

Sing Up Music - Units at a glance (1-year teaching cycle)



	A		B	
	6 weeks		6 weeks	
	3 weeks	3 weeks	3 weeks	3 weeks
Term 1				
Nursery	Let's be friends		Travel and movement	
Reception	I've got a grumpy face	The sorcerer's apprentice	Witch, witch	Row, row, row your boat
Year 1	Menu song*		Colonel Hathi's march	Magical musical aquarium
Year 2	Tony Chestnut*		Carnival of the animals	Composing music inspired by birdsong
Year 3	I've been to Harlem*		Nao chariya de/Mingulay boat song	Sound symmetry
Year 4	This little light of mine*		'Theme' from The Pink Panther	Composing with colour
Year 5	What shall we do with the drunken sailor?*		Why we sing	Introduction to songwriting
Year 6	Hey, Mr Miller*		Shadows	Composing for protest!
Term 2				
Nursery	This is me		Animal tea party	
Reception	Bird spotting: Cuckoo polka	Shake my sillies out	Up and down	Five fine bumble bees
Year 1	Football*		'Dawn' from Sea interludes	Musical conversations
Year 2	Grandma rap*		Orawa	Trains
Year 3	Latin dance (Classroom percussion)*		'March' from The nutcracker	From a railway carriage
Year 4	The doot doot song (Classroom percussion)*		Fanfare for the common man	Spain
Year 5	Madina tun nabi*		Building a groove	Época
Year 6	Dona nobis pacem*		You to me are everything	Twinkle variations
Term 3				
Nursery	I've got feelings		Let's jam!	
Reception	Down there under the sea	It's oh so quiet	Slap clap clap	Bow, bow, bow Belinda
Year 1	Dancing and drawing to Nautilus	Cat and mouse	Come dance with me*	
Year 2	Swing-a-long with Shostakovich	Charlie Chaplin	Tańczymy labada *	
Year 3	Just three notes	Samba with Sérgio	Fly with the stars (Classroom percussion)*	
Year 4	Global pentatonics	The horse in motion	Favourite song (Classroom percussion)*	
Year 5	Balinese gamelan	Composing in ternary form	Kisne banaaya*	
Year 6	Race!	Exploring identity through song	Ame sau vala tara bal*	

* Progression units

Sing Up Music - Instrumental units

All instrumental units last for a whole term (12 lessons of c.50 minutes) and are interchangeable with a term of units listed above - either from Term 2 or Term 3. Using an instrumental unit will help you get better coverage of the Model Music Curriculum in relation to instrumental playing/performance and reading notation. There is more information on how to build in an instrumental unit to your scheme for music in our Sing Up Music Implementation guide.

Play ukulele 6 - 12 weeks	
Year 3	<i>Latin dance</i>
Year 3	<i>Fly with the stars</i>
Year 4	<i>The doot doot song</i>
Year 4	<i>Favourite song</i>

Play percussion 12 weeks	
Year 2	<i>TIME</i>
Year 3	<i>Mangrove twilight</i>
Year 4	<i>Ripples</i>
Year 5	<i>Rosewood gratitude</i>
Year 6	<i>Calypso solèy levé</i>

Play recorder 12 weeks	
Year 3 or 4	<i>Enchanted forest</i>
Year 3 or 4	<i>Monsters, monsters!</i>
Year 3 or 4	<i>Earthlight</i>

Sing Up Music - Optional units

All optional units are provided where schools and teachers may require extra teaching material. Each optional unit is 6 lessons long, and represents half a terms' work. They can be used in addition to the units in the overview above, or can be swapped for another of the 6 week units (that don't include a progression snapshot). There is more information on how to make use of the optional units in our Sing Up Music Implementation guide.

6 weeks	
Year 1	<i>The king is in the castle Who stole my chickens and my hens? As I was walking down the street</i>
Year 2	<i>Creepy castle Minibeasts The rockpool rock</i>
Year 3	<i>Chilled-out clap rap</i>
Year 4	<i>My fantasy football team</i>
Year 5	<i>Keep the home fires burning Three little birds Baloo baleerie</i>
Year 6	<i>Touch the sky Ain't gonna let nobody Nobody knows (The Lumineers)</i>