## **Uplands Infant and Nursery School**

## **Progression in Music**

## <u>2021-2022</u>

	Nursery	Reception	Year 1	Year 2
Singing	<ul> <li>Anticipate phrases and actions in rhymes and songs, like 'Peepo'.</li> <li>Enjoy and take part in action songs, such as 'Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star'. (see nursery rhyme spine)</li> <li>Remember and sing entire action songs rhymes</li> <li>Sing the pitch of a tone sung by another person ('pitch match').</li> <li>Sing the melodic shape (moving melody, such as up and down, down and up) of familiar songs.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Sing songs which contain a small range of notes.</li> <li>Sing broadly in tune with a limited pitch range.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Follow simple musical directions for faster, slower, stopping and starting.</li> <li>Sing and perform songs which contain a small range of notes (3-5), with growing confidence.</li> <li>Broadly control changes in timbre, tempo, pitch and dynamics when playing instruments and vocally.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Respond to visual and aural cues.</li> <li>Follow and use performance instructions including: starting, stopping, dynamics and tempo.</li> <li>Sing or play with a good sense of pulse.</li> <li>Sing, with accuracy, within a range of notes.</li> </ul>
Listening	<ul> <li>Show attention to sounds and music.</li> <li>Respond emotionally and</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Comment and respond to recorded music from different traditions, genres, styles, and times.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Comment and respond to recorded music from different traditions, genres, styles, and times.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Listen with increased concentration, responding appropriately to a</li> </ul>

	physically to music when it changes.  Has strong preferences for songs/rhymes they like to sing or listen to.  Respond to what they have heard, expressing their thoughts and feelings.	<ul> <li>Comment on and respond to recordings of own voice, other classroom sounds and musical instruments.</li> </ul>		variety of live and recorded music, making observations about the music.
Composing	<ul> <li>Explore their voices and enjoy making sounds.</li> <li>Creates visual representation of sounds, instruments and pieces of music, eg mark making to specific sounds or pieces of music.</li> <li>Create or improvise their own rhyme around one they already know.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Improvise songs taught.</li> <li>Create their own rhythms.</li> <li>Suggest symbols to represent rhythms.</li> <li>Suggest symbols to represent sounds in the music they create.</li> <li>To create their own music.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Recognise and represent higher and lower sounds using graphic notation.</li> <li>Use graphic notation to record rhythms.</li> <li>To create and change sounds using technology.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Recognise and demonstrate the link between pitch and shape using graphic notation.</li> <li>Use graphic notation to record rhythms.</li> <li>Experiment changing and combining sounds through technology.</li> <li>Offer comments about others' work and accept suggestions from others, including discussing musical structure.</li> </ul>

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- Move and dance to music.
- Claps or taps to the pulse of the music they are listening to.
- Describes the sounds of instruments e.g. scratchy sound, soft sound.
- Play instruments
   with some control
   to play loud/quiet
   (dynamics),
   fast/slow (tempo)
   and to express their
   feelings and ideas

- Keep a steady pulse with some accuracy.
- Explore, respond, and identify long and short sounds.
- Imitate movements in response to music.
- Recognise changes in tempo, timbre, pitch and dynamics.
- Broadly control changes in tempo, timbre, pitch and dynamics when playing instruments and vocally.

- Keep a steady pulse with some accuracy (e.g. clapping, marching, tapping and playing instruments).
- Create and explore long and short sounds.
- Identify long and short sounds.
- Begin to understand the differences between pulse and rhythm.
- Recognise changes in timbre, tempo, pitch and dynamics.
   Begin to play rhythmic patterns found in speech.
- Confidently copy given rhythms.
- To demonstrate an understanding of musical structure.

- Begin to recognise rhythmic patterns found in speech, e.g. saying, chanting names, syllables in names etc.
- Describe how sounds are made, combined etc. and name common classroom instruments.
- Demonstrate an understanding of the differences between pulse and rhythm through physical movement, playing or singing.
- Demonstrate an increased understanding and use of basic musical features as appropriate to a specific music content (e.g. getting louder, softer, higher, lower, faster, and slower).

Performing	<ul> <li>Perform action songs to their peers.</li> <li>Show basic performances and listen to other performances in class and larger groups.</li> <li>Perform to whole school and stakeholders.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Begin to gain an understanding of the importance of audience.</li> <li>To perform their created music to their peers.</li> <li>Perform with confidence.</li> <li>Perform as a group with instructions from a leader (to a range of audiences using actions and instruments).</li> <li>Practice and maintain a performance.</li> <li>Listen to others' performances and offer supportive feedback.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Begin to add emotion for effect.</li> <li>Understand the context of a song and how this affects its performance.</li> <li>Perform songs with actions to their peers.</li> <li>Perform compositions to peers.</li> <li>Listen to others' performances and offer supportive feedback.</li> <li>Perform in end of year singing concert.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Perform to a range of audiences and occasions.</li> <li>Understand the context of a song and script and how this affects its performance.</li> <li>Listen to others' performances and offer supportive feedback.</li> </ul>
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