

Braeburn music – Yearly Overview (Long term plan)
Units of study

Year Group	A1	A2	Sp1	Sp2	Su1	Su2
EYFS	Set up continuous provision	Celebration music	Exploring sound	Music and movement	Musical stories	Big Band
Year 1	Pulse and rhythm Theme – All about me	Classical music – pulse and dynamics Theme – Animals	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	African call and response Theme – Animals	Orchestral instruments Theme – Traditional stories	Musical me	Dynamics, timbre, tempo and motifs Theme - Space	On this island Theme – British songs and sounds	Myths and legends
Year 3	Ballads	Creating compositions in response to an animation Theme - Mountains	Developing singing technique Theme – Vikings	Pentatonic melodies and composition Theme – Chinese New Year	Jazz	Traditional instruments and improvisations Theme - India
Year 4	Body and tuned percussion Theme - Rainforest	Rock and roll	Changes in pitch, tempo and dynamics Theme – Rivers	Haiku music and performance Theme - Hanami	Samba and carnival sounds and instruments	Adapting and transforming motifs Theme – Romans
Year 5	Composition notation Theme – Ancient Egypt	Blues	South and West Africa	Composition to represent the festival of colour Theme Holi festival	Looping and remixing	Musical theatre
Year 6	Advanced rhythms	Dynamic, pitch and tempo Theme – Fingal’s Cave	Songs of WW2	Film music	Theme and variations Theme – Pop art	Composing and performing a leavers’ song