Ashwell Primary School Music Curriculum Overview (From Summer 1 2022)

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Nursery	Music express					
Reception	Me!	My stories	Everyone!	Our World	Big Bear Funk	Reflect, rewind, replay
N&R ELG	Sing a range of well-known nursery rhymes and songs Perform songs, rhymes, poems and stories with others, and – when appropriate – try to move in time with music.					
Year 1	Introducing beat	Adding rhythm and pitch	Introducing dynamics and tempo	Combining pulse, rhythm and pitch	Having fun with improvisation	Explore sound and create a story
Year 2	Exploring simple patterns	Focus on dynamics and tempo	Exploring feelings through music	Inventing a musical story	Music that makes you dance	Exploring improvisation
Year 3	Recorders with Herts Music Service	Recorders with Herts Music Service	Recorders with Herts Music Service	Recorders with Herts Music Service	Recorders with Herts Music Service	Recorders with Herts Music Service
Year 4	Interesting time signatures	Combining elements to make music	Developing pulse and groove through improvisation	Creating simple melodies together	Connecting notes and feelings	Purpose, identity and expression in music
Year 5	Getting started with music tech	Emotions and musical styles	Exploring key and time signatures	Introducing chords	Words, meanings and expression	Identifying important musical elements
Year 6	Developing melodic phrases	Understanding structure and form	Gaining confidence through performance	Exploring notation further	Using chords and structure	Respecting each other through composition