

## Year 6 Spring: Music Knowledge Mat

Key Vocabulary		Instruments	Core Knowledge
<b>Pulse</b>	The regular heartbeat of the music; its steady beat.	Glockenspiel   Musical notes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ I know how to sing a broad range of songs, including those that involve syncopated rhythms, as part of a choir.</li> <li>➤ I know how to observe rhythm, phrasing, accurate pitching, and appropriate style when singing.</li> <li>➤ I know how to extend improvisation skills through working in small groups to create music with multiple sections that include repetition and contrast.</li> <li>➤ I know how to do chord changes as part of an improvised sequence.</li> <li>➤ I know how to compose melodies made from pairs of phrases in either G major or E minor or a key suitable for the instrument chosen.</li> <li>➤ I know how to make decisions about dynamic range, including very loud, very quiet, moderately loud and moderately quiet.</li> <li>➤ I know how to accompany a melody using block chords or a bass line.</li> <li>➤ I know the skills to read and perform pitch notation within an octave.</li> <li>➤ I know how to read and play confidently from rhythm notation cards and rhythmic scores in up to 4 parts that contain known rhythms and note durations.</li> <li>➤ I know how to read and play from notation a four-bar phrase, confidently identifying note names and durations.</li> </ul>
<b>Rhythm</b>	Long and short sounds or patterns that happen over the pulse.		
<b>Pitch</b>	High and low sounds.		
<b>Tempo</b>	The speed of the music; fast or slow or in-between.	<b>Artist/ Composer</b>	
<b>Dynamics</b>	How loud or quiet the music is.	You've Got A Friend by Carole King	
<b>Timbre</b>	All instruments, including voices, have a certain sound quality e.g. the trumpet has a very different sound quality to the violin.		
<b>Texture</b>	Layers of sound working together make music very interesting to listen to.		
<b>Structure</b>	Every piece of music has a structure e.g. an introduction, verse and chorus ending.		
<b>Notation</b>	The link between sound and symbol.		