BIG PICTURE: Year 10

Music Matters	What you will do
The Power of Music	
• For Mindfulness	Listen to a range of music giving space and attention to our thoughts and physical reactions.
• In Story and Identity	Learn to play, sing and perform 'Swing Low' (CAT 1) – look at its history and meaning and how it has represented different aspects of faith, culture and identity – including sport. (Learn about incorporating Bass Guitar)
• In expressing mood and emotion Major and Minor	Learn the difference between Major and Minor. Look at examples of the transforming mood and meaning when minor keys and chords are used. Learn to play and perform 'All of Me' – John Legend using Minor chords, Riff and song structure (CAT 2)
• In Media	Understand how music is used as a powerful tool to shape our responses and actions, when used in Film and Advertising – Christmas Guitar Jingle Bells & Holidays are coming (Winter Exam Option – CAT 3)
• For protest	Research the history and power of song as a tool for protest. (Homework) Write a short protest song. (CAT 4)Learn to play and perform Stand By Me (Summer Exam Option (CAT 5)
• For health and wellbeing	Learn about the benefits of Music to health. See the impact on Dementia sufferers particularly. You may have the opportunity to visit a Residential Home and perform music to and with the residents (Homework)
• To express our creativity	Learn about song writing and use the building blocks of the I, V, VI, IV chord pattern to write and structure a song. (CAT 6) Revisit Ostinato and Pentatonic.

