

# Willowbrook Music Knowledge Organiser

Year 2

# **Prior knowledge**

## **Vocabulary**

**Rhythm** - Variable sound patterns that fit over a steady pulse or beat.

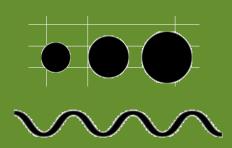
**Pitch** - How high or low a note is.

**Tempo** - The speed or pace of music (fast/slow)

**Steady beat** - A basic unit of time marking out the speed at which the music is played.

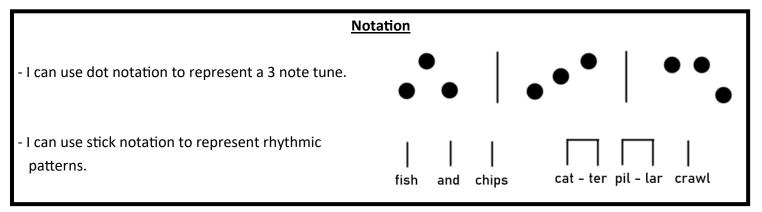
### **Notation**

I can represent sounds using graphic notation.



# Dynamics Crescendo Decrescendo Gradually getting louder. Decrescendo Gradually getting quieter. Pause Tells you to hold the note or rest for slightly longer than its written value. A note worth one beat. Quaver A note worth half a beat (half a crotchet).

A moment of silence in music worth 1 beat.



# Musicianship

- I can find the **steady beat** by clapping/tapping.
- I can **group beats** in twos and threes by tapping knees on the first (strongest) beat.
- I can **copy and invent** rhythmic patterns.
- I can recognise when a pitch changes.

**Crotchet rest** 

- I can match dot notation to three note tunes.