

HOLMER GREEN SENIOR SCHOOL – CURRICULUM INFORMATION

Subject: Music

Year Group:	7,8,9,10,11,12,13
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Exam Board:	GCSE: EdExcel BTEC: EdExcel
(For years 10, 11, 12 and 13 only)	BIEC: Edexcei
Assessment	
requirements:	
Scheme of work	Year 7
overview:	Term 1: The Basics – Music notations
	Term 2: The Elements of Music
	Term 3: Rhythm
	Term 4: Instruments of the Orchestra
	Term 5: Chords and Triads
	Term 6: Song Writing
	Year 8
	Term 1: Blues & Bass Clef
	Term 2: Writing a Winter Song
	Term 3: Reggae
	Term 4: Ukulele
	Term 5: Popular Music
	Term 6: Film Music
	Year 9
	Term 1: Minimalism
	Term 2: Blues
	Term 3: Reggae
	Term 4: Folk Music Term 5: Film Music
	Term 6: Popular Music
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	GCSE
	EdExcel GCSEE
	12 Set Works are studied as part of the listening exam <i>G F Handel:</i> Chorus:And The Glory of The Lord from Messiah,
	HWV 56
	W A Mozart:1 st Movement from Symphony No. 40 in G minor,
	K. 550
	F Chopin: Prelude No 15 in D flat major, Op. 28
	A Schoenberg: Peripetie from Five Orchestral Pieces, Op. 16
	L Bernstein: Something's Coming from West Side Story
	S Reich: 3rd Movement (fast) from Electric Counterpoint
	M Davis: All Blues from the album Kind of Blue
	J Buckley: Grace from the album Grace
	Moby: Why Does My Heart Feel So Bad? From the album Play

Capercaillie: Chuir M'Athair Mise Dhan Taigh Charraideach

(Skye Waulking Song) from the album Nàdurra

Rag Desh Koko: Yiri

Two Performances Solo & Ensemble

Two Compositions

BTEC

Unit 23 - Music Performance Techniques

Unit 33 - Solo Music Performance

Unit 40 - Working and Developing as a Music

Ensemble

Unit 21 - Music in the Community

Unit 24 - Music Project

Unit 30 - Pop Music in Practice

Reading materials/resources:

KS3

The AB Guide to Music Theory Vol 1 Sheet music – 20 Jul 1989

ISBN-10: 1854724460

Music Theory in Practice, Grade 1 (Music Theory in Practice

(ABRSM))

ISBN-10: 1860969429

Music Theory in Practice Model Answers, Grade 1 (Music Theory in

Practice (ABRSM)) Sheet music - 2 Apr 2009

ISBN-10: 184849114X

GCSE

Edexcel GCSE Music: Student Book Paperback - 27 May 2009

ISBN-10: 184690403X

GCSE Music Edexcel Areas Of Study Revision Guide Paperback -

16 Feb 2011

ISBN-10: 1847623727

BTEC

David Ventura: Understanding Popular Music Paperback – 9 Jan

2012

ISBN-10: 1780382499