












## Significant People & Selection Rational overview for Music

		Autumn	Spring	Summer
KS1	Cycle A	<p><u>Hey You!</u></p> <p>Will Smith</p> 	<p><u>Rhythm In The Way We Walk</u> <u>In The Groove</u></p> <p>Bob Marley</p> 	<p><u>Your Imagination</u></p> <p>/</p>
	Reason for significant person selection	<p>Hey You! is written in an Old-School Hip Hop style for children to learn how to rap.</p> <p>Will Smith was chosen as he was a famous rapper. He first gained recognition as part of a hip hop duo with DJ Jazzy Jeff, and then had solo success. He has received four Grammy Awards for his rap performances.</p>	<p>The learning is focused around the song Rhythm In The Way We Walk (Reggae style).</p> <p>Bob Marley was selected as he is considered one of the pioneers of reggae. Bob Marley is a global figure in popular culture to this day.</p>	<p>/</p>
	Cycle B	<p><u>I Wanna Play In A Band</u></p> <p>Queen</p>	<p><u>Round and Round</u> <u>Zootime</u></p> <p>UB40</p>	<p><u>Friendship Song</u></p> <p>/</p>

				
	Reason for significant person selection	I Wanna Play In A Band is a Rock song for children. Children will listen and appraise classic Rock songs in this topic. Queen were selected as they are the most popular UK rock band of all time.	Zootime is a reggae song for children. UB40 were chosen as they are a famous English reggae band. The band has had more than 50 singles in the UK Singles Chart, and has also achieved considerable international success.	/
LKS2	Cycle A	<u>Let Your Spirit Fly</u>  /	<u>Three Little Birds</u> <u>Mamma Mia</u>  Bob Marley                      ABBA  	<u>Bringing Us Together</u>  Sister Sledge 
	Reason for significant person selection		<p>Three Little Birds by Bob Marley – a Reggae song. Bob Marley was selected as he is considered one of the pioneers of reggae. Bob Marley is a global figure in popular culture to this day.</p> <p>Mamma Mia by ABBA - A timeless Pop song from the 70s. As well as learning to sing, play, improvise and compose with the well-known song Mamma Mia, children will listen and appraise more ABBA hits. ABBA were chosen as they became one of the most commercially successful pop acts in history, topping the charts world-wide from 1972 to 1982.</p>	<p>This is a Disco song about friendship, peace, hope and unity. Sister Sledge were chosen as they achieved international success at the height of the disco era with the song 'We are Family'.</p>

	Cycle B	<p><u>Lean On Me</u></p> <p>Bill Withers</p> 	<p><u>Stop/The Dragon Song</u> <u>Ukulele</u></p> <p>George Formby</p> 	<p><u>Blackbird</u></p> <p>The Beatles</p> 
	Reason for significant person selection	<p>A soul song by Bill Withers. This song/artist was chosen as it is one of the most popular soul songs, covered by many different artists.</p>	<p>George Formby was chosen as a significant person for the ukulele as he was one of the biggest stars, whose playing was the sound of the Second World War.</p>	<p>All the learning in this unit is focused around one song: Blackbird by The Beatles - a song about civil rights. The Beatles were selected as they are the most influential pop band of all time.</p>
UKS2	Cycle A	<p><u>Livin' On A Prayer</u></p> <p>Bon Jovi</p> 	<p><u>Jazz 1</u> <u>Make You Feel My Love</u></p> <div> <div>Ben Webster</div>  </div> <div> <div>Adele</div>  </div>	<p><u>Dancing In The Street</u></p> <p>Martha And The Vandellas</p> 
	Reason for significant person selection	<p>Livin' on a Prayer is a classic rock song by Bon Jovi. Bon Jovi were chosen as they are well known for writing several rock anthems and achieved widespread recognition.</p>	<p>Ben Webster was a famous American jazz tenor saxophonist.</p> <p>Make You Feel My Love by Bob Dylan is a Pop Ballad sung by Adele. Adele was chosen as a significant person as she is one of the world's best-</p>	<p>Dancing In The Street was selected as it's one of Motown's signature songs. Martha And The Vandellas were an American vocal girl group who achieved fame in the 1960s with Motown. 'Dancing In The Street' was their signature single.</p>

			selling music artists, with sales of over 120 million records.	
Cycle B	<p><u>Fresh Prince of Bel Air</u></p> <p>Will Smith</p> 	<p><u>Jazz 2/You've Got a Friend</u></p> <p><u>Djembe</u></p> <p>Mamady Keita</p>  <p>Carole King</p> 	<p><u>Musicals</u></p> <p>Andrew Lloyd Webber</p> 	
Reason for Significant person selection	<p>Fresh Prince of Bel Air is a song performed by DJ Jazzy Jeff &amp; The Fresh Prince (Will Smith). It is the theme song to the NBC sitcom The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air. Lyrics were composed by Will Smith, performing under his stage name "The Fresh Prince", and the song was produced by Jeffrey Townes under his stage name "DJ Jazzy Jeff". This song and significant person were chosen as this is a relatable rap song by a popular artist.</p>	<p>Mamady Keita was chosen as a significant person for the djembe as he is one of the few master djembe players in the world.</p> <p>Carole King is an American singer-songwriter. She is the most successful female songwriter of the latter half of the 20<sup>th</sup> Century. Her song 'You've Got a Friend' was chosen as it is a very popular song, covered by many different artists.</p>	<p>Andrew Lloyd Webber was chosen for our musicals topic as he is an English composer who has composed 21 musicals. He has been referred to as the most commercially successful composers in history.</p>	