

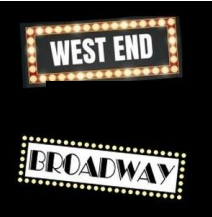


MUSIC AT PLECKGATE YEAR 7 LEARNING JOURNEY



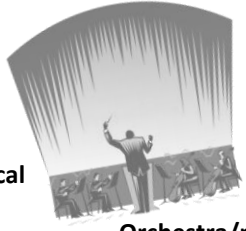
YEAR
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End of term 3
final piece: Whole
class performance
of a musical
theatre scene



Broadway and the
West End

The Company: Director, musical
director, choreographer,
designer, stage manager.



Orchestra/pit band

Song structure in
musical theatre: verse
and chorus form

What are the differences
between musical theatre
and opera?



Class performance of
musical theatre song



Musical Theatre: features of musical theatre, singing and acting techniques with ensemble performance techniques.

What is Musical
Theatre?

Principles and
chorus members

Character and
Action songs

Where did musical
theatre come from?



Opera

End of term 2
final piece: Composition
using the instruments
from the orchestra

Incorporate knowledge
of form and structure
into composition

How to compose a
successful melody



The Romantic
Orchestra

The Classical
Orchestra

The Baroque
Orchestra

How to use the
instruments of the
orchestra appropriately
in a composition



Music tech:
GarageBand techniques
on the iPad

Major and
minor chords



Binary Form



The String
Family



The Woodwind
Family



The Percussion
Family

Form and
Structure



Ternary
Form

End of term 1
final piece: Solo
performance on
keyboards

The Orchestra: the instruments of the orchestra, the evolution of the orchestra, influential composers and compositional techniques.

Solo keyboard
performance
techniques

Carnival of the
Animals
(listening skills)

The Brass
Family

Listening
assessment based
on the instruments
from the orchestra



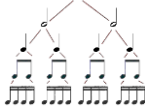
Rondo Form

Playing as a class ensemble
- ensemble keyboard
performance techniques



Treble Clef
Staff notation

Note Values
and Rests



The Elements
of Music

- Pitch
- Duration
- Texture
- Silence
- Sonority
- Articulation
- Timbre
- Tempo
- Dynamics

The Elements of Music: Music terminology, reading and writing music, listening skills and keyboard performance skills.

Year 7

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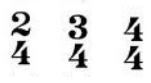


Dotted notes

Introduction to
the keyboard



Time
Signatures



Listening
skills



Baseline
Testing

Key

