

Bressingham Primary School – Music Overview

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Reception	<p>In Early Years, Music is covered through responsive planning within the specific area Expressive arts and design, working towards the Being imaginative and Expressive ELG.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sing a range of well-known nursery rhymes and songs. • Perform songs, rhymes, poems and stories with others, and when appropriate try to move in time with music. 					
	Model music continuous provision and nursery rhymes	<i>Performance:</i> Christmas Nativity and Celebration Music	Exploring Sound	Music and Movement	Transport	Big Band
Year 1	Pulse and rhythm (Theme: All about me)	<i>Performance:</i> Christmas Nativity	Musical vocabulary (Theme: Under the sea)	Timbre and rhythmic patterns (Theme: Fairy tales)	Pitch and tempo (Theme: Superheroes)	Vocal and body sounds (Theme: By the sea)
Year 2	West African call and response song (Theme: Animals)	<i>Performance:</i> Christmas Nativity	Orchestral Instruments (Theme: Traditional stories)	Musical Me	Myths and Legends	<i>Instrumental unit:</i> Recorder for Year 2 Charanga
Year 3	Ballads	<i>Instrumental unit:</i> South Africa- tuned percussion	Developing singing technique (Theme: The vikings)	<i>Instrumental unit:</i> Blown Away Recorder 1 Charanga and Recorder spring assembly <i>performance</i>	Pentatonic melodies and composition (Theme: Chinese New Year)	<i>Instrumental unit:</i> Caribbean- tuned percussion
Year 4	Body and Tuned Percussion (Theme: Rainforests)	Changes in pitch, tempo, and dynamics	<i>Instrumental tuition:</i> Music Service	<i>Instrumental tuition:</i> Music Service and <i>performance</i>	<i>Instrumental unit:</i> South America- tuned percussion	Adapting and transposing motifs (Theme: Rainforests)
Year 5	Composition notation (Theme: Egyptians)	Blues and Recorder Christmas <i>Performance</i>	South and West Africa	<i>Instrumental unit:</i> Indonesia- tuned percussion	Composition to represent the Festival of Colour (Theme: Holi Festival)	<i>Performance:</i> Musical play
Year 6	<i>Instrumental unit:</i> India- tuned percussion	Dynamics, pitch and tempo (Theme: Fingal's Cave) and Recorder Christmas <i>Performance</i>	Theme and variation (Theme: Pop Art)	Baroque	<i>Instrumental Unit:</i> North America- tuned percussion	<i>Performance:</i> Musical play / Composing and performing a leavers' song