

Music – Year 7

	Learning Aim	Learning Outcome	Useful links and resources
Term 1	Djembe Drumming LA A: Develop musical skills and compositional techniques	Describe and demonstrate how to correctly play the Djembe Understand and apply musical elements and compositional techniques Small group performance of composed Djembe piece	African Music Context and Background https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/z2xbgk7/revision/1 Djembe Techniques https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QYQeh5FX-LM&t=6s https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jUWsvuvZgh4&t=1s
Term 2	Classical Melodies LA A: Develop skills to read music and apply skills in performance	Understand music written in western traditional notation - Treble clef Accurately notate a musical phrase from listening Demonstrate the correct position and technique for playing the keyboard Apply pitch and rhythm notation to a practical performance	Reading Music https://www.musicnotes.com/now/tips/how-to-read-sheet-music/ https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=le10tF_3YWg
Term 3	Intro to Software	Understand and apply how to use composing software to record, edit and arrange parts	Software Tutorial Inspirational versions of Pachebel

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	LA A: Develop software skills to create and arrange a piece of music	Create an arrangement of Pachelbel's Canon using software	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=stCKjZniMsQ https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yyu7EVGC47Y https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7vHTV2gQDxk https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LV5_xj_yuhS
Term 4	Rap LA A: Compose and perform a piece in a Rap style	Understanding the background of Rap as a genre Understand and apply lyric writing techniques to create a Rap Compose a backing track using software Performance of composed rap with a backing created on software	Background of Hiphop https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zgbjq6f/revision/1 Lyric Writing https://www.rhymezone.com/ https://www.thesaurus.com/
Term 5 & 6	Pop Bands LA A: Develop instrumental and rehearsal skills LA B: Apply skills in performance	Understanding the background of Pop music as a genre and some of the roles within the music industry	Pop music https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zbw7pv4/articles/zrrnpg8 Basic drum Beat

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	Describe and demonstrate how to correctly play the instruments Apply instrumental and rehearsal skills to performance of a pop song cover	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=et9hU7OMDYU