Foxford Learning Plan

YEAR 8

Topic: Film Music

Autumn 2

Key Vocabulary

Leitmotif	A repeating theme heard throughout a piece of music
Motif	A theme that can be heard through a piece of music
Cue Sheet	A resource that lists action and musical ideas to help write music for visual media
Concord	A combination of notes that when played as a melody/ motif sounds 'nice'
Discord	A combination of notes that when played as a melody/ motif sounds 'horrible'
Soundtrack	The musical accompaniment for a film
Crescendo	An Italian term meaning to get louder
Diminuendo	An Italian term meaning to get quieter

Key Skills

Over the course of the topic, I will be able to: -

- Perform a piece of music based on Film Music
- Recognise different compositional techniques to write different genres of music
- Improve and sustain my understanding of notation when performing a piece of music
- Through listening **identify/ describe or explain** and developing the use of musical terminology discuss how music can provide different moods and genres in films.
- Reflect on my performance skills and identify areas of strengths and improvement





I will Understand

1. How to perform a piece of music based on films
2. How to use different compositional techniques to write a leifmotif
3. How to identify/ describe/explain different musical devices used in various genres of films.
4. How to evaluate my work and others and identify areas of improvement