterns and melodic patterns.	Tell the difference between long and short sounds.	
	leader (e.g. hand signals to indicate pitch, duration of	Order sounds to create a beginning, middle and end.	Tell the difference between a fast/slow tempo, loud	
	notes).	Choose sounds to achieve an effect (including the use of	and quiet, high/low sounds.	
	Follow the melody using their voice or an instrument.	technology).	Hear the pulse in a piece of music.	
	Use instruments to perform a simple piece.	Begin to compose short melodic patterns using two or	Describe how sounds are made and changed.	
	Play simple rhythmic patterns on an instrument.	three notes (instruments/voice).	Identify musical structure in a piece of music (verse,	
	Sing/clap a pulse increasing/decreasing in tempo.	Create short, rhythmic patterns – sequences of long and	chorus etc).	
	Respond musically with increasing accuracy to a call	short sounds.	Identify particular features when listening to music.	
	(high/low, loud/soft, fast/slow) and keep a steady	Selective in the control used on an instrument in order to		
	pulse.	create an intended effect.		
	Perform a rhythm to a steady beat.	Create their own symbols to represent sounds.		
		Choose sounds to create an effect on the listener.		

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Lower Key	Learn to hold the instrument with correct posture,	Invent short 'on-the-spot' responses/short phrases using a	Understand stave, lines and spaces, and the treble		
Stage 2	produce a good tone and tongue notes.	limited note-range (e.g 3 notes)	clef.		
01080 -	Learn to play the notes B, A, G, E and may extend to D	Combine known rhythmic notation with letter names to	Play melodies following musical notation (with		
	Learn to perform pieces from memory and by reading	create rising and falling phrases using just three notes (do,	support from onscreen fingering charts) using a		
	musical notation with support from onscreen fingering	re and mi)	small range (3 notes B, A, G). Pitch range may extend		
	charts.	Copy stepwise melodic phrases with accuracy at different	to 4/5 notes and include E/D. Rhythm notation will		
	Learn to play with increasing accuracy (pitch and	speeds, extending to question-and-answer phrases	include crotchets, paired quavers, minims. Word		
	rhythm), fluency, control and expression following	Structure musical ideas (e.g. using echo or question and	chants may be applied to aid understanding of		
	musical instructions such as fast (allegro), slow (adagio)	answer phrases) to create music that has a beginning,	rhythm notation.		
	loud (forte), quiet (piano).	middle and end.	Understand corresponding rests.		
	Suggest ways to improve their performances.	Combine known rhythmic notation with letter names to	Copy short melodic phrases (5 notes) by ear.		
	Demonstrate concert etiquette when performing i.e.	create short phrases using a limited range of 5 pitches and	Play melodies following musical notation (sometimes		
	staying focussed when waiting for the performance to	play these phrases as self-standing compositions.	with support from onscreen fingering charts) using a		
	begin.	Record creative ideas using any of graphic symbols,	small range of 5 notes.		
	Sing songs from memory with increasing expression,	rhythm notation and time signatures, staff notation,	Year 3 - pupils will learn to describe a piece of music		
	accuracy and fluency.	technology.	using music vocabulary.		
	Perform a simple part of an ensemble rhythmically.	Create a simple melody using up to 5 notes.	Year 4 - pupils will learn to use musical vocabulary to		
	Control their voice when singing and pronounce the		describe how a musical element is used to a create		
	words clearly.		mood/feeling effect in a piece or song		
	Improvise (including call and response) within a group				
	using their voices.				
Upper Key	Learn to hold the instrument with correct posture,	Compose melodies made from pairs of phrases in a	Further understand the differences between		
Stage 2	produce a good tone and tongue notes 'cleanly'.	suitable key. These melodies can be enhanced with	semibreves, minims, crotchets and crotchet rests,		
Ū	Learn to play the notes B, A, G, E and D, possibly	rhythmic or chordal accompaniment.	paired quavers and semiquavers.		
	extending to more notes. Word chants may be used to	Create a simple melody (up to 5 or more notes) that works	Understand the differences between 2/4, 3/4 and		
	aid understanding.	musically.	4/4 time signatures.		
	Learn to play with increasing accuracy (pitch and	Plan and compose an 8- or 16-beat melodic phrase using	Read and perform musical notation within an		
	rhythm), fluency, control and expression following	the notes learnt so far and incorporate rhythmic variety	octave.		
	musical instructions such as fast (allegro), slow (adagio)	and interest. Play this melody. Notate this melody.	Read and play short rhythmic phrases at sight from		
	loud (forte), quiet (piano).	Compose melodies made from pairs of phrases in a	prepared cards/online resources, using conventional		
	Peer-assess performances, understanding qualities of a	suitable key.	symbols for known rhythms and note durations.		
	good performance and giving relevant feedback.		Understand the differences between semibreves,		
	Demonstrate concert etiquette when performing i.e.		minims, crotchets, quavers and semiquavers, some		
	staying focussed when waiting for the performance to		dotted notes, and their equivalent rests.		
	begin.		Develop the skills to read and perform pitch notation		
	Sing and use their understanding of meaning to add		within an octave		
	expression.		Read and play confidently from rhythm notation		
			cards/online resources and rhythmic scores in 2		



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Maintain their part whilst others are performing their		parts that contain known rhythms and note
parts.		durations.
Begin to sing a harmony part.		Read and play from notation a four-bar phrase,
Begin to take the lead in a performance/take on a solo		confidently identifying note names and durations.
part.		Year 5 - pupils will use musical vocabulary with
		confidence to explain how musical elements create
		mood/feeling/effect in a piece or song
		Year 6 - pupils will use musical vocabulary with
		confidence to explain how musical elements are
		combined to create a mood/feeling/effect in a piece
		or song.