Wider Opportunities Programme



Scheme of Work for Brass & Woodwind in Year 5 and 6

This scheme of work is designed to give a brief outline of expected outcomes at the end of each half term. Lesson plans should be drawn up to ensure these outcomes are realised. Every class will progress at a different rate and much will depend on pupils taking instruments home to practice, extension work during the school week or other opportunities to play. All these should be encourages as progress could be limited if these opportunities are not available to the pupils.

Work should aim to link with Class Topic work where appropriate, enhancing cross curricular learning

In mixed year group classes, adjustments will need to be made for those pupils who have already had a year of Wider Opps teaching. In this case extension work on range and more difficult repertoire would be the norm. This would need to be differentiated so beginners can also join in.

If children are learning music to play together, always give them a copy of the instrumental part they are to play from. Even if their reading of notation is not yet fully developed, they begin to develop skill of reading from their copy. Always provide letter names of notes above written notation, and provide fingering details of how to play each note on their instrument.

If children are listening to a particular piece/period of/style of music, context should be added.

(For example: a class studying Tudors in their History work learned 'Glory to thee, my God, this night' (as a vocal/instrumental canon) by Thomas Tallis and were given a sheet about 'early music' with photographs of early instruments from which they could find answers to multiple-choice questions in a 'Tudor music' quiz)

Aim for a concert performance at the end of each term.

	·	SUGGESTED KEY	RESOURCES:	ASSESSMENT: Key Stage 2 (Y5/6)			
		LANGUAGE:		EMERGING	MEETING EXPECTATIONS	EXCEEDING EXPECTATIONS	
AUTUMN TERM	General introduction to all instruments	Mouthpiece	Instruments				
First half of term	Care of instrument cases – zips, Velcro, buckles, etc.	Reed					
	Assembly of instruments –	embouchure	Rhythm cards				
	Basic understanding of how to hold instrument.	Buzz					
	Basic understanding of note production	Slide	Audio equipment				
	Developing pitch change using lips and valves/slides	Valves					
	Reed care and basic embouchure for Clarinet & Sax	Breathing	Musical notes for				
	Basic three note scale and tunes in unison	Notation/Note	display				
	Learn basic notation details, and understand their time	Stave/staff					
	values: stave, rests, clefs, crotchet, quaver, minim.	Minim					
		Crotchet					
		Semibreve					
	Simple melodic song work linked to class topic if possible –	Rest					
	using numbers for the scale and/or songs involving actions,	Treble clef/Bass clef					
	movement if possible).	Sharp/Natural/Flat					
	Understand fingering positions.	Time signature					
	Understand embouchure (mouth shape) required.	Key signature					
		Rhythm		I can sing a song in tune.	I can sing a song in tune	I can perform a song from	
	Rhythm work using stimulus related to topic or pupils names	Bar line		rearrang a song m tane.	with expression,	memory.	
	leading to simple composition work using 1 or 2 notes to a	Canon/Round		I can sing a song with	showing awareness of	memory.	
	rhythm.	Ostinato		expression.	other parts.		
	THY SIMIL	Repeat		expression.	other parts.		
	Composition work – using instruments to make sounds						
	appropriate to topic-related idea						
				I can recognise the way	I can talk about the way	I can identify what is	
				sounds are put together	sounds are put together	happening in the music	
				to create different	and the different effects	(ostinato, pentatonic scale,	
				moods and expression.	that are being created to	pitch, syncopation, etc)	
				·	show the composers'		
	Listen to all sorts of music connected with Topic, with				intention.		
	(wherever possible) background information about						
	composer, period, instrumentation, etc.			I can explore sounds and	I can make up a short	I can improvise a melodic and	
	·			put them together to	rhythm on the spot	rhythmic pattern within a	
	Clapping games			create different moods	·	structure.	
	Rhythm games using instruments on single notes, using call			and expression.			
	and response. Use flashcards for pupils to recognise notation			,			
	and play or clap rhythms.						
AUTUMN TERM	Work on 5 note tunes/production aiming for Christmas	Reaffirm language					
Second half of term	performances	above					
	Understand fingering positions/slide positions for 5 notes						
	Developing harmony in the ensemble ie introduce a bass line						
	on lower brass						
	Work on developing range and notation skills						

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	Develop performance opportunities with critical thinking					
	from pupils "How do we improve our performance" Use self- evaluation forms					
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	Work toward concert at the end of term.					
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SPRING TERM	Work on developing full scale (8 notes)	Crescendo/diminuendo				
First half of term	Employ a range of exercises and pieces that help support the	Piano/forte				
Thist half of term	acquisition of pitching skills	Dotted minim				
	acquisition of pitching skins	Quaver				
	Simple melodic song work linked to class topic if possible –	Intervals				
	(involving actions, movement if possible).	Scale				
	(possis.e)					
	Work on composition e.g compose a fanfare using leaps of					
	4 th and 5th					
	Listening work – listen for use of Dynamics in mainstream					
	music.					
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				I can perform a simple	I can perform a part	I can perform from notation.
				rhythm part using a short	from simple notation	
				range of notes.		I can identify my role within
	Learn more notation details, and understand their				I can perform my part in	the performance (leading
	time values: stave, rests, clefs, repeat				time within a group	others, taking a solo part,
	marks, quavers, dotted minim – use flashcards to aid				piece, and am aware of	providing rhythmic support)
	understanding				other parts	
				Lean make un short	Lan compace musical	Lean compace music for
				I can make up short	I can compose musical	I can compose music for different occasions (carnival,
	Clapping games			patterns and repeat them.	patterns using rhythm and melody, develop my	wedding, birthday, etc) using
	Rhythm games around notation bases, using flashcards play			uielli.	ideas and organise them	appropriate musical devices
	using 1 note at a time on the instruments.			I can make up a piece in	into a structure with a	(melody, rhythm, chords and
				a group building up	beginning, middle and	structures)
				layers of sound.	end.	Structures,
				10,010 01 0001101		I can explore musical devices
						(ostinato, pentatonic scale,
						major/minor scale,
						major/minor chords, chord
						sequences)
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				I can talk in more detail	I can talk about different	I can analyse and compare
				about how pitch, rhythm,	types of music, and	features in {folk, classical,
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			dynamics and speed affect the mood of the music.	compare different types of music using musical vocabulary.	music theatre, world) music such as instrumentation, style, texture, tempo, dynamics.
					I can talk about how music shows the time and place it was written, and show understanding of the history of music of different cultures.
			I can respond to musical instructions.	I can listen with attention to detail and perform a part by ear.	I can listen with attention to detail and perform longer parts/songs by ear.
SPRING TERM Second half of term	All work from first half of term carries through second half of term.				
	Work toward concert at the end of term.				
SUMMER TERM First half of term	Introduce more complex range of pieces utilising harmony – 3 part ensemble	Major/minor Mezzo piano/mezzo forte/fortissimo			
	Simple melodic song work linked to class topic –				
	Work on new music.				
	Listening work – listen for use of Dynamics and Major/Minor Tonality in mainstream music.				
	Learn more notation details, and understand their				

	time values		I can use symbols to show the sounds I have	I can use symbols to represent the music I	I can use a variety of notations (graphic score, notes on the
	Clapping games		created.	have created.	stave, chord symbols, etc)
	Rhythm games around notation bases (flashcards)		I can talk about my piece; I can talk about pitch, rhythm, dynamics, tempo of the music.	I can talk about my performance and the effect of the group's performance.	I can talk about how the place where the music will be performed/the occasion for which the music is written/and the purpose the music is written for affects the way the music is created and performed, and affects the way the audience hears and responds to the music.
			I can improve my own work and talk about the effect I want my music to create.	I can talk about what is good in my work and the work of others, and also suggest ways the music could be improved. I can talk about how I have achieved the effects I wanted the music to create, and how effects have been created in the music of others.	I can refine and improve my own work.
SUMMER TERM Second half of term	All work from first half of term carries through second half of term.				
	Work toward concert at the end of term.				
	Identify pupils who may benefit from individual or small group tuition				