

Knowledge Organiser

Instruments and the Orchestra

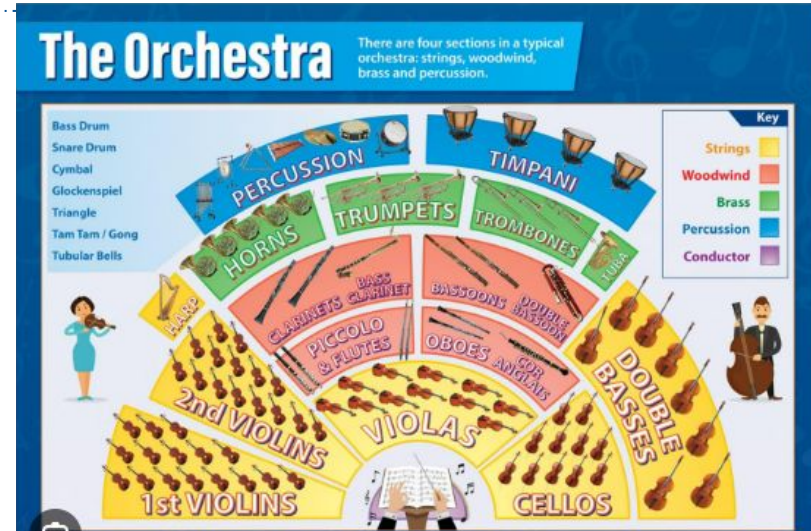
Music
Year 7

Project Outline

We will study both The Young Person's Guide to the Orchestra and Peter and Wolf, then use the keyboards to create music for our own stories using appropriate voices/ timbres

Key vocabulary and definitions

- **Timbres-** the characteristics of the sounds, e.g. Muted Trumpet
- **Conductor-** someone organising the tempo and dynamic of a performance
- **orchestra-** a set of instruments which people compose for
- **Melody-** a tune, a pattern of different notes to a rhythm
- **Theme-** a melody for a character



Assessment Criteria

- Appropriate Themes?
- Choice of Timbre?
- Development/ Combination of themes
- Coherent Story?
- Confidence

Marks Available

4- Yes,
3- Almost,
2- Sort of ,
1- Not really