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 **Music Overview**

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|  | **Cycle A** |  |  | **Cycle B** |
|  | **Academic Year 2022 - 23** |  | **Academic Year 2023 - 24** |
| **EYFS** | **Year 1&2** | **Year 3&4** | **Year 5&6** | **Term** | **EYFS** | **Year 1&2** | **Year 3&4** | **Year 5&6** |
| **Exploring sound** | **Pulse and rhythm** (Theme: All about me - Yr1) | **Instrumental lesson unit: South Africa**  | **Film Music** (Yr6) | **Autumn 1** | **Exploring sound** | **Musical vocabulary** (Theme: Under the sea - Yr1) | **Creating and composing in response to an animation**(Theme: Mountains- Yr3) | **Looping and remixing** (Yr5) |
| **Celebration music** | **Classical music, dynamic and tempo**(Theme: The snail & the mouse - Yr1) | **Developing singing technique** (Theme: Vikings - Yr3) | **Composition and notation**(Theme: Ancient Egypt - Yr5) | **Autumn 2** | **Celebration music** | **Timbre and rhythmic patterns** (Theme: Fairytales - Yr1) | **Rock and Roll**(Yr4) | **Blues** (Yr5) |
| **Music and movement** | **Pitch and tempo** (Theme: Superheroes - Yr1) | **Instrumental lesson unit: Caribbean** | **Musical theatre**(Yr5) | **Spring 1** | **Music and movement** | **African call and response song** (Theme: Animals - Yr2) | **Ballards**(Yr3) | **Dynamics, pitch and texture** (Theme: Coast – Fingal’s Cave - Yr6) |
| **Musical stories** | **Musical me** (Yr2) | **Body and turned percussion** (Theme: Rainforest- Yr4) | **Theme and variations**(Theme: Pop Art - Yr6) | **Spring 2** | **Musical stories** | **Vocal and body sounds** (Theme: By the sea - Yr1) | **Haiku, music and performance**(Theme: Hanami festival - Yr4) | **Composition to represent the festival of colour**(Theme: Holi festival - Yr5) |
| **Transport** | **On this island: British songs and sounds** ( Yr2) | **Jazz**(Yr3) | **Songs of World War Two** (Yr6) | **Summer 1** | **Transport** | **Dynamics, timbre, tempo, and motifs** (Theme: Space - Yr2) | **Changing in pitch, tempo and dynamics**(Theme: Rivers - Yr4) | **South and West Africa** (Y5) |
| **Big Band** | **Orchestral instruments** (Theme: Traditional western stories - Yr2) | **Adapting and transposing motifs** (Theme: Romans- Yr4) | **Composing and performing a leavers song** (Yr6) | **Summer 2** | **Big Band** | **Myths and legends** (Yr2) | **Samba and carnival sounds and instruments**(Theme: South America - Yr4) | **Composing and performing a leavers song** (Yr6) |