

Year 2 – Music Skills

Knowledge Organiser – I Wanna Play in a Band

Key Skills and Knowledge

Prior Learning:

EYFS: Develops preferences for forms of expression, creates movement in response to music, makes up rhythms, captures experiences and responses with music, represents thoughts and feelings of music. Children sing songs, make music and experiment with ways of changing them.

Year 1: Rhythm, rap, Bossa Nova Latin- pulse, rhythm, pitch, pulse, types of music- Blues, Baroque, Latin, Bhangra, Folk and Funk, Latin and mixed styles, Western classical music, Listen with concentration and understanding to a range of high-quality live and recorded music, recognise instruments and basic style indicators. Encourage discussions using musical language. Perform, listen to, review and evaluate music across a range of historical periods, genres, styles and traditions, including the works of the great composers and musicians.

Year 2: Hands, Feet, Heart is a song written for children to celebrate and learn about South African Music

In this unit children will:

- Listen to and appraise the song they are going to be learning, discussing whether they like it or not, giving opinions.
- Learn, rehearse and perform the rock song 'I Wanna Play in a Band'.
- Listen and appraise rock music from bands and artists such as Queen, Deep Purple, Status Quo, Chuck Berry and The Beatles.
- Learn how a rock song is put together.
- Use musical language and vocabulary learnt.
- Play untuned percussion and Glockenspiels to accompany the music.

Rock Music	Key Knowledge
<p>In this unit of work children will learn and perform a rock song written especially for children. In this song children will learn about singing and playing together in an ensemble. As well as learning to sing, play, improvise and compose with this song, children will listen and appraise classic rock songs.</p> <p>Rock music started in America. The general style indicators of rock music are...</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Heavily-amplified guitar. 2. Bass guitar. 3. Drums. 4. Keyboard sounds. 5. Often male vocals (in the 1970s and 1980s) with backing vocals from other band members. 6. Frequent solo guitar. 7. Sometimes distortion of the sound. 8. A heavy backbeat. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To know the style indicators for rock music. • To know some of the most famous rock bands. • To know which instruments rock artists use.

Musicians/Composers	Key Questions
<p>Queen Queen were a British rock band formed in London in was the lead vocalist. By the 1980s, they were one of rock bands in the world.</p>  <p>1971. Freddie Mercury the biggest stadium</p> <p>Deep Purple Deep Purple are a British rock band formed in 1968. They are considered to be among the pioneers of heavy metal and modern hard rock. Their hit, 'Smoke on the Water', is famous for its four-note guitar riff.</p>  <p>Status Quo Status Quo are an English rock band who have recorded over They were founded in 1962.</p>  <p>60 chart hits in the UK.</p>	<p>What are the style indicators of rock music?</p> <p>Who are some of the most influential bands/artists in the rock/rock and roll genre?</p> <p>Which instruments feature in rock music?</p>

Vocabulary	
Pulse	A single vibration or short burst of sound, electric current, light, or other wave that can be found in any piece of music.
Pitch	How high or low the music sounds. Can change throughout the piece. Rhythm A strong, regular repeated pattern of movement or sound.
Ensemble	A group of musicians who perform together.
Bass	The instruments with the lowest pitches.
Amplifier	A device used for increasing the sound of music.
A cappella	Solo singing without instrumental accompaniment.
Dynamics	How loud or quiet the music is.
Tempo	How fast or slow the music is.
Repetition	Something happens over and over again.
Call and Response.	A series of two parts usually played or sung by different musicians. The second part is heard as a comment about or an answer to what the first has sung. This mimics or makes fun of how people talk back and forth to each other

Key Instruments
 Drum Kit  Electric Guitar  Keyboard  Bass Guitar  Cymbals