



Subject Music	Theme	Singing and IDMs	Term	4
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What should I know already?	What should I be able to do by the end of the unit?
 Some basic musical vocabulary to describe what is heard, e.g. pitch, tempo How to identify changes in pitch when listening to a melody. How to change the pitch of my voice to reflect changes in melody when singing. 	 Identify how songs are structured in different ways and the effect this creates, e.g. call and response Show changes in texture through creating layers of singing, including in a round Understand the effect of changes in dynamics when singing. Reflect changes in dynamics using our voices Use musical vocabulary associated with dynamics, e.g. p, f

What should I know by the end of the unit?			Key Musical Vocabulary
Technical	Constructive	Expressive	
 How to maintain my part in a singing or rhythmic piece. How to change the dynamics of my voice. 	 How to identify changes of texture or dynamics in a piece of music. How to use changes in dynamics or texture to create a piece of music. Why composers use changes of dynamics or texture in their work. How a round is different to singing in unison 	 How Call and Response songs have been used in different contexts, e.g. Sea shanties, African songs, slavery How to sing with a sense of purpose and performance 	 Call and Response – a song structure that uses a 'question' from a solo leader followed by an 'answer' from the group. Dynamics – How loud or quiet a sound is. Texture – the layers of sound in music Piano (p) – softly Forte (f) – loudly Pianissimo (pp) – very softly Fortissimo (ff) – very loudly

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