



LEAP Music Curriculum Overview

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Nursery	Ourselves	Transport	Traditional Tales	Animals	Growth	All Around the World
Reception	Me!	My Stories	Everyone!	Our World	Big Bear Funk (Transition Unit)	Reflect, Rewind and Replay (consolidation)
Year 1	Introducing Beat	Adding Rhythm and Pitch	Introducing Tempo and Dynamics	Combining Pulse, Rhythm and Pitch	Having Fun with Improvisation	Explore Sound and Create a Story
Year 2	Exploring Simple Patterns	Focus on Dynamics and Tempo	Exploring feelings Through Music	Inventing a Musical Story	Music that Makes you Dance	Exploring Improvisation
Year 3	Developing Notation Skills	Enjoying Improvisation	Composing Using your Imagination	Sharing Musical Experiences	Learning more about Musical Styles	Recognising Different Styles
Year 4	Interesting Time Signatures	Combining Elements to Make Music	Developing Pulse and Groove through Improvisation	Creating Simple Melodies Together	Connecting Notes and Feelings	Purpose, Identity and Expression in Music
Year 5	Getting Started with Music Tech	Emotions and Musical Styles	Exploring Key and Time Signatures	Introducing Chords	Words, Meaning and Expression	Identifying Musical Elements
Year 6	Developing Melodic Phrases	Understanding Structure and Form	Gaining Confidence through Performance	Exploring Notation Further	Using Chords and Structure	Respecting Each Other through Composition

	Musical Elements e.g. Rhythm , Pulse, Pitch, Dynamics, Tempo, Timbre, Texture and Structure		Notation		Composition		Performance
	Listening		Improvisation		Musical Styles		Playing Instruments