

YEAR 8

MUSIC



SRI KDU
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PROGRAMME OF STUDY - TERM 1

OVERVIEW

- The Year 8 music curriculum for Term 1 focuses on understanding and applying fundamental concepts of chords, cadences, and melody writing. The students will engage in both theoretical and practical activities to enhance their musical skills and creativity. The term will culminate in a performance and review of a piece incorporating chords and cadences from Bruno Mars' "Count on Me".

UNIT TOPICS

- Introduction to Chords (What are Chords)
- Primary Chords
- Secondary Chords
- Cadences and its importance
- Chord Progression
- Writing Music

ONGOING OBJECTIVES

- Develop a solid understanding of musical theory related to chords, cadences, and melody writing.
- Enhance practical skills in playing and composing music.
- Foster creativity and collaboration through group projects and performances.
- Encourage regular reflection and self-assessment to improve musical abilities.
- Build confidence in performing and presenting musical pieces.