

Music Eduqas GCSE

Year 10

Please use this route through to find out what students are learning in the classroom and beyond.

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Subject	What are students learning in lessons?	What are students learning in home learning?
Autumn Term 1	Step Up To GCSE: practical music theory. Developing Solo and Ensemble Skills: how to practice, what makes a good rehearsal.	1 hour per week: theory practice. 20 minutes per day: personal practice to reach at least Grade 3.
Autumn Term 2	Area of Study 4 - Popular Music: understanding and analysing Pop, Rock, Reggae, Soul and Hip Hop music. Developing popular song composition techniques.	1 hour per week: theory practice 20 minutes per day: personal practice to reach at least Grade 3.
Spring Term 1	Area of Study 1 - Musical Forms and Devices: Baroque, Classical, Romantic forms of classical music. Developing ensemble performance skills.	1 hour per week: musical analysis of a piece of music following the MAD TSHIRT Acronym. 20 minutes per day: personal practice to reach at least Grade 3.
Spring Term 2	Set Work: analysing Bach's Badinerie in terms of structure, texture, melody and rhythm. Developing as a solo performer.	1 hour per week: writing an extended answer on a piece of chamber music. 20 minutes per day: personal practice to reach at least Grade 3.
Summer Term 1	Area of Study 2 - Music For Film: analysing the purpose of film music and compositional techniques. Composing a piece of music for a Viking invasion.	1 hour per week: analyse and write an extended answer to describe a piece of film music. 20 minutes per day: personal practice to reach at least Grade 3.
Summer Term 2	Set Work: analysing Africa by Toto, including cadences, arrangement, instrumentation, harmony and tonality. Composing to a Brief: free choice composition.	1 hour per week: Revise all areas of study including the two set works - Badinerie and Africa by Toto using MAD TSHIRT knowledge organiser and revision cards.
Every mark matters	Assessment	Key contacts
	Students think hard, answer lots of questions and get feedback on their work every lesson. Exam: Spring 1 and Summer 2	Head of Department: Tracey.Boyes@ theregisschool.co.uk