LKS2 Progression of skills across Foundation Subjects - MUSIC

KS2 Music – NC 2014	Y r	KPIs & Techniques
Key stage 2 Pupils should be taught to sing and play musically with increasing confidence and control. They should develop an understanding of musical composition, organising and manipulating ideas within musical structures and reproducing sounds from aural memory.		□ Improvise repeated patterns and create layers of sounds. □ Recognise how musical elements are combined and used expressively. □ Represent sounds and musical direction with symbols to create a simple score. □ Talk about the impact of changes made to improve work. □ Sing with increasing expression. □ Explore ways in which sounds can be combined and used expressively □ Perform with control of pulse and awareness of what others are playing
Pupils should be taught: Performing: play and perform in solo and ensemble contexts, using their voices and playing musicalinstruments with increasing accuracy, fluency, control and expression. Composition and appraisal: improvise and	3	 □ Compare and contrast sounds according to pitch. □ Compare and contrast sounds according to duration. □ Compare and contrast sounds according to dynamics. □ Compare and contrast sounds according to tempo. □ Explore the effect of silence. □ Use a cyclical pattern (fixed number of beats repeated continuously) □ Use simple musical vocabulary to describe both sounds and the way they are produced. □ Develop an awareness of rounds, call and response and historical songs (e.g. marching songs and sea shanties).
compose music for a range of purposes using the inter-related dimensions of music, appreciate and understand a wide range of high-quality live and recorded music drawn from different traditions and from great composers and musicians, and develop an understanding of the history of music. Musical elements: listen with attention to detail and recall sounds with increasing aural memory, use and understand staff and other musical	4	 Maintain a simple part within an ensemble or choral group. □ Perform simple melodies and songs. □ Sing with awareness of breathing and diction. □ Improvise melodic and rhythmic phrases as part of a group performance. □ Explore a range of musical genres. □ Combine musical elements to create a score. □ Begin to use musical notation and devices, e.g. melody, and rhythms to create a score. □ Compose and improve simple melodies and songs.
notations.		 □ Explore combinations or clusters based on pentatonic scales, e.g. C-CDEGA □ Improvise a repeated pattern (Ostinato). □ Use notation associated with duration, e.g. crochet-one beat, minim-two beats, quaver-half beat, □ Recognise differences in dynamic levels, e.g. soft, loud etc □ Gain awareness that the top number of a time signature denotes the number of beats in each bar, the metre. □ Create and perform linear and cyclical patterns. □ Listen to, discuss and analyse simple songs with verse and chorus, and Rondo.