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Moreton Music Department Curriculum Offer for KS3 2017/18

Year 7	<p style="text-align: center;">Music Technology and Musical Elements</p> <p>Both of these projects are designed to cover the following practical and thinking skills</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Understanding and demonstrating of musical keywords.• Introduction to performance on a range of instruments.• Beginner techniques for GarageBand software.• Introductory structures.• Analysis of World Music.• Developing Composition skills using techniques and skills.• Developing understanding of soundscapes and music for different occasions.• Peer assessment and reflection
Year 8	<p style="text-align: center;">Minimalism and Music for Special occasions.</p> <p>Both of these projects are designed to cover the following practical and thinking skills</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Introduction to more advanced performance techniques.• Arrangements at a beginner level.• Polyrhythm and minimalist styles.• Arranging passages on GarageBand software.• Graphic scores and music notation.• Develop understanding of experimental music by analysis features.• Composing music in an expressionist style with relevant characteristics.• Peer and self-assessment
Year 9	<p style="text-align: center;">GCSE Preparation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• This project has been designed to cover the following practical and thinking skills-• More complex musical notations will be used and encouraged in lessons.• Students will analyse GCSE pieces from Edexcel exam.• Students will develop understanding of GCSE composition skills.• Students will develop more in depth analysis skills in preparation for KS4.• New techniques will be explored on the GarageBand software.• Self-assessment and reflection skills.• Research projects linked to GCSE syllabus.