St Agnes Academy



Curriculum Overview - Music

| 6 | Autumn | | Spring | | Summer | |
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| Reception | Charanga Unit Me and My Stories (learn to sing action songs and nursery rhymes) | Christmas Production Singing for performance | Charanga Unit Our World | Charanga Unit Our World | Charanga Unit Big Bear Transitional Unit to Year 1 Playing instruments | Reflect, Rewind and Play |
| Year 1 | Charanga Unit Hey You Pulse, Rhythm, Pitch | Christmas Production Singing for performance | Charanga Unit Round and Round Pulse, Rhythm, Pitch in different styles of music | Charanga Unit Imagination Improvisation | John Adams – Short Ride in a Fast Machine Pulse and tempo Class composition | Reflect, Rewind and Play History of Music and the Musical Language |
| Year 2 | Charanga Unit Hands, Feet, Heart Pulse, Rhythm, Pitch Composer study: Handel – "Music on the Thames" Composition | Christmas Production Singing for performance | Benjamin Britten – Storm from Peter Grimes BBC 10 Pieces Composition | Charanga Unit I Wanna Play in a Band Improvisation | Charanga Unit The Friendship Song | Reflect, Rewind and Play Year 2 History of Music and the Musical Language |
| Year 3 | Charanga Unit for Puffins Let Your Spirit Fly Otters First Access on Recorders | Christmas Production Singing for performance | Charanga Unit for Otters Let Your Spirit Fly Puffins First Access on Recorders | Charanga Unit Glockenspiel Stage 1 Instrumental Skills Charanga Unit Three Little Birds | BBC 10 Pieces KS2: Kerry Andrew – No Place Like Voices (link to local history) | Reflect, Rewind and Play Year 3 History of Music and the Musical Language |
| Year 4 | Charanga Unit Glockenspiel Stage 2 Introduction to the language of music, theory and composition using score and notation. | Christmas Production Singing for performance | Charanga Unit Blackbird – The Beatles | Composer Study BBC 10 Pieces Connect It Anna Meredith – Body Percussion Pulse, Rhythm Composition | Charanga Unit Stop | Reflect, Rewind and Play Year 4 History of Music and the Musical Language |
| Year 5 | Charanga Unit Classroom Jazz 1 | Charanga Unit The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air | Composer Study: Holst the Planets Composition of own planet pieces / Earth Hans Zimmer Composition | Singing and playing for performance | Charanga Unit Make You Feel My Love | Reflect, Rewind and Play Year 5 History of Music and the Musical Language |
| Year 6 | Charanga Unit Happy | Charanga Unit Jazz 2 | Charanga Unit Music and Me This unit focusses on inspirational women working in music, and part of Brighter Sound's pioneering gender equality initiative Both Sides Now | Composer Study: "Soundtrack for a Revolution" Composition | Reflect, Rewind and Play Year 6 History of Music and the Musical Language | Summer Production Singing and playing for performance. |