

Year 3 Topic: Everyone Plays Recorder – Part 1 (Spring 1)

Prior Learning: In Year 2 we learned to follow graphic notation to show changes in pitch (high, low, middle)

Concepts:
Singing
Playing
Listening
Improvising
Musicianship

In this unit we will learn to play a class set of recorders, learning to control the sound and play four different notes



4. TWAL To play A, C, B and G

We will recap the piece from Lesson 3 and learn to play the note G. We will investigate music which has three beats in the bar and learn to play a piece in this metre.

1. TWAL To play A and C

We will learn about controlling air flow, the correct way to hold a recorder and will play A and C, before playing a tune with those notes.

5. TWAL To use the recorder to improvise sounds

We will use a jungle-themed chant to add vocal sound effect and will then create some animal sound effects using our recorders.

2. TWAL To play A, C and B

We will recap the activities from Lesson 1 and learn to play the note B. We will play pieces using A and C, playing in time with a track.



To know that making a good sound on the recorder requires a tiny amount of air

6. TWAL To revisit the pieces and learning from this unit

We will go over the pieces that we have learned so far, and evaluate our playing by listening and commenting on each other's playing.

3. TWAL To play A, C, and B

We will recap the activities from Lesson 2 and learn to play a piece using A and B, playing together in time with a track.

Words we will know!

