GCSE MUSIC – Y10

MAGHULL HIGH SCHOOL – CURRICULUM MAP



HALF TERM 1	Lesson 1	Lesson 3	Lesson 5
OCT - DEC			
TOPIC (S) Contextual Musical Understanding (1hr Per cycle)	Objective: Explore idea of MADTSHIRT and how it can be applied to analysing a piece of music.	Objective: Review of musical periods through time and an exploration of their stylistic traits.	Objective: Exploration of common musical structural devices and how they can be used in pieces of music.
Knowledge & Skills development	 Develop an understanding of the demands of the course Gain confidence in using the elements of music to analyse a piece Start to be able to aurally recognise features of a piece of music Be able to answer short questions talking about the musical features of a specific piece of music. 		
Assessment / Feedback Opportunities	Formative teacher assessment – verbal	Formative teacher assessment – verbal MADTSHIRT booklet	Formative teacher assessment – verbal MADTSHIRT booklet
Cultural Capital	 Opportunity to see piece (or similar pieces) be performed by the Vienna Philharmonic under John Williams Video performance of the pieces by professional productions (YouTube) 		
SMSC / Promoting British Values (Democracy, Liberty, Rule of Law, Tolerance & Respect)	 Students have to take part in discussions, therefore requiring respect and tolerance Students may work in groups at certain points, requiring a degree of tolerance for working with others. 		
Reading opportunities	 Edexcel GCSE Music Revision Guide (Rhinegold) Stanley Sadie and Alison Lantham – The Cambridge Music Guide 		
Key Vocabulary	Leitmotif Recitative Pit Orchestra Theme Melody Harmony Rhythm Texture Orchestra Instruments Tessitura Belting Duet		
Digital Literacy	Youtube videos of performance Firefly tasks		
Cross-curricular links	Art – Musical form often follows the same rules, styles and conventions of Art work History – What was happening historically at the time the piece was written (placing the work in context)		
Careers	What is a musicologist?		