**Music**

Year Group 7

Half Term 1

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| **Number of Hours** | **Topic** |
| 1 | Baseline assessment |
| 5 | Instruments of the orchestra/composing a fanfare (KA1) |
| **Reasons behind order of topic in this half term** | |
| * Baseline assessment before starting any skills work * Aural recognition of instruments and basic composition skills needed before further progression. | |

**Music**

Year Group 7

Half Term 2

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| **Number of Hours** | **Topic** |
| 2 | Rhythm |
| 2 | Pitch/Notes of the Stave |
| 2 | Performing using pitch and rhythm |
| **Reasons behind order of topic in this half term** | |
| * Rhythm theory and notes of the stave knowledge needed before further progression. * Basic keyboard skills explored. | |

**Music**

Year Group 7

Half Term 3

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| **Number of Hours** | **Topic** |
| 2 | Tempo and Time Signatures |
| 1 | Dynamics |
| 3 | Performing using all elements of music (KA2) |
| **Reasons behind order of topic in this half term** | |
| * Tempo/Time Signatures/Dynamics knowledge needed before further progression. * Development of elements learned in previous half term. * Development of keyboard skills learned in previous half term. | |

**Music**

Year Group 7

Half Term 4

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| **Number of Hours** | **Topic** |
| 2 | Tonality/Composing |
| 2 | Music from Africa |
| 2 | Music from the Caribbean |
| **Reasons behind order of topic in this half term** | |
| * Development of elements learned in previous half terms. * Development of keyboard skills learned in previous half terms. * Development of composition skills learned in previous half terms. | |

**Music**

Year Group 7

Half Term 5

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| **Number of Hours** | **Topic** |
| 2 | Music from the Caribbean (KA3) |
| 2 | Music from China |
| 2 | Experimental: Cryptograms |
| **Reasons behind order of topic in this half term** | |
| * Development of elements learned in previous half terms. * Development of keyboard skills learned in previous half terms. * Development of composition skills learned in previous half terms. | |

**Music**

Year Group 7

Half Term 6

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| **Number of Hours** | **Topic** |
| 2 | Experimental: Cryptograms |
| 4 | Experimental: Music by Chance |
| **Reasons behind order of topic in this half term** | |
| * Development of elements learned in previous half terms. * Development of keyboard skills learned in previous half terms. * Development of composition skills learned in previous half terms. | |