



# Bridgewater Primary School



## Subject Overview Music 2024-2025

|                  | AUTUMN 1                                       | AUTUMN 2                                       | SPRING 1  | SPRING 2  | SUMMER 1   | SUMMER 2   |
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| <b>NURSERY</b>   | Good listening, Singing nursery rhymes         | Good listening, Singing nursery rhymes         | RC – Improved singing, pulse, dynamics & good listening                     | RC – Improved singing, pulse, dynamics & good listening                     | RC – Improved singing, pulse, dynamics & good listening  | RC – Continued controlled singing, different speeds and dynamics   |
| <b>RECEPTION</b> | Charanga – Me!                                 | Charanga – My Stories                          | RC – Improved singing, pulse, dynamics & good listening                     | RC – Improved singing, pulse, dynamics & good listening                     | RC – Improved singing, pulse, dynamics & good listening  | RC – Continued controlled singing, different speeds and dynamics   |
| <b>YEAR 1</b>    | RC – Pitch, pulse, dynamics & singing          | RC – Pitch, pulse, dynamics & singing          | Charanga – In the Groove  | Charanga – Round and Round  | RC – Rhythm work, boomwhackers, singing, pulse, tempo, dynamics, blending sounds, song structure | RC – Rhythm work, boomwhackers, singing, pulse, tempo, dynamics, blending sounds, song structure   |
| <b>YEAR 2</b>    | RC – Pitch, singing, introduction to recorders | RC – Pitch, singing, introduction to recorders | RC – Recorders, singing, rhythm work, Mozart’s piano music                  | RC – Recorders, singing, rhythm work, Mozart’s piano music                  | RC – Recorders, singing, rhythm work, instruments from the woodwind family                       | Charanga – Friendship Song   |
| <b>YEAR 3</b>    | RC – Ukuleles – open strings – C7 & C          | RC – Ukuleles – open strings – C7 & C          | RC – Ukuleles 2 chord songs (C7, F+9), Mozart’s piano music, rhythm reading | RC – Ukuleles 2 chord songs (C7, F+9), Mozart’s piano music, rhythm reading | RC – Ukuleles 3 chord songs (A minor, C major, F+9), introduce G7, Mozart’s piano music          | RC – Introduction of 3 finger chords (G7 & G), play ‘You are my sunshine’ on ukuleles, reminders of elements of music – pulse, tempo, dynamics, metre and duration (rhythm notation) |
| <b>YEAR 4</b>    | RC   | RC   | RC – Rhythm work, musical structure,  | RC – Rhythm work, musical structure,  | RC – Rhythm work, musical structure –  | RC – Structure (rondo form), pitch   |

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|               |   |   | composition & singing  | composition & singing  | binary, ternary and rondo, composition & singing  | and chord construction, rhythm composition  |
| <b>YEAR 5</b> | RC – Pitch, singing, ostinati and rhythm composition                | RC – Pitch, singing, ostinati and rhythm composition                | RC – Rhythm work, drum sticks, singing, comparing piano works from different composers | RC – Rhythm work, drum sticks, singing, comparing piano works from different composers | RC – Rhythm work, drum sticks on pads, singing, comparing piano works from Mozart and Debussy | RC – Rhythm work, drum sticks on pads, singing, comparing piano works from Mozart and Debussy   |
| <b>YEAR 6</b> | RC – Singing, rhythmic ostinato compositions, Debussy's piano music | RC – Singing, rhythmic ostinato compositions, Debussy's piano music | RC   | RC   |   | RC – Music of John Williams (films) and Gustav Holst (The Planet Suite), focus on the brass family, preparation for end of term performance |