KS4 Long Term Plan Subject: Music Exam Board: Edexcel



Statement of Intent

The Music Department aims to provide students with opportunities to learn about different genres and cultures of music through both practical and theoretical ways. Students will also be guided on how best to improve and develop confidence as well as creativity in their own work. They will be encouraged to experiment and take risks with their work in a supportive environment and develop a life-long love of music. The KS4 Music curriculum will develop students' ability to:

- **Provides a real music focus** the key content of musical elements, musical contexts and musical language are taught through the areas of study and set works to show real examples of how these are used within different types of music.
- Holistic understanding of music students investigate, analyse and evaluate music and its features. Building on this, and by using practical methods, students are encouraged to take a more holistic view of their knowledge, performance and compositional skills.
- Breadth and depth the set works enable students to conduct in-depth studies into different musical styles and genres, and put them in a wider context.
- **Diverse musical heritage** students will learn to perform, compose and appreciate different types of music, developing critical and creative thinking, cultural, aesthetic and emotional awareness, and the ability to make music individually and as part of a group.
- Continuous progression the content builds on the understanding developed at Key Stage 3, avoiding unnecessary repetition while also ensuring that students new to the subject are appropriately supported.
- **Progression to AS and A Level** the content allows students to develop their knowledge and skills of music, enabling them to progress into the AS and A Level qualifications in Music and potential career paths.

Students will specifically be taught to engage actively in the process of music study and:

- Analyse extracts of music and relate this to a range of music including their own composition and performance work
- develop performing skills individually and in groups to communicate musically with fluency and control of the resources used
- develop composing skills to organise musical ideas and make use of appropriate resources
- recognise links between the integrated activities of performing, composing and appraising and how this informs the development of music
- broaden musical experience and interests, develop imagination and foster creativity
- develop knowledge, understanding and skills needed to communicate effectively as musicians
- develop awareness of a variety of instruments, styles and approaches to performing and composing
- $\bullet \qquad \text{develop awareness of music technologies and their use in the creation and presentation of music} \\$
- recognise contrasting genres, styles and traditions of music, and develop some awareness of musical chronology
- develop as effective and independent learners with enquiring minds, reflecting on and evaluating their own and others' music
- · engage with and appreciate the diverse heritage of music, in order to promote personal, social, intellectual and cultural development

Statement of Implementation

The curriculum in Music is planned and delivered by a specialist teacher at all key stages. Music at St Paul's is both practical as well as linked to theory where students have opportunities to study music from different time periods and cultures developing a critical ear as well as knowledge about music. Students will also development practical assessment skills which can enable them to become better practitioners in their own practical work.

The full-time specialist teacher in the department has a subject specialist degree and also full teaching qualifications. The department therefore has developed content, pedagogical and content pedagogical knowledge. All students in KS3 study music. All students in KS3 study music. In years 7 and 8 they have 1 x 50 minute lesson per week and in year 9 they have 1 x 50 minute lesson per fortnight. There is also opportunities for students to attend extra-curricular music activities which include peripatetic lessons, choir, ukulele group and year 9 music extension club plus whole school enrichment such as liturgies.

Music teaching will be underpinned by knowledge of music's technical and constructive aspects. Musical understanding will progress through 3 pillars from the music model curriculum, technical, constructive and expressive.

- Technical will include competence in controlling sound and use of a communication system. Students will gradually develop control over the sound and use practice episodes to help consolidation. Notation will range from staff notation to graphic scores.
- Constructive will include knowledge of the music elements, interrelated dimensions of music and the components of composition. Students will learn the concept and terminology of music elements through examples embedded throughout taking prior learning into account. Students will be given opportunities to develop compositional skills.
- Expressive will look at musical quality, creativity, and knowledge of musical meaning across the World and time. This will occur through listening
 opportunities and tasks at appropriate technical levels for the student.

KS3 schemes of work look at musical skills in three areas, performing, composing, and listening/appraising which follows the National Curriculum. These skills are taught both in a practical and theoretical way so that students become confident in different aspects of music. Students will develop skills in all three area over the 3 years. KS4 studies the Edexcel Gcse specification and aims to develop skills learnt at KS3 in further detail allowing them to continue past this KS if they wish.

There are two music rooms and 3 practice rooms. Students have access to keyboards and percussion instruments. There is also a music cupboard with guitars, both electric and acoustic, as well as ukuleles, which all students have access to in and out of the classroom plus IT resources available.

Term	Topics Covered	Skills/AOs/interleaved content	Assessment
	(Date completed by and		(date and nature of
	number of lessons)		assessment)
Yr 10	Music for stage and screen –	Topics – Music for stage and screen	Continual assessment
Autumn 1	Performance and composition work – Based on music for stage and	General theory work in preparation of analysis	Listening questions on the extracts covered from
		Technical – Notation including score reading, practice episodes, instrumental skills	music from stage and screen. Dictation and
	screen	Constructive – Musical elements, develop knowledge of composition in a variety of ways	unfamiliar listening.
		building upon prior knowledge.	Performance work (Solo) marked to exam criteria
		Expressive – Listening opportunities including expressive intentions, All tasks warm, hot and scorching	with www and ebi comments given
		Why now?	
		Work will build upon prior knowledge of musical elements and include new concepts such as analysis, score reading etc. Practice episodes will be used to support consolidation with a 'little and often' approach. This is taught first in order to prepare students for analysis of extracts as well as preparation for coursework. These extracts are easier to access as students will have studied film music in year 9 for example.	3) Composition tasks – Given to build up skills and confidence in this area with www and ebi comments given
		1)Listening and analysis	
		Music for Stage and Screen	
		S Schwartz: Defying Gravity J Williams: Main title/rebel blockade runner (AOS 3)	
		Schwartz – 6 lessons	
		Williams – 6 lessons	
		Wider listening/revision – 4 lessons	
		Other listening will be used to consolidate key concepts and interleave previous knowledge.	
		2) Performance work (Solo or group)	
		Part of 1 lesson per week for performance by students on a rota.	
		3) Composition tasks – relating to film music.	
		6 lessons	

Autumn 2 Music for stage and screen – Listening and appraising Performance and composition work – Based on music for stage and screen Practice episodes, instrumental skills Constructive – Musical elements, develop knowledge of musicals composition in a variety of ways building upon prior knowledge. Expressive – Listening opportunities including expressive intentions, All tasks warm, hot and scorching Continual as 1) Listening of the extracts of music for stage and screen Continual as 1) Listening of the extracts of music for stage and screen Expressive – Listening opportunities including expressive intentions, All tasks warm, hot and scorching	questions on covered from age and screen.
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Other listening will be used to consolidate key concepts and interleave previous knowledge.	
2) Performance work (Solo or group)	
Part of 1 lesson per week for performance by students on a rota.	
3) Composition tasks – relating to musicals.	
6 lessons	

Yr 10	Instrumental music –	Topics – Instrumental music	Continual assessment
Spring 1	Performance and composition work – Based on instrumental music	Technical – Notation including score reading, practice episodes, instrumental skills Constructive – Musical elements, develop knowledge of musicals composition in a variety of ways building upon prior knowledge.	Listening questions on the extracts covered from instrumental music. Dictation and unfamiliar listening.
		Expressive – Listening opportunities including expressive intentions, All tasks warm, hot and scorching Why now?	2) Performance work (Solo) marked to exam criteria with www and ebi comments given
		This is taught now as it builds upon the first two pieces of analysis as well as interleaving periods of music from year 8. The analysis is more detailed with complex concepts such as ornamentation and this can be looked at in more detail during this term. Work will build upon prior knowledge of musical elements and include new concepts such as development of music history, figured bass, Concerto Grosso etc. Practice episodes will be used to support consolidation with a 'little and often' approach.	3) Composition tasks – Given to build up skills and confidence in this area with www and ebi comments given
		1) Listening and analysis	
		Instrumental music	
		J.S. Bach: 3rd Movement from Brandenburg Concerto no. 5 in D major L. van Beethoven: 1st Movement from Piano Sonata no. 8 in C minor 'Pathétique'	
		Wider listening/revision – 5 lessons	
		Interleaving – At least 1 per week.	
		Other listening will be used to consolidate key concepts and interleave previous knowledge.	
		2) Performance work (Solo or group dependent on skills)	
		6 lessons	
		3) Composition tasks – relating to instrumental music. This can be used as coursework for year 11 depending on composition briefs.	
		8 lessons	
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Yr 10	Instrumental music – Listening and appraising	Topics – Instrumental music	Continual assessment

Spring 2	Performance and composition work – Based on instrumental music	Technical – Notation including score reading, practice episodes, instrumental skills Constructive – Musical elements, develop knowledge of musicals composition in a variety of ways building upon prior knowledge. Expressive – Listening opportunities including expressive intentions, All tasks warm, hot and scorching Why now? This is taught now as it builds upon the first two pieces of analysis as well as interleaving periods of music from year 8. The analysis is more detailed with complex concepts such as ornamentation and this can be looked at in more detail during this term. It also builds upon work from year 7 on Beethoven. Work will build upon prior knowledge of musical elements and include new concepts such as development of music history, Sonata form etc. Practice episodes will be used to support consolidation with a 'little and often' approach. 1) Listening and analysis Instrumental music J.S. Bach: 3rd Movement from Brandenburg Concerto no. 5 in D major L. van Beethoven: 1st Movement from Piano Sonata no. 8 in C minor 'Pathétique' Wider listening/revision – 5 lessons Interleaving – At least 1 per week. Other listening will be used to consolidate key concepts and interleave previous knowledge. 2) Performance work (Solo or group depending on skills) 6 lessons 3) Composition tasks – relating to instrumental music. This can be used as coursework for year 11 depending on composition briefs.	1) Listening questions on the extracts covered from instrumental music. Dictation and unfamiliar listening. 2) Performance work (Solo or group) marked to exam criteria with www and ebi comments given 3) Composition tasks – Given to build up skills and confidence in this area with www and ebi comments given. If coursework 1, then it can be marked to exam criteria.
Yr 10 Summer 1	Vocal music – Listening and appraising	Topics – Vocal music Technical – Notation including score reading, practice episodes, instrumental skills	Continual assessment 1) Listening questions on the extracts covered from

	Performance and composition work – Based on vocal music	Constructive – Musical elements, develop knowledge of musicals composition in a variety of ways building upon prior knowledge.	fusion music. Dictation and unfamiliar listening.
		Expressive – Listening opportunities including expressive intentions, All tasks warm, hot and scorching	Performance work (Solo or group) marked to exam
		Why now?	criteria with www and ebi comments given.
		This is taught now as it builds upon the last two pieces of analysis with periods of music and extends into the C20th. Music technology is then studied with the Queen extract which links into the last two extracts which use these techniques. Work will build upon prior knowledge of musical elements and include new concepts such as development of music history including vocal music. Practice episodes will be used to support consolidation with a 'little and often' approach.	3) Composition tasks – Given to build up skills and confidence in this AOS and possibly to be used as coursework. It will be marked with www/ebi comments given. If coursework 1, then it is marked to exam criteria.
		1) Listening and analysis	
		Vocal music:	
		Purcell: Music for a while	
		Queen: Killer Queen	
		Wider listening/revision – Ongoing	
		Purcell – 6 lessons	
		Queen – 6 lessons	
		Interleaving – At least 1 per week.	
		Other listening will be used to consolidate key concepts and interleave previous knowledge.	
		2) Performance work (Solo or group) Record for formative assessment	
		3 lessons plus part of 1 lesson per week by students on a rota.	
		3) Composition tasks – relating to vocal music. This can be used as coursework for year 11 depending on composition briefs.	
		5 lessons	
Yr 10	Fusion music – Listening and	Topics – Vocal music and Fusion	Continual assessment
Summer 2	appraising	Technical – Notation including score reading, practice episodes, instrumental skills	Listening questions on the extracts from all AOS but

Performance and composition work – Based on fusion music

Constructive – Musical elements, develop knowledge of musicals composition in a variety of ways building upon prior knowledge.

Expressive – Listening opportunities including expressive intentions, All tasks warm, hot and scorching

Why now?

This is taught now as it builds upon the last two pieces of analysis with periods of music and extends into the C20th. Music technology is then studied with the Queen extract which links into the last two extracts which use these techniques. Work will build upon prior knowledge of musical elements and include new concepts such as development of music history including vocal music and music technology used. Practice episodes will be used to support consolidation with a 'little and often' approach.

1) Listening and analysis

Vocal music:

Queen: Killer Queen

Fusions:

Afro Celt Sound System: 'Release'

Wider listening/revision - Ongoing

Queen - 6 lessons

Afro Celt - 6 lessons

Interleaving - At least 1 per week.

Other listening will be used to consolidate key concepts and interleave previous knowledge.

2) Performance work and mock (Solo and group)

In preparation for recording Sept.2022.

6 lessons

3) Composition tasks – relating to work already covered in preparation for the composition briefs Sept.2020. Record for formative assessment

8 lessons

mainly focusing on areas of weakness from the mock.

2) Performance work (Solo or group) marked to exam criteria with www and ebi comments given

3) Composition tasks – Given to build up knowledge in this AOS with www and ebi comments given.

Yr 11 Autumn 1	Music for stage and screen music – Listening and
Autummi	appraising
	Performance and composition work – Coursework

Topics

Technical – Notation including score reading, practice episodes, instrumental skills

Constructive – Musical elements, develop knowledge of musicals composition in a variety of ways building upon prior knowledge.

Expressive – Listening opportunities including expressive intentions, All tasks warm, hot and scorching

Why now?

This is taught now as it builds upon the previous pieces of analysis including music technology, Fusion and song. Work is then interleaved in preparation for the mock exam. A pre-mock exam will also take place before half-term to prepare students for the mock.

Work will build upon prior knowledge of musical elements already studied. Practice episodes will be used to support consolidation with a 'little and often' approach.

1)Listening and analysis

Fusion - Samba

Revision: AOS 3 music for stage and screen

AOS 1 Instrumental music

Wider listening/revision - Ongoing

Samba - 6 lessons

Defying gravity - 1 lessons

Star wars - 1 lessons

Brandenburg - 1 lessons

Beethoven – 1 lessons

Interleaving - At least 2 per week.

Additional lessons in preparation for the mock exam including AOS2 and 4.

Other listening will be used to consolidate key concepts and interleave previous knowledge including areas of weakness.

Continual assessment

- Listening
 questions on the
 extracts
 Interleaving of
 dictation,
 unfamiliar and
 essay. Pre-mock
 exam to be
 completed.
- 2) 1 x Performance coursework marked to exam criteria with www and ebi comments given
- 3) 1 x Composition coursework marked to exam criteria with www and ebi comments given by the end of the Autumn term.
- 4) Action plans discussed for students during this half-term with relevant targets set. Review previous action plans and targets with students.

		2) Performance Coursework	
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		Work on performance coursework preparation	
		3) Composition Coursework	
		Coursework – Composition preparation	
		Composition/performance	
		1 – 2 per week dependent on group.	
		Additional lessons can be used for interleaving of previous extracts	
Yr 11	Vocal music – Listening and	Topics	Continual assessment
Autumn 2	appraising Performance and	Technical – Notation including score reading, practice episodes, instrumental skills	Listening questions on the extracts covered
	composition work – Coursework	Constructive – Musical elements, develop knowledge of musicals composition in a variety of ways building upon prior knowledge.	2) 2 nd Performance CW marked to exam criteria- www/ebi comments given.
		Expressive – Listening opportunities including expressive intentions, All tasks warm, hot and	3) 1 x Composition CW marked to exam criteria- www/ebi comments given
		scorching	4) Mock exam paper
		Why now?	November on all AOS.
		This is taught now as it builds upon the previous pieces of analysis including music technology, Fusion and song. Work is then interleaved in preparation for the mock exam. Analysis of the exam will take place 'closing the loop' to embed further the listening skills. Work will build upon prior knowledge of musical elements already studied. Practice episodes will be used to support consolidation with a 'little and often' approach.	5) Action plans generated for students during this half-term with relevant targets set. Review previous action plans and targets with students.
		1)Listening and analysis	
		Revision: AOS 2 Vocal music	
		AOS 4 Fusions	
		Wider listening/revision – Ongoing	
		Purcell – 1 lessons	
		Queen – 1 lessons	

		Afro Celt – 1 lessons	
		Samba- 1 lessons	
		Interleaving – At least 2 per week.	
		NB: This may take place in Autumn 1 depending on assessment schedule.	
		Analysis of mock- 3 lessons plus general revision in coursework lessons.	
		Other listening will be used to consolidate key concepts and interleave previous knowledge including areas of weakness.	
		2) Performance Coursework	
		Work on performance coursework due to be recorded by 3 rd December	
		3) Composition Coursework	
		Coursework – Composition work to be completed by 3rd December.	
		Composition/performance	
		1 – 2 per week dependent on group.	
		Additional lessons can be used for interleaving of previous extracts	
Yr 11	All AOS – Listening and	Topics	Continual assessment
Spring 1	appraising	Technical – Notation including score reading,	Listening questions on the extracts covered from
	Performance and composition work –	practice episodes, instrumental skills	all AOS.
	Coursework	Constructive – Musical elements, develop knowledge of musicals composition in a variety of ways building upon prior knowledge.	Performance coursework revisited for minor
		Expressive – Listening opportunities including expressive intentions, All tasks warm, hot and scorching	improvements by February half-term using exam criteria with www and ebi comments given. Work is then moderated.
		Why now?	3) 2 x Composition coursework marked to
		This is taught now as it builds upon the previous analysis and listening skills and works on any areas of weakness highlighted in the mock exam. Analysis	exam criteria with www and ebi comments given by the end of January.
		of the exam will take place 'closing the loop' to embed further the listening skills. Work will build upon prior knowledge of musical elements already studied. Practice episodes will be used to support consolidation with a 'little and	4) Action plans discussed for students during this half-term with relevant targets set. Review previous action plans and
		often' approach.	targets with students.

		1) Listening and analysis Revision of all extracts from the 4 AOS primarily concentrating on extracts identified as weaker from the mock.	
		Interleaving – At least 2 per week. Other listening will be used to consolidate key concepts and interleave previous knowledge including areas of weakness. Additional mock Analysis of mock- 3 lessons plus general revision in coursework lessons.	
		2) Performance Coursework Any revision of coursework necessary after moderation.	
		3) Composition Coursework Coursework – Approx. 15 lessons between	
Yr 11 Spring	All AOS – Listening and appraising	Topics Technical – Notation including score reading,	Continual assessment 1) Listening questions on
	Performance and composition work — Coursework should be complete but minor revision may need to be completed	practice episodes, instrumental skills Constructive – Musical elements, develop knowledge of musicals composition in a variety of ways building upon prior knowledge. Expressive – Listening opportunities including expressive intentions, All tasks warm, hot and scorching Why now? This is taught now as it builds upon the previous analysis and listening skills and works on any areas of weakness highlighted in the mock exam. A further pre-PPE and PPE will be completed then analysis of the exam will take place 'closing the loop' to embed further the listening skills. Work will build upon prior knowledge of musical elements already studied. Practice episodes will be used to support consolidation with a 'little and often' approach.	the extracts covered from all AOS. 2) Performance and composition coursework marked to exam criteria with final www and ebi comments given. Any revisions to performing and composing coursework to be completed now. 3) Action plans generated for students during this half-term with relevant targets set. Review previous action plans and targets with students.

	1) Listening and analysis Revision of all extracts from the 4 AOS.	
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	Revision – 3 lessons plus general revision in coursework lessons.	
	Analysis of PPE - 3 lessons plus general revision in coursework lessons. Other listening will be used to consolidate key concepts and interleave previous knowledge	
	including areas of weakness.	
	Any revisions to performing and composing coursework to be completed by now.	
	Coursework- 12 lessons	
Revision for listening and appraising exam	Topics Technical – Notation including score reading, practice episodes, instrumental skills Constructive – Musical elements, develop knowledge of musicals composition in a variety of ways building upon prior knowledge. Expressive – Listening opportunities including expressive intentions, All tasks warm, hot and scorching Why now?	1) Listening questions on the extracts covered from all AOS. 2) Action plans generated for students during this half-term with relevant targets set. Review previous action plans and targets with students.
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	Revision programme	
	1) Listening and analysis	
	Revision of all extracts from the 4 AOS ready for the final exam.	
	NB: Lessons are approximate due to Gcse exams and specific needs	
		coursework lessons. Other listening will be used to consolidate key concepts and interleave previous knowledge including areas of weakness. 2) Coursework Any revisions to performing and composing coursework to be completed by now. Coursework- 12 lessons Topics Technical – Notation including score reading, practice episodes, instrumental skills Constructive – Musical elements, develop knowledge of musicals composition in a variety of ways building upon prior knowledge. Expressive – Listening opportunities including expressive intentions, All tasks warm, hot and scorching Why now? This is taught now as it builds upon the previous analysis and listening skills and works on any areas of weakness highlighted in the mock exam. Analysis of the exam will take place 'closing the loop' to embed further the listening skills. Work will build upon prior knowledge of musical elements already studied. Practice episodes will be used to support consolidation with a 'little and often' approach. Revision programme 1) Listening and analysis Revision of all extracts from the 4 AOS ready for the final exam. NB: Lessons are approximate due to Gcse

	AOS 1- 3 lessons	
	AOS 2 – 3 lessons	
	AOS 3 – 3 lessons	
	AOS 4 – 3 lessons	
	General revision – 5 lesssons	