

MUSIC MADE SIMPLE

MEDIUM TERM PLANNING

YEAR 4 IPC UNIT TITLE: **TEMPLES, TOMBS and TREASURES:** AUTUMN TERM 1

MUSIC SCHEME FOCUS: THE ANCIENT EGYPTIANS EXPLORED THROUGH CREATIVE PERFORMANCE

	MUSICAL ACTIVITIES	MUSICAL LEARNING
Week 1	Singing: Egyptian life Songwriting: new verses for 'Egyptian life' Accompanying: chime bar part (arpeggios)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• arrange a song using tuned accompaniments developed from the song; perform to a friendly audience• use tuned percussion instruments with increasing confidence to accompany songs and improvise
Week 2	Chanting: I'm a mummy Composing: ostinati accompaniments	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• compose simple rhythmic accompaniment to a song using ostinato patterns
Week 3	Grand Performance: The Ancient Egyptians - a multi-layered piece for voices with pitched and unpitched percussion parts	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• sing songs with an increasing awareness of the tone of their voices and the shape of the melody• compose a simple melody from a selected group of notes (i.e. a pentatonic scale)

Additional 'Sing Up' material for extension work: Tutankhamun; The Mummy Rag

RESOURCES:

Sing Up website

Untuned and tuned percussion (chime bar sets)

PowerPoints slides: **KING TUT; EGYPTIAN LIFE; EGYPTIAN SONGWRITING KIT; MUMMY WRAP; GODDESS HATHOR; PYRAMIDS; SLAVES' SONG; PYRAMIDS; THE RIVER NILE**

mp3s: **KING TUT; EGYPTIAN LIFE; MUMMY WRAP; GODDESS HATHOR; PYRAMIDS; SLAVES' SONG; THE RIVER NILE**

Large paper copies of song words for **THE ANCIENT EGYPTIANS** (found in Lesson plan 3)