

# Rivers

## Music

Musical style: Classical  
Class: Year 4

### Previous teaching

Project Hook or 'Wow' memory

### Musical Knowledge

To know that when you sing without accompaniment it is called 'A Cappella'.  
To know that harmony means playing two notes at the same time that usually sound good together.  
To know that an ostinato is a musical pattern that is repeated over and over; a vocal ostinato is a pattern created with your voice.  
To know that 'performance directions' are words added to musical notation to tell the performers

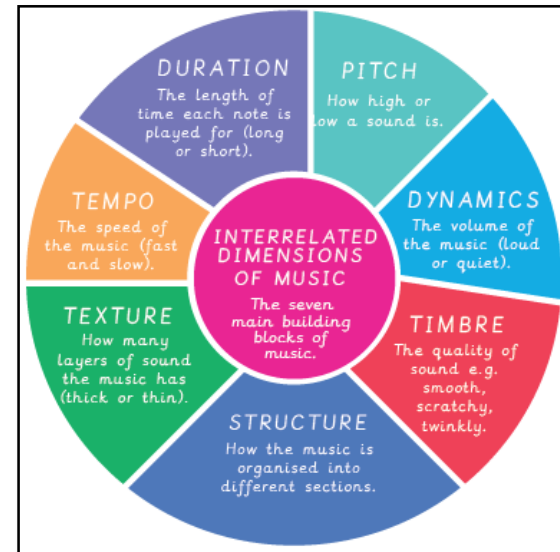
### Learning Steps

### Key skills

To sing in two parts using expression and dynamics	Sing in tune and in harmony with others, with developing breath control.
To recognise key elements of music	Explain how a piece of music makes them feel with some use of musical terminology.
To perform a vocal ostinato	Perform a vocal ostinato in time. Listen to other members of their group as they perform.
To create and perform an ostinato	Create an ostinato and represent it on paper so that they can remember it.
To improve and perform a piece of music based around ostinatos	Create and perform a piece with a variety of ostinatos.

### Key vocabulary

a cappella    breathing  
dynamics    harmony  
listen    texture  
tempo    ostinato  
percussion    layer



### Final outcome

Record the performance and reflect together.

