MUSIC Whole School Overview 2019/20

YEAR 5	Perform using voice & instruments	Improvise & compose	Transcribe	Listen & appraise music
AUTUMN	• Sing from memory – call & response songs, pop songs • Introduction to singing chorus/verses in harmony. • Ukuleles – chords, strumming	• Improvise complex rhythmic patterns (ostinato) based on Holst Planets. • Transfer rhythmic ostinato to melodic ostinato.	• Recap of notation learned from y4. • Introduction to time signatures, clef - activities to complete bars with correct note values.	• Listening to music from the Romantic era – Tchaikovsky, Grieg, Holst, Mussorgsky. • Recap on previously learned musical elements & meanings (dynamics, tempo, pulse, timbre, texture, use of silence • Introduce new musical vocab (texture, diff structures)
SPRING	• Sing with expression & in tune • Possible singing in harmony – 2 parts. • Class band? Ukulele, singing, drums/percussion – class song? Sustaining drones/ostinato to accompany singing.	• Pentatonic improvisation using sharps/flats. • Create class song related to _____? Using melodic ostinato (pentatonic composition), chorus, some verses)	• More work on time signatures. • Introduce sharps/flats & where they are on glockenspiels.	• Listening to various songs from a range of genres. • Describe & appraise using musical elements/ vocab. • Discuss structure of songs, sense of occasion.
SUMMER	• Controlled breathing when singing/warmups – slower songs. • Perform using cups • Samba drumming	• Composing complex rhythm patterns using rhythm grids (cups/ junk percussion). • Compose simple melody using Chrome Music Lab.	• Transcribe rhythmic composition (from cups) to create melody on stave (poss linked to Chrome Music Lab) (2020)	• Listening to a range of genres/world music (Latin America) • Describe & appraise using musical elements/ vocab.
OPPORTUNITIES	• Performing in assemblies. Visiting composers?			
Songs	**Warmups** – Ken & Barbie (SU) Numbers intervals (SU) Let's start to Sing (SU) **Other** True Colours (SU)		Wonder (SU) See You Again (SU) 1440 Mins (SU) Baiao de ninar (SU) Life is a Highway (SU) - 2 parts We Could Be Heroes (Youtube)	