Music Revision Schedule

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Week	Dates	Suggested Revision Activities	Completed			
1	w/c 17 th February HALF TERM	Classical Structure: binary, ternary, minuet & trio, rondo & variation form. Harmony & Tonality: pedal note, modulation, chromaticism, extended chords & dissonance. Melody: Lyrical (song-like), leitmotif, motif, regular/irregular phrasing, conjunct/disjunct & sequenceTempo & Rhythm: accelerando, rit/rall, rubato, changing time signatures. Dynamics: contrasting dynamics, crescendo, diminuendo, sforzando Articulation: accents, staccato, legato, glissando. Instrumental techniques: pizzicato, arco, double stopping, con sordino, tremolo, vibrato. Sonority: Orchestral instruments				
2	w/c 24 th February	Popular and Rock music Instrumentation: electric guitar, acoustic guitar, bass guitar, drum kit, keyboard/synthesiser, sax, trumpet, lead & backing singers. Structure: Intros/outros, verse, chorus, middle 8, bridge, instrumental break. Rhythm: Backbeat, syncopation, drum fill, driving rhythms, anacrusis/upbeat. Melody: Repetitive, balanced phrases, hook, riff, rising/falling, sequence, countermelody, call & response, sequence, melisma, conjunct. Texture: Melody and accompaniment, homophonic Harmony & tonality: simple chord structure, use of primary chords, diatonic harmony, 12 bar blues chord pattern, modulates to related keys.				
3 4	w/c 3 rd March	Haydn Movement 1 and 2 Structure, keys, chords. Go through DR DMITH Revise a movement each week				
5	w/c 17 th March	Popular and Rock music Technology: Loops, drum machines, samples, panning, distortion, reverb, delay, synth sounds				
6 7	w/c 24 th March 31 st March	Haydn Movement 3 and 4 Structure, keys, chords. Go through DR DMITH Revise a movement each week				
8 9	w/c 7 th April 14 th April EASTER	Expressionism, impressionism and neoclassicism Revise key elements of all of these subgenres and the pieces studied within them.				

10	w/c 21 st April	Debussy – Three Nocturnes no.1 -Nuages		
TO		Structure, keys, chords. Go through DR DMITH		
11	w/c 28 th April	Poulenc – Trio for Oboe, Bassoon and Piano, Movement 2 Structure, keys, chords. Go through DR DMITH		
12	w/c 5 th May	Mendelssohn – Symphony no. 4 in A Major – the <i>Italian</i> symphony Structure, keys, chords. Go through DR DMITH		
		This does not need to be in as much detail as the Haydn piece		
12	w/c 12 th May	The development of the Orchestra		
13		Go through all notes and comparisons		
14	19 th May	Use the comparison tables as well as all notes.		
1 [w/c 26 th May	Revisit all notes and complete past papers until the examination.		
15	HALF RERM	Please see Mrs Woodfine (up until 4 th April) or Mrs Jackson at anytime.		
		Please keep up all your revision until the exam date:		
A level Music Examination. Monday 9th June PM				