



Curriculum Overview 2024-25: Music

Year Group	Unit 1	Unit 2	Unit 3	Useful Information/ Websites
Year 7	Samba Exploring rhythm and ensemble performance	Folk Music Exploring keyboard skills and the pentatonic scale	Remix Exploring variations and developing musical ideas	www.showbie.com https://teachinggadget.com/ https://www.soundtrap.com/ Focus on Sound Focus on Sound
Year 8	Soundtracks Exploring music in visual media	Feeling the Blues Exploring melodic improvisation	Songwriting Exploring the 4-chord trick	www.showbie.com https://teachinggadget.com/ https://www.soundtrap.com/ Focus on Sound Focus on Sound
Year 9	Musical Elements and BTEC Skills Development	Component 1: Explore Music Products and Styles Popular Music	Component 1: Explore Music Products and Styles Music for Media	www.showbie.com https://teachinggadget.com/ https://www.soundtrap.com/ https://astonmanoracademy.sites.noteflight.com/home Focus on Sound Focus on Sound
Year 10	Component 1: Explore Music Products and Styles Popular Music	Component 1: Explore Music Products and Styles Classical Music	Component 2: Music Skills Development Production	www.showbie.com https://teachinggadget.com/ https://www.soundtrap.com/ https://astonmanoracademy.sites.noteflight.com/home Focus on Sound Focus on Sound
Year 11	Component 2: Music Skills Development Composition Component 3: Responding to a Commercial Music Brief Preparation	Component 3: Responding to a Commercial Music Brief Examination	Component 3: Responding to a Commercial Music Brief Examination	www.showbie.com https://teachinggadget.com/ https://www.soundtrap.com/ https://astonmanoracademy.sites.noteflight.com/home Focus on Sound Focus on Sound