



Autumn Unit A: 6 week unit

Musical Learning

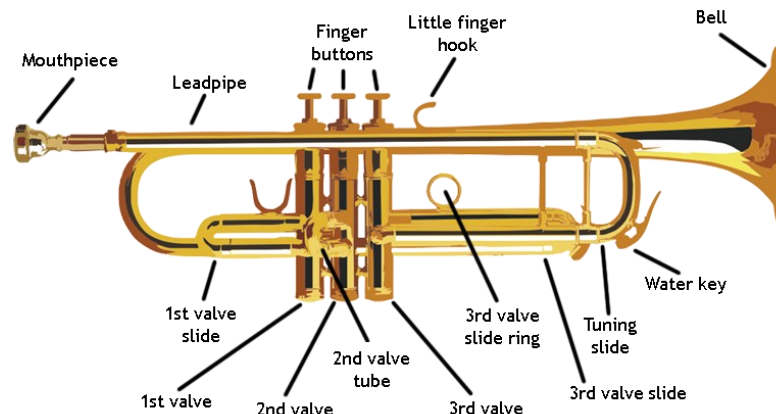
Focus: How can we get to know our instrument?

Objectives:

- Pupils learn initial playing techniques on their instruments.
- Pupils learn to play together as a group, and with a backing track.
- Pupils perform two songs together.
- Pupils learn about swing music and big bands.

Key: **Improvise and Compose;** **Sing and Play;** **Listen and Appraise.**

Parts of a trumpet

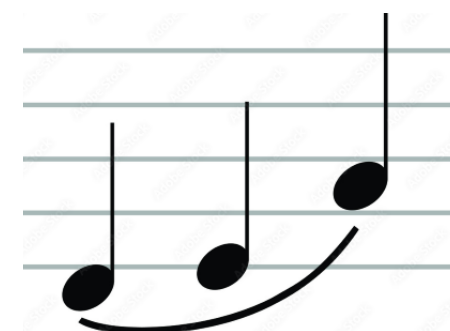


Trill

A trill is when you quickly move between two notes next to one another.

Legato

Legato means to play the notes as smoothly connected as possible.



Swing music

Swing music is a style of jazz that developed in the United States during the late 1920s and early 1930s. It became nationally popular from the mid-1930s.



Big bands

A big band or jazz orchestra is a type of musical ensemble of jazz music that usually consists of ten or more musicians with four sections:

- saxophones,
- trumpets,
- trombones and a
- rhythm section.



Staccato

Staccato means to play the notes as short and crisp and detached as possible.

