



Vocabulary Progression in Music

Nursery

Nursery rhyme	pulse	instruments	high sounds
low sounds	fast	slow	singing
tap	shake	scrape	beat

Reception

pitch	dynamic	rhythm	percussion
solo	unison	singers	perform
tuned	untuned	rondo	groove
concerto	tempo	boogie	rap
funk	audience		

Year One

timbre	melody	acoustic	accompaniment
improvise	compose	Q & A	bass guitar
keyboard	trumpet	saxophone	drum deck
Latin	folk	blues	baroque

Year Two

texture	structure	musical elements	musical layering
improvisation	composition	graphic score	notation
call and response	electric guitar	glockenspiel	rock
reggae	chord	drone	ostinato