

Weekly Retrieval Starter Tasks

Term 1

Introduction to Department
Baseline Listening Test
Baseline Practical Test
Target Setting

Appraisal: Notation, Elements, Rhythm

Rhythm and Notation
Musical Elements
Form and Structure



Practical: Basic Keyboard Skills (Twinkle Sandwich)

Practical Assessment



Christmas Keyboard and Vocal Skills



Practical Assessment

Practical: Vocal and Keyboard Christmas class, paired and solo performances

Term 2

Exploring the Orchestra

Appraisal: Instruments, Families, Listening Skills



Practical: Keyboard Skills (Hall of the Mountain King)

Term 3

Appraisal: Key Words and Listening Skills

Variations

Practical: Composing Skills (Frere Jacques Variation)



Practical Assessment

Mid-Year Written Assessment

Walton High School

KS3 Music

Year 7

2x 50 minute lessons a week
Taught as a Tutor Group

End of Year Test
(Beginning of half term 6)

End of Year Written Assessment

Practical Assessment

Revision Lessons

Revision of all of year 7 content



Regular Retrieval Starter Tasks (at least every other lesson)

Term 1

Introduction to Department

Target Setting from End of Year 7 marks

Ukulele Introduction

Appraisal: Chords and Key Words



Practical Assessment

Practical: 4 chord song performance

Appraisal: Context, Instruments and Features, Listening Skills

Music from Latin America

Practical Assessment



Practical: Keyboard/Band Skills (Three Little Birds)



Appraisal: Instruments, English, Irish, Scottish, Traditions

Term 2

Folk Music

Practical Assessment

Practical:

Keyboard Skills (What shall we do with the drunken sailor)

Ukulele Skills (What shall we do with the drunken sailor)



Term 3

Ostinato and Riffs

Appraisal: Listening Skills and Key Words

Practical: Keyboard Skills



Revision Lessons

Revision of all of year 7 & 8 content

End of Year Test (Beginning of half term 6)

End of Year Written Assessment

Practical Assessment

Walton High School

KS3 Music

Year 8

1x 50 minute lessons a week

Taught as a Mixed Ability Class (Same class for Music, ICT, History, Geography, Art)



Regular Retrieval Starter Tasks (at least every other lesson)

Term 1

Introduction to Department

Target Setting from End of Year 8 marks



Appraisal: Appraisal: Key words, Instruments, Artists

Blues

Practical: Keyboard Skills (12 bar blues)



Practical Assessment

Appraisal: Analytical Skills, Key Words

Film Music

Practical: Compose a piece of film music, either using live instruments or computer software



Practical Assessment

Term 2.5

GCSE Discussions

Theatre, Film and TV

Practical: Vocal Performance Skills (Cover Song)



Term 3

Practical Assessment



Appraisal: Different Genres, Different ways to compose a song or piece, Elements, Compositional Techniques and Devices

Introduction to GCSE Software

Practical: Compose a piece of music, using computer software

Practical Assessment

Walton High School

KS3 Music

Year 9

1x 50 minute lessons a week
Taught as a Mixed Ability Class (Same class for Music, ICT, History, Geography, Art)

