Brindishe Schools Music **Learning Journey**

Vocabulary

EY & Y1 vocab + shorter, longer, tempo, pitch, chorus, verse, communicate, round, conductor, long/short notes, stave, notation, compose, rhythm pattern, stick notation, rehearse

Year 2

Musicianship: know the meaning of musical

vocabulary

Listening: talk about music makes you feel

Singing: sing to communicate meaning, sing a

simple round

Playing/notation: experiment with long/short

sounds, use symbols to represent long/ short

sounds.

Improvisation: improvise with a partner

Composition: create rhythm patterns

Performance: difference between rehearsing & performing

Year 6

Musicianship: know the key of D minor, know the time signature of 6/8 **Listening:** justify a personal opinions with reference to musical elements **Singing:** sing with attention to dynamics/ articulation, sing without accompaniment **Playing/notation:** read/ respond to crotchets, dotted crotchets, quavers, semi-quavers & rests **Improvisation:** respond to beat, volume & pitch when improvising

Vocabulary All previous KS1 & KS2 vocab semi-

quaver, bridge, dynamics,

articulation, flat sign, sharp sign,

rhythmic variety

Composition: compose a piece that uses a range of dynamics & rhythmic variety Performance: perform from memory, using

notation in groups or solo

Year 6

Vocabulary KS1 & LKS2 vocab + quavers, musical purpose, staccato, legato, melodic shape, accompaniment

Year 2

Year 1

Musicianship: introduce musical vocabulary

Listening: respond to a piece of music Singing: sing songs from memory/in

Playing/notation: experiment with pitch/speed, use symbols

Improvisation: improvise with voice or instruments

Composition: create musical sound

effects **Performance:** Enjoy and have fun performing.

Year 3

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Musicianship: the key of C major, the time signature of 4/4

Listening: share thoughts/feelings about a piece of music

Singing: sing with attention to diction **Playing/notation:** read/ respond to crotchets & their rests, know what a stave is Improvisation: improvise ideas that have a beginning, middle and end

Composition: create a melody Performance: perform a well-rehearsed

piece

Year 5

Musicianship: know the key of A minor, know the time signature of 2/4

Listening: justify a personal opinion about a piece of music

Singing: sing with attention to staccato/ legato **Playing/notation:** read/respond to crotchets, dotted crotchets & their rests

Improvisation: respond to the beat & consider melodic shape

Composition: consider structures within compositions (e.g. intro, verse or chorus) Performance: create, rehearse & perform for a specific purpose

Year 1

Early Learning Goal

Sing a range of well-known nursery rhymes and songs;

Perform songs, rhymes, poems and stories with others, and when appropriate – try to move in time with music.

Work with others to create music using their own voices and percussion instruments available.

Vocabulary

KS1 vocab + key, time signature, crochet, rests, chorus, musical features, diction, musical structure, melody

Year 4

Year 5

Year 4

Musicianship: know the key of G major & the time signature of 3/4 **Listening:** suggest why a piece of music was

Singing: sing expressively & sing in parts **Playing/notation:** read/respond to crotchets, dotted crotchets & their rests

Improvisation: improvise over a simple groove **Composition:** create a simple melody using crotchets, dotted crotchets & their rests **Performance:** perform melodies following notation

Vocabulary

EY, KS1 & Y3 vocab + dotted crochets, verse, expression, breathing, phrasing, treble clef, reflect, evaluate

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EYFS vocab +

higher, lower,

faster, slower,

pop music,

lullaby, classical,

unison, pitch,

speed, names of

instruments,

sound effect,

beat, improvise,

create

nursery rhymes, actions, instruments, share, respond, explore, listen, sing, play, perform, share, play, stop, move, listen, actions, voice, hands, big/small sounds, soft/ hard sounds, loud, quiet, shake, tap, ring

EYFS



