

Year 7 Music Curriculum Summary

Term	Unit / title	Threshold concepts / core knowledge / links to previous and future learning	Formative (interim) assessment / homework	Formal assessment
1	Rhythm, Pulse and Ostinato	Using musical notation. Performing. Composing and Improvising.	Group performance of rhythmic ostinato piece Google form HW on key terms, vocabulary and knowledge	
2	Keys 1	Using musical notation. Performing.	Performing and recording piano pieces (tasks) from the Keys levels on the Keys website. Google form, HW on key terms, vocabulary and knowledge	Listening and appraising assessment on key vocabulary and knowledge. (w/b 4th & 11th December)
3	'Creature Creations' - The Elements of Music	Listening and appraising. Composing/improvising. Performing.	Group composition and performance of a programmatic composition describing a fictional creature. Google form HW on key terms, vocabulary and knowledge	
4	Keys 2	Using musical notation. Performing.	Performing and recording piano pieces (tasks)	Listening and appraising assessment on key

			<p>from the Keys levels on the Keys website.</p> <p>Google docs HW on key terms, vocabulary and knowledge</p>	vocabulary and knowledge.
5	Introduction to Ukulele	Using musical notation. Performing.		
6	Keys 3	Using musical notation. Performing.		Listening and appraising assessment on key vocabulary and knowledge.