

Year 2 Music Knowledge Organiser Autumn 1

Year 2 Music: Animals: Call and Response



1. Animal Sounds

- A singing voice feels higher or louder in a special musical way, often used for rhymes and songs
- A speaking voice uses normal talking sounds.

2. Sound pattern safari

- We need to have clear signals with call and response so we know whose turn it is to sing or play an instrument.

3. Call and Response

- Music is organised into different sections like a story with a beginning, middle and end.

4. Instrumental Response

- The force that an instrument is played will alter/change its dynamics.

5. Dynamics Performance

Standing or sitting appropriately when performing or waiting to perform improves the performance.



Key Vocabulary

Performance	Sharing dance, music, or gymnastics moves with other people, called an audience.
Dynamics	How loud or quiet a sound is.
Call and response	A musical structure where a leader sings or plays a phrase (the "call"), and the group listens and answers back with an echoing phrase (the "response").
Sound pattern	Rhyming words of a song or rhythmic beats
Composition	Choosing, making up, and organising sounds to create your own original piece of music