



Haslingden St. James' C. E. Primary School

Curriculum Map



Music (Kapow)

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
EYFS	Exploring Sound		Music and Movement		Big Band	
Year 1	Pulse & Rhythm: All About Me		Timbre & rhythmic pattern: Fairy Tales		Pitch & tempo: Superheroes	
Year 2	Orchestral instruments (Theme: Traditional stories)		Musical me		West African call and response song (Theme: Animals)	
Year 3	Ballads		Developing singing technique - The Vikings		Traditional instruments and improvisation (Theme: India)	
Year 4	Adapting and transposing: Romans		Samba and carnival sounds		Change in pitch, dynamics, tempo Rivers	
Year 5	Blues		South and West Africa		Composition to represent the festival of colour (Theme: Holi festival)	
Year 6	Advanced Rhythms		Theme and Variations (Theme: Pop art)		Composing and Performing a Leaver's Song	

A 20-week condensed Long-term plan focussing on the essential skills and knowledge of Music, in a shorter timescale.

At St James' C.E. Primary School, we understand that curriculum time is always tight. Therefore, we have created a condensed curriculum version of our Long-term plan to help us to ensure coverage of the national curriculum, without dedicating an hour a week to Music.

We have ensured there is a range of musical styles covered and that the Inter-related dimensions of music (pulse, pitch, duration, dynamics, tempo, timbre, texture, structure, appropriate musical notation) are given similar attention in terms of coverage. This version of our Long-term plan could be used if teaching Music in a two-week, half termly cycle or through blocking the foundation subjects. Or it could simply be used to relieve pressure on curriculum time.