



Music Department KS4

Year 10

Autumn 1	Film Music, Composing a Melody, Melodic Dictation. New key words. Solo Performance Preparation
Autumn 2	Music for Ensemble. Dictation and Key Words. The Blues. Ensemble Performance. Christmas Performances.
Spring 1	Pop Music. Chords, Basslines, Lyrics & Structure.
Spring 2	Forms and Devices. Free composition. Solo performance target setting. Class performances completed.
Summer 1	Popular Music Set Work: Toto - Africa. Score analysis. Free composition. Prepare for solo performance exam.
Summer 2	Complete Free Composition. Forms and Devices Set Work: Bach's Badinerie. Exam practice. Mock solo performance exam. Mock appraising exam.

Year 11

Autumn 1	Recap all areas of study. Exam practice. Plan/Prepare Ensemble Performance. Complete Paperwork & any final amendments to Free Composition.
Autumn 2	Final solo assessment. Dictation and Appraising Practice. Start Composition set to a brief.
Spring 1	Continue to Complete Composition set to a brief. Improve on Performance Pieces using Feedback from Assessments. All Appraising AoS Revision.
Spring 2	Appraising Revision on all Topics. Complete Composition set to a Brief with Accompanying Paperwork ready for submission. Final Ensemble Performance Recordings.
Summer 1	Listening & Appraising Revision and Past Paper Practice Questions. Revision preparation for Summer 2.

Music Department Homework KS4



Listening Diary twice a half-term.

Keyword quizzing twice a half-term.

Practice of instrument & performance skills.

Composition research and development outside the classroom.