



Music Overview 2023-2024

Autumn Term

<p>Avocet</p>	<p>Autumn 1 We will be learning about music of and inspired by the two World Wars, and creating a whole class audio landscape with contrasting sounds representing the war, to link with war poetry. We will be revising our notation and theory skills with a Harry Potter composition using the keyboards. We will also be learning about and listening to music by our first two Composers of the Month.</p> <p>Autumn 2 This half term we will complete our Harry Potter composition and then concentrating on learning traditional and new songs for Christmas. We will also be learning about and listening to music by our next Composers of the Month.</p>
<p>Budgerigar</p>	<p>Autumn 1 This half term we will be creating a composition based on an extract from <i>The Secret Garden</i>, linking with our topic of The Victorians. We will be considering the elements of music and trying to create atmosphere in different ways and using the keyboards and percussion instruments. We will also be learning about and listening to music by our first two Composers of the Month.</p> <p>Autumn 2 This half term we will be listening to different styles of music from the Victorian era, looking at music hall styles and creating a poster. and studying the development of the piano. Then we will be concentrating on learning traditional and new songs for Christmas. We will also be learning about and listening to music by our next Composers of the Month.</p>
<p>Cuckoo</p>	<p>Autumn 1 We will be learning and then performing a song with differing vocal parts linking with our topic the Romans, and creating our own rhythmic ostinato pieces using the story of Boudicca. We will also be learning about and listening to music by our first two Composers of the Month.</p> <p>Autumn 2 This half term we will be listening and responding to music connected to the Romans and then we will be concentrating on learning traditional and new songs for Christmas. We will also be learning about and listening to music by our next Composers of the Month.</p>
<p>Dove</p>	<p>Autumn 1 We are learning how to notate music in different ways, starting with musical cells, using Anglo Saxon runes to represent different musical ideas. We will be using our notated music to see how we can play the cells in a different order to make it new. We will also be learning about and listening to music by our first two Composers of the Month.</p> <p>Autumn 2 This half term we will be adding pitch to our notation skills and beginning to write melodies using the chime bars. Then we will be concentrating on learning traditional and new songs for Christmas. We will also be learning about and listening to music by our next Composers of the Month.</p>



<p>Eider</p>	<p>Autumn 1 We will be creating music inspired by characters from Viking stories and legends, and starting to learn about notation using rhythm patterns using Viking words and names. We will also be learning about and listening to music by our first two Composers of the Month.</p> <p>Autumn 2 This half term we will learn about writing lyrics by creating new words for an existing song about a famous Viking character. Then we will be concentrating on learning traditional and new songs for Christmas. We will also be learning about and listening to music by our next Composers of the Month.</p>
<p>Flamingo</p>	<p>Autumn 1 We will be composing music in groups with an autumnal theme inspired by linocut pictures, and creating rhythm patterns and music inspired by inventions for our topic 'Remember Me'. We will also be learning about and listening to music by our first two Composers of the Month, Firsova and Ginastera.</p> <p>Autumn 2 This half term we will be responding to music by our next two Composers of the Month, listening to and composing music inspired by Bonfire Night and learning traditional and new songs for Christmas.</p>
<p>Goldfinch</p>	<p>Autumn 1 We will be creating rhythm patterns with an autumnal theme, and composing music inspired by inventions for our topic of 'Remember Me'. We will also be learning about and listening to music by our first two Composers of the Month.</p> <p>Autumn 2 This half term we will be responding to music by our next two Composers of the Month, listening to and composing music inspired by Bonfire Night, and then we will be concentrating on learning traditional and new songs for Christmas.</p>
<p>Hummingbird</p>	<p>Autumn 1 We will be describing and recognising sounds, making music with the percussion instruments, and singing songs to do with our topic of All Creatures Great And Small. We will also be listening and responding to music by our first two Composers of the Month.</p> <p>Autumn 2 This half term we will be responding to music by our next two Composers of the Month, listening to and composing music with the percussion instruments inspired by Bonfire Night and learning some traditional and new songs and carols for Christmas.</p>
<p>Jay</p>	<p>Autumn 1 We will be learning about sounds and how to make them with the percussion instruments, singing some traditional songs and making music to do with our topic of All Creatures Great And Small. We will also be listening and responding to music by our first two Composers of the Month.</p> <p>Autumn 2 This half term we will be responding to music by our next two Composers of the Month, listening to and composing music inspired by Bonfire Night and learning some traditional songs and carols for Christmas.</p>