

The Music Curriculum



The Holy Family Catholic Primary School



Baroque
Composing and performing

Songs of WW2
Themes and Variation

Dynamics, pitch and tempo
(Fingals cave)
Film Music

Y6

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and
Remi
xing
Musical
Thea
tre



Y4

Body and tuned percussion
(Theme: Rainforests)
Adapting and transposing
motifs (Themes: Romans)

Changes in pitch, dynamics
and tempo (Theme: Rivers)
Haiku, music and
performance (

Samba and carnival sounds
and instruments
Rock and Roll

Y5

Composition notation
Blues

South and West African
Composition to represent
Festival of Colours

Jazz
Traditional
Indian
instruments
and
improvisatio
n.



Developing singing technique
(Vikings)
Pentatonic melodies and
composition (Chinese New
Year)

Ballads
Creating compositions in
response to animations.

Y3

Orchestral instruments
Myths and Legends.

Dynamics, timbre, tempo and
motifs(space)
On This Island (British song and
sound) .

West African Call and Response
Musical Me

Y2

Superheroe
s (high and
low)
By the sea



EY

Exploring sounds
Celebrating music

Music and movement
Musical stories

Transport
Big band

Y1

All about me (pulse, rhythm)
The snail and the mous (fast
and slow speeds) e

Into the sea
Fairy tales (timbre)