

# Composition Progression- Taken directly from Charanga



## No reception

## Year 1

Knowledge	Skills
<ul><li>Composing is like writing a story with music.</li><li>Everyone can compose.</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Help to create a simple melody using one, two or three notes.</li> <li>Learn how the notes of the composition can be written down and changed if necessary.</li> </ul>

## Year 2

Knowledge	Skills
<ul> <li>Composing is like writing a story with music.</li> <li>Everyone can compose.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Help create three simple melodies with the Units using one, three or five different notes.</li> <li>Learn how the notes of the composition can be written down and changed if necessary.</li> </ul>

#### Year 3

Knowledge	Skills
<ul> <li>To know and be able to talk about:</li> <li>A composition: music that is created by you and kept in some way. It's like writing a story. It can be played or performed again to your friends.</li> <li>Different ways of recording compositions (letter names, symbols, audio etc.)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Help create at least one simple melody using one, three or five different notes.</li> <li>Plan and create a section of music that can be performed within the context of the unit song.</li> <li>Talk about how it was created.</li> <li>Listen to and reflect upon the developing composition and make musical decisions about pulse, rhythm, pitch, dynamics and tempo.</li> <li>Record the composition in any way appropriate that recognises the connection between sound and symbol (e.g. graphic/pictorial notation).</li> </ul>

#### Year 4

Knowledge	Skills
<ul> <li>To know and be able to talk about:</li> <li>A composition: music that is created by you and kept in some way. It's like writing a story. It can be played or performed again to your friends.</li> <li>Different ways of recording compositions (letter names, symbols, audio etc.)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Help create at least one simple melody using one, three or all five different notes.</li> <li>Plan and create a section of music that can be performed within the context of the unit song.</li> <li>Talk about how it was created.</li> <li>Listen to and reflect upon the developing composition and make musical decisions about pulse, rhythm, pitch, dynamics and tempo.</li> <li>Record the composition in any way appropriate that recognises the connection between sound and symbol (e.g. graphic/pictorial notation).</li> </ul>

#### Year 5

Knowledge	Skills
<ul> <li>To know and be able to talk about:</li> <li>A composition: music that is created by you and kept in some way. It's like writing a story. It can be played or performed again to your friends.</li> <li>A composition has pulse, rhythm and pitch that work together and are shaped by tempo, dynamics, texture and structure</li> <li>Notation: recognise the connection between sound and symbol</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Create simple melodies using up to five different notes and simple rhythms that work musically with the style of the Unit song.</li> <li>Explain the keynote or home note and the structure of the melody.</li> <li>Listen to and reflect upon the developing composition and make musical decisions about how the melody connects with the song.</li> <li>Record the composition in any way appropriate that recognises the connection between sound and symbol (e.g. graphic/pictorial notation).</li> </ul>

Year 6

Knowledge	Skills
<ul> <li>To know and be able to talk about:</li> <li>A composition: music that is created by you and kept in some way. It's like writing a story. It can be played or performed again to your friends.</li> <li>A composition has pulse, rhythm and pitch that work together and are shaped by tempo, dynamics, texture and structure</li> <li>Notation: recognise the connection between sound and symbol</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Create simple melodies using up to five different notes and simple rhythms that work musically with the style of the Unit song.</li> <li>Explain the keynote or home note and the structure of the melody.</li> <li>Listen to and reflect upon the developing composition and make musical decisions about how the melody connects with the song.</li> <li>Record the composition in any way appropriate that recognises the connection between sound and symbol (e.g. graphic/pictorial notation).</li> </ul>