## Year 9: ASK Yourself!

Subject: Music Unit: Minimalism

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	Launching	Developing	Progressing	Mastering
	1-2	3-4	5-6	7-9
<b>S</b> kills				
kills				
	I need to be able to understand and apply minimalist	I can partially understand and apply some	I can confidently understand and apply a range of	I can expertly understand and apply a wide
	techniques in performance and	minimalist techniques in	minimalist techniques in	variety of minimalist
	composition. Perform a	performance and composition.	performance and composition such	techniques in performance and
	minimalist piece featuring ostinati.	Perform a simple piece of minimalist	as additive melodies and	composition such
	Compose a piece	music featuring	rhythms, phase	melodies and
	displaying basic	layers and	shifting,	rhythms, phase
	minimalist	ostinato.	metamorphosis,	shifting,
	characteristics.	Compose a piece	layering with	metamorphosis,
		displaying basic minimalist	appropriate use of	layering with creative use of
		characteristics.	timbre, tempo and dynamics.	timbre, tempo and
		characteristics.	Perform a more	dynamics.
			complex piece of	Perform a more
			minimalist music	complex piece of
			featuring layers	minimalist music
			and ostinati.	featuring layers
				and ostinati.
nowledge				
	I need to know and	I know some of	I confidently know	I understand and
	explain the main	and can explain the	and can explain a	can apply a wide
	features of	main features of	range of minimalist features such as	range of minimalist
	minimalism. Develop an	minimalism. I have a partial	additive melodies	features such as additive melodies
	awareness of	awareness of	and rhythms,	and rhythms,
	minimalist style	minimalist style	phase shifting,	phase shifting,
	and philosophy.	and philosophy.	metamorphosis,	metamorphosis,
	Recognise some	I recognise several	layering, use of	layering, use of
	features of	features of	rhythms and	rhythms and
	minimalism and	minimalism and	timbre, tempo,	timbre, tempo,
	understand how	understand how	irregular time	irregular time
	they work.	they are used in a piece.	signatures, panning and dynamics.	signatures, panning and dynamics.
		piece.	and dynamics.	and dynamics.