

KIDGATE PRIMARY ACADEMY

'Growing kind hearts and curious minds'

Long Term Overview – Music

With Music, we can speak when words fail.

| | Autumn | | Spring | | Summer | |
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| EYFS | Exploring Sound Curriculum Links: Marvellous Me! | Celebration Music Curriculum Links: Whizz, Bang, Sparkle! | Music and Movement Curriculum Links: While we are Sleeping | Transport Curriculum Links: Down on the Farm | Musical Stories Curriculum Links: Gardeners World | Big Band Curriculum Links: Commotion in the Ocean |
| Yr1 | Dynamics Theme: Seaside Curriculum Links: Windmills (DT) and What is it like here? (Geography) | Keeping the Pulse Theme: My Favourite Things Curriculum Links: Animals Including Humans (Science) | Sound Patterns Theme: Fairytales Curriculum Links: Puppet show (DT) | Tempo Theme: Snail and Mouse Curriculum Links: | Pitch Theme: Superheroes Curriculum Links: Explorers (History) | Musical Symbols Theme: Under the Sea Curriculum Links: Egypt (Geography) and Colour Splash (Art) |
| Yr2 | Singing Theme: On This Island Curriculum Links: What is it like living by the coast? (Geography) | Pitch Theme: Musical Me Curriculum Links: Kidgate School (History) | Contrasting Dynamics Theme: Space Curriculum Links: How did we Learn to Fly? (History) | Call and Response Theme: Animals Curriculum Links: Animal life Cycles and Health | Structure Theme: Myths and Legends Curriculum Links: What are monarchs? (History) and Science through storytelling (Science) | Instruments Theme: Musical Storytelling Curriculum Links: Mechanisms (DT) and why is our world wonderful? (History) |
| Yr3 | Developing Singing Technique Theme: The Vikings Curriculum Links: Vikings and Iron Age (History) | Ballads Curriculum Links: Growing Artists (Art) | Pentatonic Melodies and Composition Theme: Chinese New Year Curriculum Links: Chinese New Year | Jazz Curriculum Links: | Creating Compositions in Response to an Animation Theme: Mountains Curriculum Links: Tenuous Links with Volcanoes (Geography) | Traditional Instruments and Improvisation Theme: India Curriculum Links: Performing together and teamwork skills (PSHE) |

| Yr4 | Adapting and Transporting Motifs Theme: Romans Curriculum Links: Romans (History) | Rock and Roll Curriculum Links: | Haiku, Music and Performance Theme: Hanami Festival Curriculum Links: Spring festival | Body and Tuned Percussion Theme: Rainforests Curriculum Links: Rainforests (Geography) | Samba and Carnival Sounds and Instruments Theme: South America Curriculum Links: Tenuous links with Mayan civilisation and entertainment (History) | Changes in Pitch, Tempo and Dynamics Theme: Rivers Curriculum Links: Rivers (Geography) |
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| Yr5 | Looping and Remixing Curriculum Links: An engaging unit based on dance music that will spark the interest of children, preparing them for other music genres. | South and West Africa Curriculum Links: Rainforests (Geography) | Musical Theatre Curriculum Links: Elizabethan Times - Banquets (History) | Composition to Represent the Festival of Colour Theme: Holi Festival Curriculum Links: Hinduism (RE) - Spring festival | Composition Notation Theme: Ancient Egypt Curriculum Links: Tenuous links with Egyptians and Greeks - many similarities (History) | Blues Curriculum Links: Oceans and Seas (Geography) |
| Yr6 | Film Music Curriculum Links: Links with Art photo opportunities | Songs of World War Two Curriculum Links: WW2 (History) | Dynamics, Pitch and Texture Theme: Coast - Fingal's Cave by Mendelssohn Curriculum Links: Migration (Geography) | Theme and Variations Theme: Pop Art Curriculum Links: Making my voice heard (Art) | Baroque Curriculum Links: Who should go on the banknote? (History) | Composing and Performing a Leavers' Song Curriculum Links: Year 6 Leavers' Assembly |