

KS4 Curriculum: Music

10	Knowledge	Tier 2 Vocabulary	Skills	Assessment
Autumn 1	Unit 1: The Music industry Unit 4: Introduction to Music Composition	Venue Health and Safety Chords Texture Harmony Notation Melody Risk Assessment melodic ideas	Venues and organisations Health and Safety Composition and notation skills	Past paper questions Assessment of a Chord based composition Student work booklet of progress
Autumn 2	Unit 1: The Music industry Unit 4: introduction to Music composition	rhythmic patterns chords chord progressions harmonic textures	Production and promotion solo performance with log	Past Paper questions Composition Log
Spring 1	Unit 1: The Music Industry Unit 5: Introduction to music performance	Pitch Intonation rhythm scales and arpeggios, lip slurs and expression Dynamics Phrasing range sight reading/singing improvisation breath control vibrato confidence tuning accompaniment repertoire musical interactions stage presence.	Music industry roles (management, promotion and performance, Recording and media) Planning a Live performance	Past paper questions and Performance Log Prep for Exam
Spring 2	Unit 1: The Music Industry Unit 5: Introduction to Music performance		How roles interrelate Income, Tax and National Insurance Sequence a technical performance	Performance Log
Summer 1	Unit 1: The Music Industry Unit 2: Managing a music product	CD Podcast Audio Advertising Promotion Concert	Revision practice papers and planning ideas for a CD or Live music event	Progression Log of Managing music project
Summer 2	Unit 2: Managing a music product Unit 3 Live sound or unit 7 Music sequencing	Team work Pitch Product Midi	Teamwork skills via promotion of a product. Creating a pitch and practical workshops	Assessment Log of exam criteria

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Autumn 1	Unit 2: 'Managing a Music Product'	CD Podcast Audio Advertising Promotion Concert Team work Pitch Product Midi	Management Time keeping Team Work Planning Organisation Creativity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Log of Evidence <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Final presentation of product Report or recorded discussion/Viva
Autumn 2	Unit 4: 'Introducing Music Composition' Unit 5: Introducing Music performance	Melody Chords Midi Notation Logic Pro Solo Vocals Instrumental Sheet Music Projection Intonation Idiomatic Dimensions	Composing Melody writing Technology skills Keyboard Notation Performing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Portfolio of evidence Two extended comps and one full MP3 Printed score One recorded performance Performance log Rehearsals log <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Viva
Spring 1	Unit 4: 'Introducing Music Composition' Unit 5: Introducing Music performance		Composing Melody writing Technology skills Keyboard Notation Performing	
Spring 2	Optional unit focus	Sequencing Concert Live performance Composition Performance Solo Ensemble Melody	Management Time keeping Team Work Planning Organisation Creativity Computer	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> MP3s <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Log Presentation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Viva Blog
Summer 1	Finalisation of all unit coursework	Performance Composition Sequencing Music industry Management	Management Time keeping Team Work Planning Organisation	All finalised Coursework portfolio