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With each new song the foundations of pulse, then rhythm and then pitch are explored in all year groups. Then new dimensions are taught as the children move up through school on their musical journey.



These include:

Year 2

The Click Song by
Miriam Makeba.

was an award winning. She was South African singer and civil rights activist. In the 1960s she was the first artist from Africa to popularise African music in America and around the world. She actively campaigned against the South African system of apartheid.

Year 3

Three Little Birds
Bob Marley is the most famous performer of roots reggae music, and has helped spread both Jamaican music and the Rastafari movement to a worldwide audience.

Year 4

The Beatles helped to reshape Western Pop music in the 1960s
Paul McCartney wrote this song, Blackbird about civil rights for African Americans, in support of the Black Power Movement.

Year 6

The music of Carole King and her importance as a female composer in the world of popular music.

MUSIC: “Where words fail, music speaks” Hans Christian Andersen