Long-Term Curriculum Plan

Lessons per week Key Stage 3:	2 lessons fortnightly in 7, 8, 9
Lessons per week Key Stage 4:	5 lessons fortnightly in 10 & 11

Knowledge/Skills Progression

	Autumn 18 w	Autumn 2 7w	Spring 1 6w	Spring 2 5w	Summer 1 6w	Summer 2 7w
7	Musical Elements	Musical Elements	Musical Notation	Musical Notation	Musicals ensembles	Musicals ensembles
	Introduction to dynamics, tempo, texture, pitch, instruments, timbre)	Introduction to dynamics, tempo, texture, pitch, instruments, timbre	Reading notation treble clef, pitch, rhythm	Reading notation treble clef, pitch, rhythm	Developing vocal skills though melody, harmony, dynamics	Developing vocal skills though melody, harmony, dynamics
8	Blues	Blues	Music Through Time	Music Through Time	Loops and Samples	Loops and Samples
	Melody/improvisation, reading bass clef, chords, syncopated rhythm	Melody/improvisation, reading bass clef, chords, syncopated rhythm	Exploring western classical structure, harmony, melody, rhythm	Exploring western classical structure, harmony, melody, rhythm	Using music tech to focus on verse chorus structure, tonality, texture and melody	Using music tech to focus on verse chorus structure, tonality, texture and melody
9	Film and Video Game Music Manipulating musical elements to create a leitmotif and mood	Film and Video Game Music Manipulating musical elements to create a leitmotif and mood	Fusions Exploring more complex rhythm and texture through fusions	Fusions Exploring more complex rhythm and texture through fusions	Popular song Developing ensemble performance skills through popular songs	Popular song (PLP) Developing ensemble performance skills through popular songs
10	AoS 1	AoS 1	AoS 2	AoS 2	AoS 3	AoS 3
	Set work Badinerie Western classical tradition NEA Free Composition NEA Performance	Set work Badinerie Western classical tradition NEA Free Composition NEA Performance	Ensembles (vocal, jazz and blues) NEA Free Composition NEA Performance	Ensembles (vocal, jazz and blues) NEA Free Composition NEA Performance	Film Music NEA Free Composition NEA Performance	Film Music NEA Free Composition NEA Performance
11	AoS 4	AoS 4	AoS 1-4	AoS 1-4	AoS 1-4	
	Set work Toto and Popular music NEA Set Brief Composition	Set work Toto and Popular music NEA Set Brief Composition	Revision of all AoS NEA Composition NEA Performance	Revision of all AoS	Revision of all AoS	

NEA Performance	NEA Performance		