

Year 9: Music	
<p><u>Term 1 Topics</u></p> <p>Evolution of Hip Hop:</p> <p>In this unit we will explore the origins and evolution of hip hop / rap music. Students will showcase their knowledge – and develop their music ICT skills – through the creation of a podcast.</p> <p>Dance Music:</p> <p>In this unit students will explore Rhythms, Chords and Metre in Dance Music from different times and places.</p> <p><u>Assessment</u></p> <p>Students will create an Mp3 of their podcast and present this for assessment. A written / listening assessment covering the above topics (Assessment Week 1).</p>	<p><u>Expo - 'Connecting Minds, Creating the future'</u></p>
<p><u>Term 2 Topics</u></p> <p>What Makes a Good Song:</p> <p>In this unit students will explore Hooks, Riffs, Structure, Melody and Lyrics within the context of contemporary music.</p> <p>Samba:</p> <p>In this unit students will develop their rhythmic performance and improvisation skills through ensemble playing.</p> <p><u>Assessment</u></p> <p>Students will present a recording of their performance for assessment. A written / listening assessment covering the above topics (Assessment Week 2).</p>	<p><u>Cross Curricular Links/Projects</u></p> <p>History – Evolution of Hip Hop / Soundtracks CT – Evolution of Hip Hop (creating a podcast) Geography - Samba</p>

<p><u>Term 3 Topics</u></p> <p>New Directions:</p> <p>In this unit students will explore Minimalism and Expressionism/Serialism in Twentieth Century Music.</p> <p>Soundtracks:</p> <p>In this unit students will explore Film Music and use music technology to compose their own film scores.</p> <p><u>Assessment</u></p> <p>Students will present an Mp3 of their composition to be assessed. A written / listening assessment covering the above topics (Assessment Week 3).</p>	<p>Assessment Format:</p> <p><u>Continual Assessment</u></p> <p>Students will record and upload all performance and composition tasks to their personal music folder (this can be accessed via a personalized QR code attached to their music workbook).</p> <p><u>Assessment Week</u></p> <p>Students will complete a written assessment based on a selection of the topics covered</p>
<p>Assessment Objective Overview</p> <p>AO 1 Performing AO 2 Composing AO 3 Listening and Appraising AO 4 Evaluation</p>	<p>Links for Home Learning/Extension Resources:</p> <p>https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/zmsvr82 https://cmshirk.wixsite.com/k-12music https://www.rockhall.com/education</p>