

Curriculum Enrichment – Music KS3

Categories	Year 7	Year 8	Year 9
Further Reading	<p>Free Resources on the Theory of Music: Website covers a range of aspects:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Notes on the Stave • Notes on the keyboard • Scales • Reading the Stave • Ear Training – Chords/scales/intervals • Staff Paper generators • Tempo Tappers • Pop up Piano • Chord analysis • Rhythm and Metre <p>musictheory.net</p>	<p>A Blog approach to Music Theory: Contains useful diagrams and a good write up getting more advanced later in the article.</p> <p>Basic Music Theory for Beginners – The Complete Guide</p> <p>musictheory.net – Too much on here for year 7 only.</p>	<p>For those with songs already written this write up gives you a quick look how to market music in 2025 – Be sceptical it is 2026... Still some good tips.</p> <p>Best Tips to Market Your Music in 2025 ICON Collective</p>
Films or Documentaries	<p>School of Rock – <i>School of Rock</i> is about Dewey Finn, a down-on-his-luck rocker who pretends to be a substitute teacher at a posh prep school, transforms his class of bright kids into a rock band to win Battle of the Bands, and teaches them about music, self-expression, and sticking it to the man, all while hiding from the real teacher and angry parents. It's a story of rebellion, hidden talent, and the power of rock 'n' roll to unite and empower. Starring Jack Black</p>	<p>Soul - Joe is a middle-school band leader whose life hasn't quite gone the way he expected. His true passion is jazz. But when he travels to another realm to help someone find their passion, he soon discovers what it means to have soul. Starring Jamie Fox</p> <p>Coco - Despite his family's baffling generations-old ban on music, Miguel dreams of becoming an accomplished musician like his idol, Ernesto de la Cruz. Desperate to prove his talent, Miguel finds himself in the stunning and colourful 'Land of the Dead' following a mysterious chain of events. Along the way, he meets charming trickster Hector, and together, they set off on an extraordinary journey to unlock the real story behind Miguel's family history.</p>	<p>Music - Featured - BBC iPlayer</p> <p>A plethora of documentaries and live music shows from the likes of legends such as Prince, Queen or Nirvana to more recent legends in the making such as Raye or Chapell Roan. This is one to engage your parents with as you share music from across the generations. Listen to what they like and possibly saw when they were your age.</p>
Education Visits	<p>The Wellesley Theatre The Wellington Arts Centre Plymouth Theatre Royal</p>	<p>The Brewhouse Theatre Royal Albert Hall – The best Musical venue in the UK.</p>	<p>Bristol Old Vic The Bristol Hippodrome The National Theatre The Victoria and Albert – Theatre History</p>

Research Projects	<p>Chrome Music Lab - Song Maker</p> <p>https://www.beepbox.co/</p> <p>https://www.noteflight.com/ Write your own scores out in this free notation software.</p> <p>Guitar Tabs with Rhythm Songsterr Search Millions of TABs to play and rehearse.</p>	<p>https://www.soundtrap.com/musicmakers on jazz drumming - on jazz drumming</p> <p>https://www.noteflight.com/ Write your own scores out in this free notation software.</p> <p>Guitar Tabs with Rhythm Songsterr Search Millions of TABs to play and rehearse.</p>	<p>on jazz drumming - on jazz drumming</p> <p>https://www.noteflight.com/ Write your own scores out in this free notation software.</p> <p>Guitar Tabs with Rhythm Songsterr Search Millions of TABs to play and rehearse.</p>
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