Music



Holy Family Catholic High School

Year 9

Curriculum and Assessment Progression Map

Key Learning Constructs to be developed over the academic year. – Core Knowledge	Scheme of Learning Autumn Term	Scheme of Learning Spring Term -	Scheme of Learning Summer Term
	1&2 - Ensemble Skills	3 - Elements of Music 4 - Rhythm & Tempo	5 — Melody and Harmony 6 — Wild Card
 Notation knowledge & application Independent & group rehearsal skills Music development in various times & cultures Melody & Harmony – links between them Sequencing Music effects Minimalism & related terms 	Part 1: Blues Learn about the origins of one of the most influential music styles in the world. Develop knowledge & a a range of playing skills 1) Blue History overview 2) Vamp 3) Walking Bass 4) Improvisation 5) All together rehearse 6) Perform A: Written Assessment A: Filmed Performance Paired perf of 12 Bar Blues combining as many elements as possible Part 2: Punk Learn about the background & context of this style and see its influence around the world. 1) What is Punk? Listening & appraising. Summary.	Part 3: weeks 1-6 Fanfares: Music for Battle & Ceremony Exploring the role of fanfares & learning how they are constructed. From 20 th Century Fox to Rocky, Weddings to the Olympics, and the Roman Army to WW1. 1) Fanfare overview & notation recap 2) Written notation – developing a simple fanfare with template. Analysis of Last Post 3) Music Maths – creating original rhythm for fanfare in parts – repetition & imitation 4) Chords I and V – writing a 4 bar original fanfare 5) Teacher performance and feedback. Visualiser & sequencer A: Filmed Presentation of fanfare using visualiser to class Part 4: weeks 1-6	Part 5: Going Solo Developing solo skills in a style (and using relevant notation) of your choice. Class starters recapping & building rhythm/notation reading skills 1) Rehearsal skills – metronome, breaking down into sections, savvy piece choice 2) Onwards – individual rehearsal 3) Rehearsal & plenary perf. 4) Rehearsal & plenary perf. 5) Rehearsal & plenary perf. 6) Performance A:Filmed Performance with feedback Part 6: weeks 1-6 Theory focus Preparatory work for GCSE course. Pace dictated by class. Pairing/grouping according to relative strength/weakness of individual class members.

	 2) Building a song intro & 'drop' – reading TAB 3) Creating a Riff within a group using TAB notation 4) Creating Punk based lyrics 5) Rehearsing & performing Riff using TAB notation — ensemble skills A: Filmed Performance 	Reggae Learn about the background & context of this style and see its influence around the world. 1) Reggae overview – culture, instruments (brass section , BV,s Rimshot, Bass, Kit, Organ) 2) Basslines, swing rhythms & offbeats. Chords I & IV & V 3) Drum swing pattern, plus music for 'Stir it up' OR '3 Little Birds' OR 'Don't Worry be Happy' 4) 7 th chords - Rehearse 5) Rehearse & perform A: Filmed Performance 6) A: Written Assessment Group performance of classic Reggae songs – keys, bass, drums, Ukelele, Guit	Key concepts explored in greater/lesser depth as required using TeachingGadget exercises and composition tasks; again, dictated by class dynamics. A: Ongoing - Grade 1 theory paper	
Hinterland Knowledge	Parts 1 & 2 Slavery New York Blues Clubs, Improvising 'competitions'. Folklore – The 'Crossroads'. Worksongs Punk & Post-Punk – culture, society, fashion & location	Part 3 Last Post – Remembrance & WW1 and 2. Olympic/Ceremonial events Part 4 Reggae culture/location/Rastafarianism/political achievements & fashion. Bob Marley & Wailers influence Jamaica – flag, colours, location	Part 5 Instrument specific – general knowledge drip-fed into lessons. Part 6 General knowledge & stories drip-fed into lessons.	
Assessment: -Formative Techniques -Summative Piece	 *FF (filmed feedback) *Filmed Final Feedback Strength/Next Step Plenaries & Plenarettes 'I think', 'because', 'however' peer feedback model Live personalised observation & feedback Teaching Gadget quizzes – embedding & interleaving 			

	Parts 1 A: Filmed Performance A: Written Assessment Part 2 A: Filmed Performance	Part 3 A: Filmed Presentation of fanfare using visualiser to class A: Written Assessment Part 4 A: Filmed Performance A: Written Assessment	Part 5 A:Filmed Performance Part 6 A: Grade 1 theory paper
Key Vocabulary	Parts 1 Slavery, slave triangle Swing, triplets rhythms Improvisation, blues scale, hook, walking bass, vamp Harmonica, double bass, trumpet, saxophone, 12 bar blues Part 2 Punk & Post-Punk – Class performance of 'Chaise Longue' style piece Reading/writing TAB notation Riff/Hook Political, Stripped down, hard edged, anti establishment	Part 3 Arpeggio, arpeggiated, triad Chords I, IV, V 'mixed' 1 beat rhythms incl. rests, triplets, quavers & semi-quavers Music Maths & then building a 4 bar 1 part fanfare around chord I triad Melodic repetition/imitation Part 4 Chords, triads & lead sheets 7 th chords Swing, off-beat & syncopated rhythms Creating a Bassline — root, 3 rd , 5 th & Backing Vocals Brass Section Drum Fills Riff & hook	Part 5 Vocab: Expression, confidence, accuracy, communication, organisation, commitment, fluency Plus instrument/piece specific vocab – dependent upon pupil and 1st study instrument Part 6 Vocab: Ties, key signatures, stems, intervals etc. ABRSM Music Theory paper
Key Skills	Part 1 & 2 Knowledge of scales, rhythms & structure – Blues Scale, swing & triplet rhythms, 12 Bar Blues	Part 3 Notation development.	Part 5 Developing/consolidating confidence & knowledge as an instrumentalist

	Notation reading – Vamp & Walking Bass Ensemble/Paired performance skills Improvisation skills Developing composition skills Ensemble performance skills – timing, communication & organisation Improved understanding of reading (& writing) TAB notation	Understanding harmony within 'classical' context – arpeggio's based around chords I & V Melodic devices – imitation & repetition Part 4 Ensemble & performance skills Compositional element – creating Bassline around swing rhythms & Chords I, IV, V Reading skills – lead sheet Semi-improvisatory with rhythmic experimentation around swing/off- beat	Part 6 Developing/consolidating knowledge of notation to aid analysis of set-works
Opportunities Outside the taught Curriculum.	Monday – Diocesan Choir Lunchtime drop-ins Music Club – Weds & Thurs eves Internal performances – HFS Mini-gigs every 2nd Friday Peripatetic lessons – all insts Performance event opportunities - Christmas show, HFS Mini gigs, Liturgies Friday A Capella group School Productions Live Band Visit Visiting musician – management & promotion talk Arts trip to Hepworth Gallery – Y10 (&s some 9) only	Monday – Diocesan Choir Lunchtime drop-ins Music Club – Weds & Thurs eves Internal performances – HFS Mini-gigs every 2 nd Friday Peripatetic lessons – all insts Performance event opportunities - Christmas show, HFS Mini gigs, Liturgies Friday A Capella group School Production - Theatre Orchestral Trip – Feb/March	Monday – Diocesan Choir Lunchtime drop-ins Music Club – Weds & Thurs eves Internal performances – HFS Mini-gigs every 2nd Friday Peripatetic lessons – all insts Performance event opportunities - Christmas show, HFS Mini gigs, Liturgies Friday A Capella group School Productions Y10 & 11 London Arts Trip – Musical Theatre & Galleries