

Music - Years 3 & 4 Summer 1 Knowledge Organiser

Singing

Rounds or partner songs are a good way to begin learning how to create harmonies in singing. We can sing different parts at the same time to create a harmony.



The Eurovision Song Contest Two-part Songs The Music of Abba



Eurovision Facts

- The Eurovision song contest was first broadcast in 1956.
- The country awarded the most points is the winner.
- The country that wins, hosts the contest the following year.
- Ukraine won last year but could not host the contest due to war.
- Liverpool has been chosen to hold the contest this year at the M & S Bank Arena.



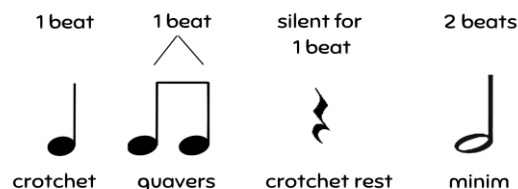
Composing

We can compose effects using percussion instruments by layering sounds and rhythms.

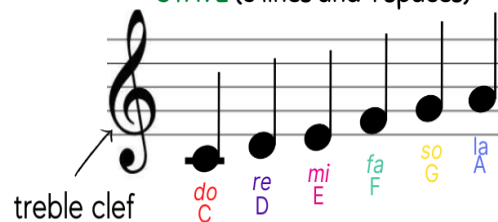
Performing

- The most proven method of creating a successful performance is practice.
- We should all start on the same beat when singing together to create a better performance.

Notation



Staff notation - music written on a
STAVE (5 lines and 4 spaces)



Listening and Responding

The most notable winners of the Eurovision Song Contest were Abba who went on to achieve international fame after winning for Sweden in 1974 with the song 'Waterloo'.



Key Vocabulary

partner songs	harmony	synthesiser	lead vocals
texture	stave	pitch	rhythm