

## **Laurus Primary Music 8 Year Overview**

Intent: To deliver an exploratory and child-led approach to musical learning that creates an appreciation of music and develops an understanding of the dimensions of music.

	Key Skills:	
Listening and Appraising	Improvisation and Composition	Performance

The Interrelated Dimensions of Music								
Pulse	Rhythm	Pitch	Dynamics	Tempo	Timbre	Structure	Texture	Notation

With each new song, always start again with the foundation of pulse, then rhythm, then pitch, adding new dimensions as you progress.

	Aut	umn		Spring		Summer
Pre-school Pulse Pitch	Listen to increased attention to sounds. Respond to what they have heard expressing their thoughts and feelings. Remember and sing entire songs. (Winter Performance)		Sing the melodic shape of fa and down or down and up).	g by another person (Pitch match). amiliar songs (Moving melody, such as up	Play instruments with increasing control to express their feeling and ideas. (Performance - Class Assembly)	
Rec Pulse Rhythm	Sing in a group or on their own, increasingly matching the pitch and following melody.  Explore and engage in music making and dance, performing solo or in groups.  (Winter Performance)		Listen attentively, move to a feelings and responses.	nd talk about music, expressing their c making and dance, performing solo or	Perform songs, rhymes, poems and stories with others, and – when appropriate – try to move in time with music.  (Performance - Class Assembly)	
Dynamics	Charanga unit:	Charanga unit:	Charanga unit:	Charanga unit:	Charanga unit:	Charanga unit:
	Me!	My Stories	Everyone	Our World	Big Bear Funk	Reflect, Rewind and Replay
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	Focus/genre: Differences between pulse, rhythm and pitch	Focus/genre: Reggae and Hip Hop styles	Focus/genre: Different styles of music	Focus/genre Bossa Nova Latin	Focus/genre: Imagination	Focus/genre: Consolidation of Learning
Year 1:	Charanga unit: Hey, You!	Charanga unit: Rhythmin The Way We Walk, Banana Rap	Charanga unit: In The Groove	Charanga unit: Our School Pattern	Charanga unit: Your imagination	Charanga unit: Reflect, Rewind and Replay
		oitch, rap, improvise, compose, ch, groove, audience, imaginat		decks, perform, singers, keyboard, percuss	ion, trumpets, saxoph	nones, Blues, Baroque,Latin, Irish
Year 2	Focus/genre: South African music	Focus/genre: Christmas songs	Focus/genre: Ensemble playing / Rock music	Focus/genre: Reggae	Focus/genre: Friendship	Focus/genre: Consolidation of Learning
Teal 2	Charanga unit: Hands, Feet, Heart	Charanga unit: Ho Ho Ho	Charanga unit: I Wanna Play in a Band	Charanga unit: Zootime	Charanga unit: Friendship Song	Charanga unit: Reflect, Rewind and Replay
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**Key Stage 2:** Pupils should be taught to sing and play musically with increasing confidence and control. They should develop an understanding of musical composition, organising and manipulating ideas within musical structures and reproducing sounds from aural memory. They should: play and perform in solo and ensemble contexts, using their voices and playing musical instruments with increasing accuracy, fluency, control and expression, improvise and compose music for a range of purposes using the inter-related dimensions of music, listen with attention to detail and recall sounds with increasing aural memory, use and understand staff and other musical notations, appreciate and understand a wide range of high-quality live and recorded music drawn from different traditions and from great composers and musicians and develop an understanding of the history of music.

	Aut	umn		Spring		Summer
Year 3 Ukulele	Focus/Key skills: Play in a class ensemble using tuned and untuned percussion. Sing, using dynamic contrasts.  Vocabulary: Structure, intro/intr guitar, organ, backing vocals, he	Focus/key skills: Recognise all four families of the orchestra. Recall a simple tune/song from memory.  oduction, verse, chorus, improvisook, riff, melody, Reggae, pentator	nic scale, imagination, Disco.	Focus/key skills: Use rhythm flash cards and graphic scores. Notation middle C – A.  tempo, dynamics, bass, drums, guitar, keyb		Focus/key skills: Play in class ensemble developing ability to play a tuned instrument over a sustained period. (Performance) nelody, texture, structure, electric
Year 4 Samba Percussion	Focus/key skills: Play in a class ensemble with a sense of the rest of the group. Sing, using tempo and	Focus/key skills: Pick out key individual instruments in a piece. Clap back 2 bar rhythm patterns.	Focus/key skills: Talk about how music makes you feel, showing understanding of structure, dynamic and tempo.	Focus/key skills: Use rhythm flash cards and graphic scores. Notation middle C – C.	Focus/key skills: Improvise using al known rhythm tags. Compose a piece in binary ABA form.	Focus/key skills: Play in class ensemble developing ability in the basic skills of an instrument over a sustained period. (Performance)
	unison, rhythm patterns, musica			tch, tempo, dynamics, texture, structure, cortables, synthesizers, by ear, notation, backing		ff, melody, solo, pentatonic scale
	Vocabulary: Keyboard, electric		hy, digital/electronic sounds, turn			ff, melody, solo, pentatonic scale bustic guitar, percussion, birdson
Year 5	Vocabulary: Keyboard, electric unison, rhythm patterns, musica civil rights, racism, equality.  Focus/genre: Classic Rock  Charanga unit: Livin' On A Prayer	Focus/genre: Improvisation  Charanga unit: Classroom Jazz 1	Focus/genre: Pop music  Charanga unit: Make You Feel My Love	Focus/genre: Hip Hop music  Charanga unit: The Fresh Prince of Bel Air	Focus/genre: Motown music  Charanga unit: Dancing In The Street	ff, melody, solo, pentatonic scale oustic guitar, percussion, birdson of Learning  Charanga unit: Reflect, Rewind and Replay
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