



BRIERCLIFFE PRIMARY SCHOOL
Music Curriculum Overview
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| Subject - Music | | | | | | |
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| | Autumn 1 | Autumn 2 | Spring 1 | Spring 2 | Summer 1 | Summer 2 |
| Reception The Big Question | Me! Nursery Rhymes Are Nursery rhymes only sung in Nurseries? | | Chinese New Year / Dragon Dance How can you use music and dance to express feelings? | | Carnival of the animals If animals had a party, how would they dance to the music? | |
| Year 1 The Big Question | Hey You! – Hip hop Can a rap section be put into any song? | | | In the Groove Can you sing or play the same song in different styles? How does it sound different? | | Round and Round- Musical dimensions What musical dimensions does a song need to have to go 'round and round' in your head? |
| Year 2 The Big Question | Hands Feet Heart – African Are African style songs only popular in Africa? | | I wanna play in a Band – Rock What instruments might you find in a Rock band? | | Zootime – Reggae How would you describe Reggae music? What feeling does it create? Eg sad, angry, relaxed, scary. | |



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| <p>Year 3 The Big Question</p> | | <p>Let your spirit fly – Country Would you class Taylor Swift as a country singer?</p> | | <p>Glockenspiel stage 1</p> | | <p>3 Little Birds Reggae Reggae's rhythm is on the off-beat. Is it easier or harder to sing and play a song on the off-beat?</p> |
| <p>Year 4 The Big Question</p> | <p>Mamma Mia – 70s Pop Might ABBA be as popular today as they were in the 70's?</p> | | <p>Glockenspiel stage 2</p> | | <p>Lean on me – Soul Can you sing or play music from the soul?</p> | |
| <p>Year 5 The Big Question</p> | | <p>Classroom Jazz 1 Jazz Could any instrument be used to create a piece of Jazz music?</p> | | <p>The fresh Prince of Bel-Air Rap How powerful is a Rap?</p> | | <p>Garage band – Digital Music Is all music created by layering?</p> |
| <p>Year 6 The Big Question</p> | <p>Dancing in the street – Motown Which other styles of music is Motown closely linked to?</p> | | <p>Classroom Jazz 2 – Jazz Is hardbop a style of Jazz music?</p> | | <p>Happy - Pop What does Pop stand for and how might it be determined?</p> | |



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