Music Overview

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
Year 1	Musical Vocabulary Theme: Under the Sea	Classical Music, Dynamics and Tempo Theme: Animals	Pulse and Rhythm Theme: All about me	Timbre and Rhythmic patterns Theme: Fairy Tales	Pitch and Tempo Theme: Superheroes	Vocal and body sounds Theme: By the Sea
Year 2	West African call and response song	Orchestral instruments	Musical me	Dynamics, timbre, tempo and motifs	British songs and sounds	Myths and legends
Year 3	Developing singing technique (Theme: the Vikings)	Ballads	Jazz	Pentatonic melodies and composition (Theme: Chinese New Year)	Creating compositions in response to an animation (Theme: Mountains)	Traditional instruments and improvisation (Theme: India)
Year 4	Rock and Roll	Romans	South America	Haiku, Music and Performance	Rainforests – Body and Tuned Percussion	Changes in pitch, tempo and dynamics
Year 5	Looping Remix Music	Music Theatre	Holi Festival Music	Blues Music	S.W. African Music	Egypt Music
Year 6	Film Music	Dynamics, Pitch and Tempo Theme: Fingal's Cave	Advanced Rhythms	Songs of WW2	Instrumental Unit North America	Y6 Production songs and performances Kapow – write own school leavers' song