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<u>Year 3</u>	Autumn	Spring	Summer
1	Creating compositions in response to an animation – listening, understanding pitch, dynamics and tempo. Creating a composition	Pentatonic Melodies and Composition Learning what a pentatonic melody is and composing a piece layering melodies.	Traditional instruments and improvisation Using the theme of Indian music to improvise and perform.
2	Developing Singing Technique – group performance with actions	Jazz Ragtime, Dixieland and scat singing. Use tuned percussion to play a jazz nursery rhyme.	Ballads Creating lyrics to match a ballad.

<u>Year 4</u>	Autumn	Spring	Summer
1	Samba and Carnival Sounds and Instruments – listening to rhythms associated with samba (syncopation) and composing.	Changes in Pitch, Tempo and Dynamics Crating vocal and percussive ostinatos to represent the river	Haiku Creating a Haiku to music adding percussion and sound effects
2	Body and Tuned Percussion Exploring the rainforest through music. Creating layered rhythms to the theme.	Rock and Roll Exploring walking bass lines and learning the Hand Jive and Rock Around The Clock	Motifs Exploring repeated patterns, motifs and performing these.

<u>Year 5</u>	Autumn	Spring	Summer
1	Composition Notation Creating compositions using staff notation (beginning to read music)	South and West Africa Learning a traditional South African song called “Shosholoza” and playing the accompanying chords using tuned percussion. Creating dance moves.	Looping and Remixing Learning how dance music is created. Learn how to play a song and add dance music to it.
2	Blues Learning the 12 bar blues and creating improvisations	Composition to represent the Festival of Colour Composing and performing to represent Holi	Musical Theatre Using music to tell a story. Combine singing, acting and dancing

<u>Year 6</u>	Autumn	Spring	Summer
1	Dynamics, Pitch and Tempo – listening and appraising a piece of music. Using it to improvise and compose	Film Music Identify characteristics of film music. Create a graphic score composition	Year 6 End of Year Musical
2	Songs of WW2 – Singing focus. Developing confidence.	Baroque Explore music from the baroque period.	