	Year Group: 4		Subject: Music				
Unit Curriculum Strand	Autumn: (1) Mamma Mia (by ABBB, 1975) & (2) Glockenspiel Stage 2 (variety of music. E.g. March of the Golden Guards, Two Way Radio - no dates)	Spring: (3) Stop! (Joanna Mangona - no date) & (4) Lean on Me (Bill Withers, 1972)	Summer: (5) Blackbird (The Beatles, 1968) & (6) Reflect, Rewind and Replay (Variety of music from different time periods. E.g. La Quinta Estampie, a medieval piece: Arrival of the Queen of Sheba by George Frideric Handel, 1748. Also short study of composer, Zoe Dixon)				
Singing and playing (with technical accuracy, expression and control)	<ul> <li>Children can</li> <li>say what they like about making music - playing, changing and combining sounds (1-6)</li> <li>sing in tune (1,3, 4, 5)</li> <li>When they sing and play instruments, they show a good sense of pulse and rhythm (1-6)</li> <li>Play the notes E, D and F by looking at the staff musical notations (2)</li> <li>Children know</li> <li>how to combine given sounds or notes (1-6)</li> <li>how to count the beats when listening to music(1-6)</li> <li>why it is important to warm up your voice (1, 3, 4 and 5)</li> </ul>						
Exploring sounds; creating and composing music	Children can  • try out different ways of making sounds with their voice and body sounds (tapping, clicking, stamping, etc) (1,3, 4, 5)  • repeat simple rhythms and melodies (1-6)  • create at least one simple melody using one, three or all five different notes (1,3,4 and 5)  Children know  • how to create various sounds using their voices, bodies and instruments (1-6)  • the names of common instruments (1-6)						
Rehearsing and performing	Children can  • take good notice of musical cues when singing or playing (1-6)  • follow and give simple performance directions. (1-6)  • present a musical performance designed to capture their audience (1-6)  Children know  • when to start singing/playing instrument by listening to the introduction and watching their teacher's actions (1-6)  • when to pause during a rehearsal/performance by listening to the music and watching their teacher's actions (1-6)						
Listening and responding	<ul> <li>Children can</li> <li>listen carefully to a variety of live and recorded music with good concentration and make good responses appropriately (1-6)</li> <li>make comments and suggestions about their own and other children's work in music using musical vocabulary (1-6)</li> <li>Children know</li> </ul>						
	<ul> <li>how to recognise the sounds of musical instruments (1-6)</li> <li>how to recognise basic features of key musical styles (1-6)</li> <li>how to recognise basic features of key musical styles (1-6)</li> </ul>						

how to compare and contrast music, explaining how it has developed within two-three different time periods (5-6)

the main sections of a song (chorus, verse, bridge, introduction etc.) (1,4 and 5)