

Vocabulary Progression

EYFS	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
action songs	(all previous, plus):	(all previous, plus):	(all previous, plus):	(all previous, plus):	(all previous, plus):	(all previous, plus):
actions						
Africa	pattern	call and response	accuracy	a capella	12-bar blues	3/4 time
audience	rest (gap)	composition	atmosphere	balance	ascending scale	4/4 time
band	seaside	dot	backing track	breath control	bar	accidentals
bang	singing voice	encore	ballad	cue	bass line	allegro
beat	sound pattern	inspiration	Bollywood	diction	bent notes	arrangement
boat	soundscape	legend	chorus	directing	blues	a round
body percussion	speaking voice	myth	co-ordinated	dotted minim	blues scale	Baroque
body sounds	thinking voice	notation	control	harmony line	break	bass clef
brass	volume	one beat	crescendo	in the round	chord	bass instrument
call	warm up	phrase	crotchet	lyrics	chord progression	canon
car		pitch pattern	discipline	mood	convey	characterise
character		planet	drone	notation	descending scale	chromatics
cello		representation	duration	opinion	djembe	classical
celebration		sound effect	emotions	ostinato	duo	compare
Christian		sound pattern	ensemble	pitch notation	eight-beat break	complement
Christmas		soundscape	expression	quaver	flats	conversation
classical music		stave	facial expressions	repeating	graphic notation	control
communicate		structure	features	semibreve	key	contrast
communication		two half beats	feelings	sheet music	key signature	counter melody
composer			fluency	staff notation	loop	counter-subject
compose			folk music	texture	major chord	depict
conductor			glockenspiel	vocal ostinato	master drummer	diaphragm
constant			grid notation	unison	metronome	diminuendo
culture			harmonium		polyrhythms	dynamics
cymbals			harmony		pronunciation	era
dance			improvise		repetition	evaluate
deaf			improvisation		repeating patterns	evoke
Diwali			in-time		riff	forte
dynamic			in-tune		rhythmic notation	fugue
drum			Indian flute		scale	graphic score
environmental			influence		sharps	ground bass
sounds			instrumentals		soloist	harmonise
fast			jazz		syncopation	imagery
faster			key change		transpose	interval

flute Hanukkah harp heartbeat high Hora instrument instrumental sounds jingle Jewish journey kinnor Kwanzaa loud loudly low lyrics Makaton melody medium middle moderate move musical instrument musical story music nature sounds orchestra percussion perform performance pitch piece pulse quiet quietly quickly repeat			layer layered melodies layers letter notation major key melodic line melodic pattern melody minim minor key motif musical terminology nonsense words notes octaves off-beat opinion part pentatonic melody pentatonic scale poem pop songs rag ragtime rehearse represent repeated rhythm rhyme rhythmic notation sarangi scat singing scale sitar solo stanza stave notation story story mountain		tuned instrument unaccompanied vocals	largo legato melody melody line melodic ostinato modulate morale musical features musical structure notate opera oratorio orchestra ostinato part phrasing piano pizzicato poetic structure polyphonic purpose recitative repetitive rhythmic elements rhythmic ostinato ritardando score section semi-quaver sequence sharp note Solfa Solfa ladder soundtrack staccato subject theme translate tremolo
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response rhythm rowing score shake sign language siren sleigh bells slow slower soft song sound sounds speed squeaky steady stopping strum symbols tambourine tap tempo traditional train triangle trumpet understand verse voice voice sounds water whistle wind			straight quaver strung quaver structure summarize swing music swung rhythm syncopated rhythm syncopation tabla tala tension timbre traditional jazz tune tuned percussion untuned percussion vocal warm-up vocabulary			unison upbeat variations verse vocal line woodwind
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