

1. Pop Music

1	Pop music	A style of music, it is short for popular music, and so changes over time.
2	Cover version	A different musicians version of a song.
3	Acoustic	Music created with no electrical instruments.
4	Live lounge	A series of performances recorded by Radio one – performers do mainly acoustic versions of their own and others songs.
6	Music technology	Using computers to create music.
7	Mixcraft	A computer programme used to create and edit music.
8	Sample	A small digitally recorded clip of music, often musicians use other artists samples in their own pieces.
9	Multitrack recording	A method of sound recording that allows people to record onto individual tracks, before combining them to create a whole song.
10	Overdubbing	Recording additional sounds onto a track, often to correct previous mistakes.
11	Synthesiser	An electronic musical instrument that uses human made sounds to create music. An example would be a keyboard.
12	Drum machine	An electronic instrument that creates percussion tracks.

2. Chords for composition

1	C major chord	A happy sounding chord that uses the notes C, E and G.
2	F Major Chord	A happy sounding chord that uses the notes F, A and C.
3	G Major chord	A happy sounding chord that uses the notes G, B and D.
4	A minor chord	A sad sounding chord that uses the notes A, C and E.

3. Key vocab Song structure

1	Intro	The section of the music that introduces the song.
2	Verse	A section that repeats in a song, it has the same music, but different lyrics
3	Chorus	The main section of a song, it will repeat both the lyrics and the music in the same way..
4	Bridge	A section in a song that links two other sections.
5	Instrumental	A section in the music with no lyrics and the instruments contain the melodic interest.
6	Outro	The ending section of a song.

4. Key Vocab Musical elements

1	Melody	The main tune, played on instruments or sung.
2	Chords	Two or more notes played at once.
3	Bass line	The lowest part in music, provides the harmonic structure of the music.
4	Riff	A repeated musical pattern used in Rock, Pop and Jazz.
5	Ensemble	Performing as part of a group.
6	Unison	Playing the same part together with another person
7	Broken chords	Playing the notes of a chord separately
8	Block chords	Playing all of the notes of a chord at once.
9	Um-pa chords	Playing the bottom note of a chord on beat one, and the other notes together on beat 2 and 3.
10	Pitch	How high or low a sound is.
11	Tempo	The speed of the music.
12	Hook	A catchy melody that hooks the listener in and keeps them interested.