### LEARNING OBJECTIVES

(Pupils should know/understand/be able to do/be aware of by the end of the lesson)

- Perform and take part in a class performance of a Rock 'n' Roll song
- Evaluate own role within class performance of a Rock 'n' Roll song
- Sing in harmony as part of the class

### LEARNING OUTCOMES

(The evidence to show that pupils have achieved the learning objectives)

### Level 4 (working towards) All Pupils:

Perform simple parts of "Rock Around the Clock" as part of a class performance.

Evaluate own role within a class performance with awareness of which parts have been sung and/or performed

Sing a Rock 'n' Roll song in harmony as part of the class

#### Level 5 (working at) Most Pupils

Perform more complex parts of "Rock Around the Clock" with awareness of how own parts fits with others towards a class performance

Identify areas for improvement and make suggestions as to how a performance could be improved

#### Level 6/7 (working beyond/GAT) Some Pupils :

Take on a leading role towards a class performance of "Rock Around the Clock" with awareness of how each part fits together Maintain own vocal line/part when singing in harmony as part of the class

## **LESSON STRUCTURE**

Starter Activity

**Core Main Activities** 

**Plenary** 

# Working towards a Class Performance - Starter/Plenary 3 & MIDI 13 & Song Sheet 3 & Audio 2 & MIDI 14

Prior to the lesson, copy, enlarge and display Starter/Plenary 3 which contains a performance plan for "Rock Around the Clock". Listen to MIDI 13 and follow the performance plan making sure pupils are aware of which parts perform in which section of the piece. Draw attention to the "drop out" at the beginning of Verse 5. Next, sing through the song with pupils as a class to remind them of the overall structure using Song Sheet 3 and Audio 2, alternatively, use MIDI 14 which contains a karaoke version of "Rock Around the Clock" (you'll need Quick Time Player® to use this!).

#### NC KS3 POS

Play and perform confidently in a range of solo and ensemble contexts using their voice, playing instruments musically, fluently and with accuracy and expression

Use staff and other relevant notations appropriately and accurately in a range of musical styles, genres and traditions

(5 mins)

# 1. Performing "Rock Around the Clock" - Score 4 & MIDI 14

Assemble pupils in the same groups as they rehearsed in during lesson 3, together with appropriate instruments and a copy of the part they are playing from Score 4 -Easy Bass Line & Easy Chords Part (SEN); Bass line parts (labelled and unlabelled); Percussion; Riff; Stab. Vocal Parts can use MIDI 14 to rehearse along with, paying attention to the 3-part harmony in the introduction and the "Shuwaddy" section. Allow each group to rehearse together before bringing the class together towards a complete class performance which can be recorded. (40 mins) Play and perform confidently in a range of solo and ensemble contexts using their voice, playing instruments musically, fluently and with accuracy and expression

Use staff and other relevant notations appropriately and accurately in a range of musical styles, genres and traditions

Identify and use the inter-related dimensions of music expressively and with increasing sophistication, including use of tonalities, different types of scales and other musical devices

Develop a deepening understanding of the music that they perform and to which they listen, and its history

### 2. Evaluating "Rock Around the Clock" Class Performance – Worksheet 3 Listen to a recording of the class performance of "Rock Around the Clock" and issue Worksheet 3 allowing pupils to evaluate their own contribution towards the ensemble.

(5 mins)

MIDI 4 & MIDI 5 & MIDI 6 & MIDI 7 & MIDI 8

Teach pupils "One More Song" using the resources above to support learning and reinforce the concept of singing in harmony using chords.

Singing in Harmony - "One More Song" - Song Sheet 2 & Score 1 & MIDI 3 &

(10 mins)

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# CROSS CURRICULAR - LITERACY/ NUMERACY/CITIZENSHIP/ICT

Numeracy - "Tri" = 3 - triangle; tripod; the clock

# **EAL/SEN/GAT**

(SEN) Pupils who are struggling to play the triads with three

Y9U3MIDI6- One More Song Part 4

Y9U3MIDI8 - One More Song Piano Accompaniment

Literacy - Shuwaddy - use of nonsense syllables strung together fingers can use the "single finger chord function" available on to form a melodic line many keyboards where a chord will sound when only one note History - Social, Political and Economic-related events of the (the root) is depressed. 1950's (GAT) Higher ability pupils can be encouraged to perform parts of Textiles - Fashions in the 1950's "Rock Around the Clock" on their own instruments (SEN) Lower ability pupils can be given the Easy Bass Line or Easy Chords Part based on Triads from Score 4 during the performance activity. (GAT) Higher ability pupils may be able to sing solo lines or maintain their own part when singing "One More Song" **HOMEWORK SUGGESTIONS LANGUAGE FOR LEARNING** - spell/use/understand If time is short during the lesson, pupils can be asked to complete Bass Line, Chord, Chord Progression, Coda, Worksheet 3 as a homework task Instrumental Improvisation, Shuwaddy, Triad, Twelve-bar Blues, Verse **LESSON RESOURCES** – recording and playback equipment; keyboards; untuned percussion Y9U3SP3 - Rock Around the Clock Performance Plan Y9U3A2 - Rock Around the Clock Y9U3SS3 - Rock Around the Clock Y9U4S4 - Rock Around the Clock Y9U3MIDI14 - Rock Around the Clock Y9U3MIDI 13 - Rock Around the Clock Y9U3SS2 – One More Song Y9U3W3 - Rock Around the Clock Self Evaluation Sheet Y9U3MIDI3 – One More Song Part 1 Y9U3MIDI5 – One More Song Part 3 Y9U3S1 - One More Song (Piano Accompaniment) Y9U3MIDI4 - One More Song Part 2

Y9U3MIDI7 - One More Song Parts 1-4 together