

FOREST FEDERATION CURRICULUM MUSIC PLANNING

EYFS
/KS1

Introducing
Beat

Focus on
Dynamics and
Tempo

Exploring
Feelings
Through
Music

Combining
Pulse,
Rhythm
and Pitch

Exploring
sound to
create a
story

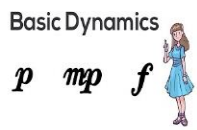
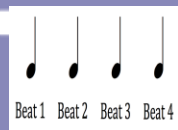
Exploring
Simple
Patterns

Adding
rhythm
and pitch

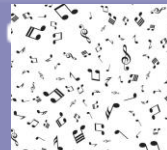
Introducing
tempo and
dynamics

Inventing a
Musical
Story

Having fun
with
improvisation



Classical Music
To Teach Emotions



PPP - Very Quiet - Pianissimo - 30dB
PP - Somewhat Quiet - Pianissimo - 40dB
P - Quiet - Piano - 50dB
MP - Moderately Quiet - Mezzo-Forte - 60dB
M - Moderately Loud - Mezzo-Forte - 70dB
F - Somewhat Loud - Forte - 80dB
FF - Loud - Fortissimo - 90dB
FFF - Very Loud - Fortissimo - 100dB



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Developing pulse and
groove through
improvisation

Enjoying
Improvisation

Interesting
Time
Signature

Learning
more
about
musical
styles

Creating
simple
melodies
together

Composing
using
imagination

Combining
elements
to make
music

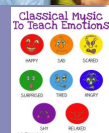
Developing
notation
skills

Sharing
Musical
Experiences

Connecting
Notes and
Feelings

UKS2

Getting started with
Music Tech



Words,
Meaning
and
Expression

Developing
Melodic
Phrases

Emotions
and
Musical
Styles

Gaining
Confidence
through
Performance

Introducing
Chords

Using
chords and
structure

