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| Years 5–6 band Music Curriculum and assessment plan[Insert school name, implementation year] |

Use this template to plan an overview or summary of the teaching, learning and assessment for a band in the Australian Curriculum: Music. For planning advice, refer to the *Planning for teaching, learning and assessment* document available on the Planning tab for each learning area at [www.qcaa.qld.edu.au/p-10/aciq/version-9/learning-areas](http://www.qcaa.qld.edu.au/p-10/aciq/version-9/learning-areas).

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| Level description | Context and cohort considerations (if applicable)  |
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| In this band, students continue to learn in and through the practices of The Arts subjects, building on their prior learning and experiences. They work creatively and purposefully, and continue to develop their connection with and contribution to the world as artists and as audiences. They work individually and in collaboration with peers and teachers.Students engage with music, composers and/or performers across cultures, times, places and/or other contexts; for example, exploring music in their local area, state/territory or a country or region of Asia. They take opportunities to engage with living composers and performers and their music; for example, by experiencing live or recorded/streamed performances. They continue to use stimulus materials such as images, events, texts, questions and/or observations as inspiration for their own composing and performing. These experiences support students to develop aesthetic knowledge across cognitive, sensory, emotive and physical domains, and to value arts works and practices from diverse cultures.In this band, the focus is on students:1. exploring and responding to

music from local, regional, national and global cultures and contexts that shows ways the elements of music can be used to communicate ideas; for example, by listening to and/or learning songs or instrumental piecesmusic that showcases ways First Nations Australians are continuing and revitalising cultures1. developing creative and critical practices and skills

creative practices for composing and performing such as skills for listening, singing and playing instruments, and, as appropriate, using notation; for example, graphic or staff notation and/or lead-sheetscritical practices such as using aural skills, reflecting on and responding to music they experience, including music they compose and perform1. composing and practising music for performance, manipulating the elements of music such as duration/time (including beat and rhythm, tempo, pulse, metre), pitch, dynamics and expression, texture, articulation (accent) and/or timbre to compose music; for example, songwriting, arranging a known melody or composing for an instrument they are learning, singing and playing instruments, and using aural skills to support these processes
2. performing music they have learnt and/or composed in informal and/or formal settings, such as spaces within the school including as appropriate, school-hosted digital spaces such as a school learning management system.
 | Describe the context and cohort. Consider the following to make informed professional decisions during the planning process:* + relevant student data and information, e.g. achievement data
	+ available resources, e.g. timetabling
	+ school and sector priorities.

[Insert context and cohort considerations] |

**Note:** Insert/delete rows/columns, as required, to provide an overview of the teaching, learning and assessment sequence across the band.

| Unit 1 — [Insert unit title] | Unit 2 — [Insert unit title] | Unit 3 — [Insert unit title] | Unit 4 — [Insert unit title] |
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| Duration: [Insert semester, term and/or weeks] | Duration: [Insert semester, term and/or weeks] | Duration: [Insert semester, term and/or weeks] | Duration: [Insert semester, term and/or weeks] |
| [Insert unit description and learning focus] | [Insert unit description and learning focus] | [Insert unit description and learning focus] | [Insert unit description and learning focus] |

**Note:**

Adjust the table to reflect the number of units you will offer.

Highlight the aspects of the achievement standard that will be assessed within each unit. A learning area achievement standard is provided if a multi-arts subject is offered.

|  | Unit 1 | Unit 2  | Unit 3 | Unit 4 |
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|  | Assessment — [Insert assessment title] | Timing | Assessment — [Insert assessment title] | Timing | Assessment — [Insert assessment title] | Timing | Assessment — [Insert assessment title] | Timing  |
| Assessment | [Insert concise description of assessment][Insert technique][Insert mode, if applicable][Insert conditions]  | [Insert week/s or date/s] | [Insert concise description of assessment][Insert technique][Insert mode, if applicable][Insert conditions]  | [Insert week/s or date/s] | [Insert concise description of assessment][Insert technique][Insert mode, if applicable][Insert conditions]  | [Insert week/s or date/s] | [Insert concise description of assessment][Insert technique][Insert mode, if applicable][Insert conditions]  | [Insert week/s or date/s] |
| Achievement standard | By the end of Year 6, students explain how elements of music are manipulated in music they compose, perform and/or experience. They describe how music composed and/or performed across contexts, cultures, times and/or places communicates ideas, perspectives and/or meaning. They describe how music is used to continue and revitalise cultures.Students demonstrate listening and aural skills when composing and performing. They use elements of music and compositional devices to compose music that communicates ideas, and when practising music for a performance. They notate, document and/or record the music they compose. They perform music in formal and/or informal settings. | By the end of Year 6, students explain how elements of music are manipulated in music they compose, perform and/or experience. They describe how music composed and/or performed across contexts, cultures, times and/or places communicates ideas, perspectives and/or meaning. They describe how music is used to continue and revitalise cultures.Students demonstrate listening and aural skills when composing and performing. They use elements of music and compositional devices to compose music that communicates ideas, and when practising music for a performance. They notate, document and/or record the music they compose. They perform music in formal and/or informal settings. | By the end of Year 6, students explain how elements of music are manipulated in music they compose, perform and/or experience. They describe how music composed and/or performed across contexts, cultures, times and/or places communicates ideas, perspectives and/or meaning. They describe how music is used to continue and revitalise cultures.Students demonstrate listening and aural skills when composing and performing. They use elements of music and compositional devices to compose music that communicates ideas, and when practising music for a performance. They notate, document and/or record the music they compose. They perform music in formal and/or informal settings. | By the end of Year 6, students explain how elements of music are manipulated in music they compose, perform and/or experience. They describe how music composed and/or performed across contexts, cultures, times and/or places communicates ideas, perspectives and/or meaning. They describe how music is used to continue and revitalise cultures.Students demonstrate listening and aural skills when composing and performing. They use elements of music and compositional devices to compose music that communicates ideas, and when practising music for a performance. They notate, document and/or record the music they compose. They perform music in formal and/or informal settings. |
| Learning area achievement standard | By the end of Year 6, students explain the use of elements, concepts and/or conventions in arts works they create and/or experience. They describe how the arts communicate ideas, perspectives and/or meaning across cultures, times, places and/or other contexts. They describe how the arts are used to continue and revitalise cultures.Students use subject-specific knowledge, elements, concepts, conventions, materials, skills and/or processes to create arts works that communicate ideas, perspectives and/or meaning. They demonstrate safe practices. They present and perform their arts works in formal and/or informal settings. | By the end of Year 6, students explain the use of elements, concepts and/or conventions in arts works they create and/or experience. They describe how the arts communicate ideas, perspectives and/or meaning across cultures, times, places and/or other contexts. They describe how the arts are used to continue and revitalise cultures.Students use subject-specific knowledge, elements, concepts, conventions, materials, skills and/or processes to create arts works that communicate ideas, perspectives and/or meaning. They demonstrate safe practices. They present and perform their arts works in formal and/or informal settings. | By the end of Year 6, students explain the use of elements, concepts and/or conventions in arts works they create and/or experience. They describe how the arts communicate ideas, perspectives and/or meaning across cultures, times, places and/or other contexts. They describe how the arts are used to continue and revitalise cultures.Students use subject-specific knowledge, elements, concepts, conventions, materials, skills and/or processes to create arts works that communicate ideas, perspectives and/or meaning. They demonstrate safe practices. They present and perform their arts works in formal and/or informal settings. | By the end of Year 6, students explain the use of elements, concepts and/or conventions in arts works they create and/or experience. They describe how the arts communicate ideas, perspectives and/or meaning across cultures, times, places and/or other contexts. They describe how the arts are used to continue and revitalise cultures.Students use subject-specific knowledge, elements, concepts, conventions, materials, skills and/or processes to create arts works that communicate ideas, perspectives and/or meaning. They demonstrate safe practices. They present and perform their arts works in formal and/or informal settings. |
| Moderation | [Insert moderation details, including when moderation will occur and how it will be conducted] | [Insert moderation details, including when moderation will occur and how it will be conducted] | [Insert moderation details, including when moderation will occur and how it will be conducted] | [Insert moderation details, including when moderation will occur and how it will be conducted] |

**Note:** Adjust the table to reflect the number of units you will offer. Check or uncheck the columns as appropriate for each unit.

| Content descriptions | Unit | Content descriptions | Unit | Content descriptions | Unit | Content descriptions | Unit |
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| Exploring and responding | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | Developing practices and skills | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | Creating and making | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | Presenting and performing | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| explore ways that the elements of music are combined in music across cultures, times, places and/or other contexts AC9AMU6E01 | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  | develop listening/aural skills and skills for manipulating elements of music to achieve expressive effects when composing, singing and playing instruments AC9AMU6D01 | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  | manipulate elements of music and use compositional devices to communicate ideas, perspectives and/or meaning when composing and practising music for performance, and notate, document and/or record the music they compose AC9AMU6C01 | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  | perform music in a range of forms they have learnt and/or composed in informal and/or formal settings AC9AMU6P01 | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  |
| explore ways First Nations Australians use music to continue and revitalise culture AC9AMU6E02 | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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| General capabilities | Units |  | Cross-curriculum priorities | Units |
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|  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |  |  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| Critical and creative thinking  | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  |  | Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander histories and cultures | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  |
| Digital literacy  | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  |  | Asia and Australia’s engagement with Asia | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  |
| Ethical understanding | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  |  | Sustainability | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  |
| Intercultural understanding | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  |
| Literacy  | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  |
| Numeracy | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  |
| Personal and social capability | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  |

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