

# Year One Summer Term – Your Imagination

## Three key questions

Can I listen and clap back, then listen and clap my answer (rhythms of words)?

Can I explain what the songs I have studied are about?

Can I say what instruments are commonly used in pop music?

### VOCABULARY

### FAMOUS MUSICIANS

### KEY FACTS

**Pop**

Pop music is a type of popular music that many people like to listen to. The word "pop music" was used from about 1880 onwards, when a type of music was popular

**Rhythm**

Rhythm is the combination of different lengths of notes or silences.

**Musical notes**

A musical note tells us how long or short a note is and it's pitch.

Week	Musician and Song/composition	Genre
1	Balafon by Mamadou Diabaté	African
2	Dubai Wale Shaikh by Nimrat Khaira	Bhangra
3	Speaking My Peace by Jesper Lundfaard	Jazz and Blues
4	Paper Planes by M.I.A	Electronic
5	The Devil and the Ploughman by John Woolrich	Folk
6	Lean On Me by ACM Gospel Choir	Gospel
7	U Cant Touch This by MC Hammer	Hip Hop
8	Despacito - Luis Fonsi	Latin
9	Baby Love by The Supremes	Motown
10	Our Day Will Come by Amy Winehouse	Pop
11	The was a Man of Newington (Reggae version) by Benjamin Britton	Reggae

*Appraisals do not need to be written down but there needs to be evidence that conversations and discussions have taken place (posit it notes, I-pad recording – uploaded to the OneDrive, Pic Collage, ticking features/instruments heard, scoring out of 10 etc, written analysis/ comparing after 2-3 pieces and/or at the end of each half term)*

**Appraising a piece of music**

**Instruments commonly used in pop music**

I can say what the piece of music is called and who it was written by.  
 I can say how the music makes me feel.  
 I can say what instruments are being played and the effect they have on me.  
 I can give my personal opinion based on the details above.

Voice  
 Synths  
 keyboard  
 Drums (sometimes drum machine sounds on a computer)  
 Guitar  
 Bass (sometimes synth bass as well)  
 Percussion (can include all kinds of little sounds)  
 Horns are also often in pop music (though sometimes not real ones)

## I know how to...

Use my voice and instruments to listen and sing back, then listen and play my own answer using two notes, with D moving to E.

Recognise and name some of the instruments used

Move to a piece a music by dancing, marching, being an animal or a popstar

Beat a steady pulse to a piece of music