

Music Vocabulary Progression



	EYFS Hear	Year 1 Use	Year 2 Use	Year 3 Use	Year 4 Use	Year 5 Use and define	Year 6 Use and define
	Pulse, rhythm, pitch, high sounds, low sounds, perform, unison, phrase, boogie, rap, congo, rondo, concerto, Funk, listen, sing, instrument, action songs.	Pulse, rhythm, pitch, rap, improvise, compose, melody, bass guitar, drums, bass, decks, perform, keyboard, pace, trumpet, saxophone, perform, glockenspiel, groove, audience.	Keyboard, drums, bass, electric guitars, saxophone, trumpet, pulse, rhythm, pitch, improvise, compose, perform, audience, question and answer, melody, dynamics, tempo, percussion, rap, Rock, Reggae, glockenspiel.	Structure, introduction, verse, chorus, improvise, compose, pulse, rhythm, pitch, tempo, dynamics bass, drums, guitar, keyboard, synthesizer, hook, melody, texture structure, electric guitar, organ, backing vocals, dynamic texture, riff, Reggae, pentatonic scale.	Keyboard, electric guitar, bass, drums, improvise, compose, melody, pulse, rhythm, pitch, tempo, dynamics, texture, structure, compose, improvise, hook, riff, solo, pentatonic scale, unison, rhythm patterns, texture structure, musical style, rapping, lyrics, choreography, digital/electronic sounds, turntables, synthesizers, by ear, notation, backing vocal, piano, acoustic guitar, bird song, civil rights, racism, equality.	Rock, structure, pulse, rhythm, pitch, bridge, backbeat, amplifier, tempo, texture, dynamics, chorus, bridge, riff, hook, improvise, compose, appraising, Bossa Nova, syncopation, Swing, tune/head, note values, note names, Big bands, ballad, verse, interlude, tag ending, strings, piano, guitar, bass, drums, Old-school Hip Hop, Rap, synthesizer, deck, backing loops, Funk, Soul, brass section, timbre.	Style indicators, melody, compose, improvise, cover, pulse, rhythm, pitch, tempo, dynamics, timbre, texture, structure, dimensions of music, Neo Soul, producer, groove, Motown, hook, riff, solo, Blues, Jazz, by ear, hook, riff, solo, dimensions of music, ostinato, phrases, unison, Urban Gospel, civil rights, gender equality, unison, harmony, glockenspiels.