

### Curriculum Plans – Key Stage 3 Music

Please find below a detailed outline of the curriculum covered in Music through Year 9 in Key Stage 3.

#### Year 9

	Term 1.1	Term 1.2	Term 2.1	Term 2.2	Term 3.1	Term 3.2
<b>Topics</b>	<b>Dance Music</b>  Chords & chord patterns  Rhythm & metre  Disco music  Electronic music  Synthesisers & music technology  Hooks & riffs	<b>Winter Festival</b>  Independent performance project	<b>Film Music</b>  Leitmotifs  Film music tropes  Using musical elements to create an atmospheric effect  Music spotting	<b>Salsa</b>  Polyrhythm & syncopation  Improvisation  Performing as part of a group  Call & response  Song structure (Montuno, Mambo, etc.)	<b>Song Writing</b>  Chords & chord patterns  Song writing (Lyrics & word painting)  Song structure  Cover versions	<b>Band Camp</b>  Chords & chord patterns  Song structure  Instrumental techniques (guitar, keyboard, drum kit, vocals)  Performing as part of a group.
<b>Assessment</b>	In class group and on stage performances, composition & music technology editing tasks					
<b>Support Materials</b>	Cambridge Lower Secondary Music					
<b>Extension (Stretch/Challenge)</b>	Cambridge Lower Secondary Music					