			RET Music - KS	3 Stage Ladder	
	dents ght to	 composers and musicians. sing and to use their voices, to instrument and to use technol understand and explore how n 	create and compose music on their own an ogy appropriately.	genres, styles and traditions including the works of gre d with others, have the opportunity to learn a musical ed including through the inter-related dimensions: pito tions.	
Sta	age	Performing	Composing	Listening and Knowledge	Listening and Appraising
Y9++	7	• Consistently performs with fluency and accuracy with detailed attention to stylistic, technical and expressive demands. The music has a degree of challenge.	Compose using a range of musical elements with some sophistication creating effective musical ideas and sustaining interest through their development. Effective manipulation of musical ideas and composing techniques within a unified structure.	• Demonstrate through aural identification accurate knowledge of a wide range of musical elements, contexts and language. Write with clarity and coherence (including a range of notation), using key music words to reflect accurate description and interpretation of music heard.	 Evaluate music to make sound judgement using musical terminology accurately and effectively. Write with clarity and coherence using key music words.
+6Y	6	• Reliable technique and with some expression in playing and performing an instrumental or vocal part. Some stylistic interpretation. Music has a few challenging passages.	Composing using a range of musical elements with stylistic coherence creating musical ideas and developing interest successfully	• Demonstrate through aural identification accurate knowledge of a range of musical elements, contexts and language (including a range of notation). Understanding and accurate application of key words in response to music studied.	• Good evaluation and understanding of terminology and mostly accurate application of key words in response to a music heard.
Avg EOY9	5	 Perform music with some technical challenges, broadly fluently with some sensitivity. Some expression in playing and performing an instrumental or vocal part. 	 Composing using a range of musical elements with coherence creating musical ideas and developing interest with some success. 	• Demonstrate through aural identification mostly accurate knowledge of a range of musical elements, contexts and language (including a range of notation). Understanding and increasingly accurate application of key words in response to music studied.	• Evaluate music to make clear judgements using musical terminology appropriately.
Avg EOY8	4	• Reliable technique and limited expression in playing and performing an instrumental or vocal part. Stylistic awareness. Music is simple with occasional technical passages.	 Compose using a range of musical elements (sometimes with adequate coherence) creating musical ideas and developing interest with some success. 	• Satisfactory understanding and increasingly accurate application of key words in response to music heard and studied. Students may have a basic understanding of different forms of notation.	 Satisfactory understanding and some accurate application of key words in response to music heard.
Avg EOY7	3	• Perform simple pieces with limited fluency and sensitivity. Some sense of style is demonstrated.	• Compose using a range of musical elements creating musical ideas with some appeal and limited development.	• Demonstrate through aural identification some knowledge of musical elements, contexts and language. Students have a simple understanding of basic forms of notation.	• Evaluate music to produce simple reflections with inconsistent use of musical terminology.
Avg EOY6	2	• Some students will not have had experience of performance. Where they have they perform a short and simple piece with limited technique with some sense of the overall structure. Can sing a simple piece in tune.	• Some students will not have had experience with composition. Where they have they can compose using a limited range of musical elements creating musical ideas with some appeal and limited development.	Basic understanding and limited application of key words in response to music.	• Basic understanding and limited application of key words in response to music heard.
	1	• Some students will not have had experience of performance. Where they have they attempts to perform a short and simple piece with limited technique with some sense of the overall structure. May need help from a teacher.	• Some students will not have had experience with composition. Where they have, they can attempt to compose using a limited range of musical elements creating musical ideas with some appeal and limited development. May need help from a teacher.	• Attempts to demonstrate basic understanding and limited application of key words in response to music studied. May need help from a teacher.	• Attempts to demonstrate basic understanding and limited application of key words in response to music heard. May need help from a teacher.