MUSIC PROGRESSION

National Curriculum - Music is a universal language that embodies one of the highest forms of creativity. A high quality music education should engage and inspire pupils to develop a love of music and their talent as musicians, and so increase their self-confidence, creativity and sense of achievement. As pupils progress, they should develop a critical engagement with music, allowing them to compose, and to listen with discrimination to the best in the musical canon. 2014

Queens Drive Music Vision - To inspire children to develop a love of music and enable them to develop their talent through a range of musical experiences.

Knowledge and Skills document taken from Charanga

Each Unit of Work comprises the of strands of musical learning which correspond with the national curriculum for music:

- 1. Listening and Appraising
- 2. Musical Activities
- a. Warm-up Games
- b. Optional Flexible Games
- c. Singing

- d. Playing instruments
- e. Improvisation
- f. Composition
- 3. Performing

Musical teaching and learning is not neat or linear. The strands of musical learning, presented within the lesson plans and the on-screen resources, are part of the learning spiral. Over time, children can both develop new musical skills and concepts, and re-visit established musical skills and concepts. Repeating a musical skill doesn't necessarily mean their progress is slowing down or their development is moving backwards! It's just shifting within the spiral. Mastery means both a deeper understanding of musical skills and concepts and learning something new.

	EYFS	Year One	Year Two
Listen and respond/appraise	<u>Knowledge</u>	<u>Knowledge</u>	Knowledge
	To know twenty nursery rhymes	Know 5 songs off by heart	To know some songs, have a
	off by heart	To understand what the songs	chorus or response/answer
	To know the stories of some of	are about	part
	the nursery rhymes	To know and recognise the sound and names of some of	To know that songs have a musical style
	Skills	the instruments Autumn Term	Skills
	To learn music can touch your	Recognise and respond	To learn how songs can tell a
	feelings and how to express	through movement	story or describe an idea
	them.	/dance/feelings to the	Convey the mood or meaning of
	To enjoy moving to the music	different musical	the song - Spring term
	by dancing, marching, being	characteristics and moods of	
	animals or pop stars.	music – Spring Term	

	Discuss changes and patterns as the Music develops.		Listen to, review and evaluate music across a range of styles.
Musical Activities	Explore and create <u>Knowledge</u> To know that we can move with the pulse of music Combines movement to Music To know that words of songs can tell stories and paint pictures (from different countries).	<u>Games</u> <u>knowledge</u> To know that music has a steady pulse, like a heartbeat GD to find the pulse to any Music To know that we can create rhythms from words, our names, favourite food, colours and animals.	<u>Games</u> <u>knowledge</u> Rhythms are different from the steady pulse We add high or low sounds when we sing and play our instruments
Singing	KnowledgeTo sing or rap nursery rhymesand simple songs from memory,Songs have sections.SkillsSings songs in headTo sing along with pre-recordedsong and add actions.To sing along with a backingtrack.Find their singing voice and beginto develop a sense of pitch over a	<u>Knowledge</u> To confidently sing or rap five songs from memory and sing them in unison <u>Skills</u> Learn about voices, singing notes of different pitches (high and low) Learn they can make different sounds with their voices Learn to start and stop singing following a leader	KnowledgeTo know that unison iseveryone singing at the sametime.Songs include other ways ofusing our voice eg rapping.To know why we need to warmup our voices.SkillsLearn a comfortable singingpositionEcho short sung melodicphrases - Autumn Term

	small range of notes Autumn Term Sing in a group or on their own, increasingly/decreasing/matching the pitch and following the melody Spring Term ELG - Sing a range of well- known songs/nursery rhymes	Sing songs showing some control.	Sing with a sense of control of dynamics [volume] and tempo [speed] expressively and creatively -Summer Term
Playing	KnowledgeAdults to model the names of musical instrument they are playingBegin to develop a sense of beat, using instruments or body sounds Autumn/Spring TermPlay along to music showing a developing awareness of the beat Summer Term	<u>Knowledge - Autumn Term</u> Learn the names of the notes in their instrumental part from memory or when written down Learn the name of the instruments they are playing <u>Skills</u> Treat instruments carefully and with respect Play along to a steady beat. Listen to and follow musical instructions from a leader - Autumn Term Play a single pitched note to accompany a song (drone) - Spring Term	Knowledge Know the names of untuned percussion instruments played in class <u>Skills</u> Play instruments with control e.g. maintaining a steady beat, getting faster/louder - Autumn Term Learn to play a tuned instrument (ukulele) with a song they perform - all year. Play instruments with control e.g. maintaining a steady beat, getting faster/louder.

Improvisation	Knowledge Explore and engage in music making.	Play a tuned instrument (ocarina) with the song they perform – all year <u>Knowledge</u> Understanding what Improvisation means.	<u>Knowledge</u> Everyone can improvise and you can use one or two notes.
Composition	<u>Knowledge</u> Create a sequence of different sounds in response to a given stimuli – Summer Term	Knowledge Understanding what composition means. Skills -Summer term Learn the notes can be written down and changed. Sequence symbols to create a score.	<u>Skills - Spring term</u> Create, select and combine sounds to create a score.
Share and Perform	KnowledgeA performance is sharing musicSkillsPerform solo or in groups any ofthe nursery rhymes by singingand adding actions or dance.Perform many nursery rhymes orsongs adding a simpleinstrumental part.Record the performance to talkabout.ELG - Perform songs andrhymes with others and when	Knowledge A performance is sharing people with other people called an audience Choose a song they have learnt perform and add ideas to their performance, Record their performance and discuss how they feel about it. Perform as a group or as an individual.	<u>Knowledge</u> A performance can be a special occasion involving whole school, parents and friends. Choose a song they have learnt perform and add ideas to their performance, Record their performance and discuss how they feel about it. Perform a sequence of sounds using a graphic score – Spring Term

	appropriate try to move in		
	<mark>time.</mark>		Confidently perform to a
			group or individual –Summer
			term
Vocabulary - end of KS1	<mark>Pitch (high/low)</mark>	<mark>Structure</mark>	Texture
language (drip fed each year)	Pulse	<mark>Tempo - speed</mark>	Duration – long/short
Using different musical		Dynamics – loud/quiet	Timbre
<mark>elements-dynamics</mark>			Notation
<mark>(loud/quiet), Tempo (speed)</mark>			
duration (long/short), pitch			
<mark>(high/low), timbre, texture,</mark>			
structure and appropriate			
musical notations			

NB - Highlighted statements have been identified as core knowledge / skills