

## St Agnes Academy

Progression of Skills - Music

	Controlling sour	nds through singing ar	nd playing (play a	nd perform)								
	Creating and de	Creating and developing musical ideas (creating, improvising and composing)										
	Responding and reviewing appraising skills (Review and appraise)											
	Listening and applying knowledge and understanding											
KS1 skills	Year 1	Year 2	KS2 Skills	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6					
Controlling so	Controlling sounds through singing and playing (Play and Perform)											
Use their	Use voices in	Use voices	Using their	Sing songs in	To sing in unison and in	Increasing singing skills by	To sing in solo, unison and in					
voices	different ways	expressively and	voices with	unison and	simple parts	showing an awareness of	parts with clear diction,					
expressively	such as	creatively.	increasing	simple parts	maintaining the correct	good breath control,	controlled pitch and with					
and	speaking,		accuracy,	(including	pitch and using	posture, diction, and	sense of phrase					
creatively	singing,	To sing with the	fluency,	rounds)	increasing expression	intonation when singing						
by singing	chanting, and	shape of the	control, and	becoming more	varying tempo, and	together.	To demonstrate musical					
songs and	using rhymes.	melody.	expression	aware of pitch,	dynamics	Understanding when to	quality and understanding of					
speaking	To work			tempo and		use varying dynamics,	how the interrelated					
chants and	together as	Sing songs at		dynamic.	To understand the	pitch, tempo, and	dimensions of music play					
rhymes	part of a group	different tempo			importance of posture	expression	their part					
	following a	and dynamic		Begin to	and voice projection							
	leader or			understand		To follow the conductor /	Taking part in three- part					
	conductor	To work together		voice projection	Developing the ability to	be the conductor	harmonies and descants.					
		as part of a group		and posture	maintain a simple part							
	To be able to	following a leader			in rounds and partner	Taking part in three- part	Using the voice as an					
	sing and clap	or conductor		To be able to	songs.	harmonies and descants.	instrument in composing					
	in time to a			sing back during		Understanding how parts	tasks.					
	steady pulse	To be able to sing		call and	Developing the ability	fit together and how songs						
		back in call and		response songs	to maintain a part in	are structured.						
		response songs			two-part harmonies							

Play tuned and un- tuned instruments	To create and choose sounds. To perform simple rhythmical patterns, beginning to show an awareness of pulse.	To create and choose sounds for a specific effect. To perform rhythmical patterns and accompaniments, keeping a steady pulse.	To play tuned and un-tuned instruments with increasing control and accuracy	To perform simple rhythmic and musical parts, beginning to vary the pitch with a small range of notes. To be able to treat the instrument with care and respect	To play and perform parts with an increasing number of notes, beginning to show musical expression by changing dynamics and tempo To be able to treat the instrument with care and respect	To play and perform parts in a range of solo and ensemble contexts with increasing accuracy and expression. Play a musical instrument with the correct technique	To play and perform with accuracy, fluency, control, and expression Play a musical instrument with the correct technique
Rehearse and perform with others	To listen to and think about others when performing.	To listen to and think about others when performing To begin to refine practice for performing to others	Rehearse, play, and perform in solo and ensemble contexts, using voices and musical instruments	To listen to and follow musical instructions from a leader. To begin to refine practice and rehearsals for performing to others	To listen to and follow musical instructions from a leader. To practice and refine rehearsals for a performance for others	To think about the audience when performing and how to create a specific effect To discuss and talk musically about the rehearsal – "What went well?" and "It would have been even better if?"	To choose what to perform and create a programme. To think about the audience when performing and how to create a specific effect. To discuss and talk musically about the rehearsal – "What went well?" and "It would have been even better if?

Explore,	To know about	Repeat short	Improvise	To create simple	To create rhythmical		
choose, and	and	rhythmic and	developing	rhythmical	and simple melodic		
organise	experiment	melodic patterns	rhythmic and	patterns that	patterns using an		
sounds and	, with sounds		melodic	' use a small	increased number of		
musical ideas		To explore and	material when	range of notes.	notes.		
	To begin to	choose and order	performing	To begin to join			
	recognise	sounds using the	Explore,	simple layers of	To join layers of sound,		
	identify and	inter-related	choose,	sound, e.g. a	thinking about musical		
	organise	dimensions of	combine, and	background	dynamics of each layer		To create and improvise
	sounds using simple criteria	music*	organise musical ideas	rhythm and a solo melody.	and understanding the effect.		melodic and rhythmic
	e.g. loud, soft,	Working as a class	with musical	solo melody.	enect.	To create increasingly	phrases as part of a group performance and compose
	high low	to use instruments	structures			complicated rhythmic and	by developing ideas within a
		effectively to				melodic phrases within	range of given musical
	Working as a	, compose music				given structures.	structures.
	class to use					-	
	instruments						Using digital technology to
	effectively to					Composing a soundscape	compose, edit and refine
	compose					(a performance that	sounds
	music					imagines an environment	
Create	To know about	Repeat short	Improvice	To create simple	To create rhythmical	e.g. the Earth/Mars.	
musical	and	rhythmic and	Improvise developing	To create simple rhythmical	and simple melodic	Using digital technology to	
patterns	experiment	melodic patterns	rhythmic and	patterns	patterns using an	compose, edit and refine	
patterno	with sounds		melodic	(ostinato)	increased number of	sounds	
			material when	that use a small	notes.		
			performing	range of notes			

Responding a	Responding and reviewing appraising skills (Respond and Review)									
Explore and express ideas and feelings about music	To talk about how music makes you feel or want to move. e.g. this music makes me sleepy or sad, scared, or excited	To respond to different moods in music and explain thinking about changes in sound	Analyse and compare sounds Explore and explain ideas and feelings about music using movement, dance, and expressive and musical language	To explore and comment on the way sounds can be used expressively	To recognise and explore the ways sounds can be combined and used expressively and comment on this effect	To describe, compare and evaluate different types of music using musical vocabulary including the interrelated dimensions of music	To describe, compare and evaluate different types of music using a range of musical vocabulary including the interrelated dimensions of music			
To make improvemen ts to my own work	To think about and make simple suggestions about what could make their own work better. e.g. play faster or louder.	To identify what improvements could be made to own work and make these changes, including altering use of voice, playing of and choice of instruments.	To reflect on and improve own and others work in relation to its intended effect	To comment on the effectiveness of own work, identifying and making improvements.	To comment on the effectiveness of work, identifying and making improvements based on its intended outcome.	To comment on the success of own and others work, suggesting improvements based on intended outcomes.	To evaluate the success of own and others work, suggesting specific improvements based on intended outcomes and comment on how this could be achieved.			

Listening and	Listening and applying knowledge and understanding								
	To begin to identify simple repeated patterns	To identify and recognise repeated patterns and to begin to be able to recall them	Listen with attention to detail and recall sounds with increasing aural memory	To listen with attention and begin to recall sounds. Beginning to recognise instruments of the orchestra including brass, strings, woodwind, and percussion. Listen carefully and respectfully to other people's thoughts about the music.	To listen to and recall patterns of sounds with increasing accuracy. Developing the ability to recognise instruments of the orchestra including brass, strings, woodwind and percussion Listen carefully and respectfully to other people's thoughts about the music.	To listen to and recall a range of sounds and patterns of sounds confidently. To recognise instruments of the orchestra including brass, strings, woodwind, and percussion	To listen to, internalise and recall sounds and patterns of sounds with accuracy and confidence.		
To know how the combined musical elements of pitch, duration, dynamics, tempo, timbre, texture, and silence can be organised and used	To begin to understand that musical elements can be used to create different moods and effects With help, make sounds with a slight difference	To understand how musical elements, create different moods and effects.	To know how the combined musical elements of pitch, duration, dynamics, tempo, timbre, texture, and silence can be organised within musical structures and	To begin to understand how different musical elements are combined and used to create an effect e.g. if the song gets louder in the chorus (dynamics)	To understand how different musical elements are combined and used expressively e.g. how the tempo can be slowed for emphasis	To begin to identify the relationship between sounds and how music can reflect different meanings To compare two songs in the same style, talking about what stands out musically in each of them, their similarities and differences.	To identify and explore the relationship between sounds and how music can reflect different meanings. To compare two songs in the same style, talking about what stands out musically in each of them, their similarities and differences.		

expressively within simple structures.			used to communicate different moods and effects.				
To understand that sounds can be made in different ways and described using given and invented signs and symbols.	To begin to represent sounds with simple sounds including shapes and marks	To confidently represent sounds with a range of symbols, shapes, and marks	To use and understand staff and other musical notations	To begin to understand rhythmic notation and simplified traditional notation. To be able to use staff notation through First Access teaching, including staves, clefs) Note notation (B. A, G, E, C, D) To begin to know the number of beats in a minim, crochet	To understand and use established musical notations to represent music in Glockenspiel 2 unit, listening and composing tasks. Quavers, crotchets, minims, semibreves rests Note notation (C,D,E,F,G,A,B) To know the number of beats in a minim, crochet and semibreve	To recognise and use a range of musical notations including staff notation. Developing confidence to recognise staff notation through songs and instrumental work. Developing confidence to use own graphic notation in improvisation and composition To know the number of beats in a minim, crochet, and semibreve To begin to use flat and sharp symbols and to be able to understand simple time signatures.	To use and apply a range of musical notations including staff notation, to plan, revise and refine musical material Using traditional and graphic notation in own performance and composing. To be able to recognise sharp and flat symbols. To be able to use flat and sharp symbols and be able to understand simple time signatures.

Listening		To listen to music	To appreciate	To listen to	To develop an	To be able to compare,	To be able to compare and
with	To begin to	from different	and	music from	increasing ability to	finding similarities and	find similarities and
increasing	recognise	musical periods	understand a	different	place music on a	differences between	differences between
concentratio	instruments of	and begin to place	wide range of	periods and	timeline.	different historical	different historical
n and	the orchestra	them on a timeline.	high-quality	place them on a	timeine.	composers and musicians.	composers and musicians.
	and the	them on a timeline.	live and	timeline.	To be able with	composers and musicians.	composers and musicians.
understandin		To booin to find		timenne.		Ta ha ahla ta avalain havu	To be able to evaluin how
g to a range	differences in	To begin to find	recorded		increased confidence to	To be able to explain how	To be able to explain how
of high	their sounds	similarities and	music drawn	To find	compare works of great	the music of the past	the music of the past
quality live		differences in the	from different	similarities and	composers and	reflected the society of the	reflected the society of the
and recorded	To begin to	work of a great	traditions and	differences in	musicians.	time.	time.
music.	express	composer/	from great	the work of a			
	opinions about	musician from	composers	great	To be able to express	To explain how music has	To explain how music has
	music from	history.	and musicians	composer/musi	opinions about music	changed over time.	changed over time.
	the past.			cian from	from the past, using an		
		To begin to	To develop an	history.	increasing musical	To develop an appreciation	To develop an appreciation
		express opinions	understanding		vocabulary.	of a wide range of music	of a wide range of music
		about music from	of the history	To express		from different traditions	from different traditions and
		the past.	of music	opinions about		and genres.	genres.
		To begin to		music from the		_	
		recognise		past.			
		orchestral					
		instruments		To listen to			
				music from a			
				wider variety of			
				traditions and			
				styles			
				styles			