

SOMERFORD PRIMARY SCHOOL

MUSIC Curriculum Overview 2017 - 2018

Year Group	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
N / R	Special People Exploring beat and tempo (PSED)	Growth and Change Exploring pitch (PD)	Going Places Exploring Rhythm (CL)	Stories & Sound Exploring Structure (Lit)	Working World Exploring Texture (UW)	Our Senses Exploring Timbre (EAD)
1	Ourselves Exploring Sounds	Animals Exploring Pitch	Machines Exploring Beat	Our School Exploring Sounds	Our bodies Exploring Beat	Travel Exploring Performance
2	Toys Exploring Beat	Animals Exploring Pitch	Machines Exploring Beat	Our School Exploring Sounds	Storytime Exploring Sounds	Travel Exploring Performance
3	Time Understanding of beat, metre and rhythm.	Environment Creating accompaniments. Exploring structure and timbre	China Pitch and the Pentatonic Scale.	Human Body Structure and percussion instruments. Exploring rhythm and timbre	In The Past Pitch notations, 3-note melodies Exploring pitch	Recycling Making and playing Junk Instruments Exploring rhythm
4	Communication Theme Music, songs and raps Exploring pitch, rhythm and timbre	Ancient Worlds Arrange and perform a layered pyramid structure Exploring texture and timbre	Around the World Melodies and syncopated rhythms Exploring pitch and rhythm	Singing Spanish Exploring Pitch	Environment Composing accompaniments Exploring harmony and texture	Performance Poetry Using voices to speak rhythmically Exploring rhythm
5	Our Community Composing and performing music through time	At The Movies Soundtracks and Film Scores	Keeping Healthy Performing different beats	Solar System Composers inspired by the universe	Celebration Singing performance	Life Cycles Musical Moods, styles and genres
6	World Unit / Roots		Journeys		Moving On / Class Awards	
	Beat, syncopation, pitch and harmony		Song cycle performance Exploring pitch and texture		Awards show performance and Leavers' Assembly performance Exploring pitch, rhythm and performance	

