Year: 10

Subject: Music Technology

Curriculum Intent:

Music Technology studies in year 10 will build on the year 9 foundation knowledge. Students will extend their existing Music Technology knowledge and skills across 3 topic areas. They will also continue to develop planning, communication and evaluation skills. Students will continue to apply their working knowledge of the health and safety requirements for working in a music technology environment.



Specific learning will focus Musical elements and composition, Sound creation and Multitrack recording. By the end of year 10, students will have evidenced their abilities in these areas and will be ready to begin preparations for the formal assessment of the skills and knowledge from years 9 & 10.

	Term 1					
Musical Eler	nents, Musical Style and Music Technology	Term 2 Sound Creation	Term 3 Multitrack Recording			
1. Structural sections 2. Form 3. Time Signary 4. Major Scary 5. Minor Scary 6. Pentatoni 7. Melodic F 8. Harmony 9. Chords an Melody. 10. Instrumer	es 5. Disco es 6. Reggae 7. Funk erm 8. Hiphop Chords 9. House d 10. Drum & Bass 11. Composition		 Health and safety in a studio environment. Microphones (2 lessons) Recording planning (2 Lessons) Recording Drums (2 Lessons) Recording Bass Guitar Recording Acoustic Guitar Recording Electric Guitar Recording Vocals Corrective Editing (2 Lessons) 			

Key knowledge / Retrieval topics	• Elements of music.	 Stylistic Fingerprints Basic Composition skills. 	 Media Types Sound creation knowledge – Foley, Effects Libraries, Digital Sample Manipulation, Spot effects, Environmental sounds. Application of sound creation knowledge (associated with the above topics) Application of sound creation skills. (associated with the above 	 Media Types Sound creation knowledge – Sound Synthesis, underscore, voiceover, dialogue. Application of sound creation knowledge. Application of sound creation skills. 	 Studio Health and Safety Microphones Recording Session Planning Recording popular instruments. Corrective editing. 	 Processing for Mixing Signal Flow Monitoring Exporting Application of all unit knowledge and skills.
Assessment	Incremental low level assessment to verify new knowledge. Incremental low level assessment to verify new knowledge. Incremental low level assessment to verify new knowledge.	Incremental low level assessment to verify new knowledge. Incremental low level assessment to verify new knowledge. Final Unit assessment – Exam style questions covering the whole unit content.	topics). Incremental low level assessment to verify new knowledge. Incremental low level assessment to verify new knowledge. Incremental low level assessment to verify new knowledge.	Incremental low level assessment to verify new knowledge. Incremental low level assessment to verify new knowledge. Final Unit assessment – Exam style questions covering the whole unit content.	Incremental low level assessment to verify new knowledge. Incremental low level assessment to verify new knowledge. Incremental low level assessment to verify new knowledge.	Incremental low level assessment to verify new knowledge. Incremental low level assessment to verify new knowledge. Final Unit assessment – Exam style questions covering the whole unit content.