

MUSIC MADE SIMPLE

YEAR 5

IPC UNIT TITLE: **MISSION TO MARS**

AUTUMN TERM (2)

MUSIC SCHEME FOCUS: 'MARS' DEPICTED IN HOLST'S MUSIC, IN SONG AND PERFORMANCE

	MUSICAL ACTIVITIES	MUSICAL LEARNING
Week 1	Listening: 'Mars' by Gustav Holst (BBC Ten Pieces) Singing: 'Mars, the God of War' Accompanying: playing an 5/4 ostinato	<ul style="list-style-type: none">perform a song showing an awareness of phrasing and the shape of the melodytalk about music they hear using musical terms
Week 2	Performing: 'Mission to Mars' – a class piece	<ul style="list-style-type: none">play a range of percussion/orchestral instruments with increasing confidence and abilityplay and improvise as part of a group and as solo performerplay by ear – copy back; finding phrases or melodies on instruments with increasing confidence
Week 3	Singing: Earth, space and all that jazz (Sing Up) Listening: theme 'Mission Impossible'	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Compare two pieces of instrumental music ('Mars' and 'Mission Impossible theme' from different times and discuss the similarities and differences

SING UP PLAYLIST:

Earth space and all that jazz

Spaceship jam

RESOURCES:

Sing Up website: **EARTH SPACE AND ALL THAT JAZZ; SPACESHIP JAM**

BBC Ten Pieces (Mars)

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/articles/14ZjT5yjnKQRdKVsqRLzk1x/mars-from-the-planets-by-gustav-holst>

About the piece 'Mars': <https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/p05cy0l5>

'Mission Impossible' theme: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dWfLThXoC8Y>

mp3 recordings: **MARS, THE GOD OF WAR**

PowerPoint slides: **MARS, THE GOD OF WAR; MISSION TO MARS**

Paper copies of the score: **MISSION TO MARS**