



Year 8 Music Learning & Assessment Overview 2021

Semester 1

MUS 08.01 Pioneers of Rock		MUS 08.02 Music in the Media	
Who are the pioneers of popular music? •Rock investigation •Group Performance •Individual instrument skill development •Music notation		How is music used to enhance our media rich world? •Advertising jingles •Individual instrument skill development •Music notation	
Unit Duration Weeks 1 - 9 (9 weeks)		Unit Duration Weeks 10 - 19 (10 weeks)	
Assessment Task/s		Assessment Task/s	
<p style="text-align: center;">MUS 08.01.01 Responding: Research Task <i>Technique: Extended Response</i> <i>Mode: Written</i> <i>Conditions: 400-600 words</i></p> <p style="text-align: right;"><i>Issued: Week 1</i> <i>Due: Week 9</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">MUS 08.01.02 Performing: Individual Practice Task (Level 1) <i>Technique: Practical</i> <i>Mode: Performance</i> <i>Conditions: individual, ongoing in class</i></p> <p style="text-align: right;"><i>Issued: Week 1</i> <i>Due: Week 6</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">MUS 08.02.01 Composing: Jingle Composition <i>Technique: Practical</i> <i>Mode: Performance of an original composition</i> <i>Conditions: 10 weeks</i></p> <p style="text-align: right;"><i>Issued: Week 10</i> <i>Due: Week 19</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">MUS 08.02.02 Performing: Individual Practice Task (Level 2) <i>Technique: Practical</i> <i>Mode: Performance</i> <i>Conditions: individual, ongoing in class</i></p> <p style="text-align: right;"><i>Issued: Week 7</i> <i>Due: Week 16</i></p>

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Semester 2

MUS 08.03 I Never Knew I Was a Techno Fan			MUS 08.04 Pride and Protest		
If I want to be a DJ, can I sample my own stuff? •Electronic music/Sampling Looping. •Individual instrument skill development •Music notation			What is Protest Music? •Original protest song composition •Individual instrument skill development •Music notation/word setting folio		
Unit Duration Weeks 20 - 29 (10 weeks)			Unit Duration Weeks 30 - 39 (10 weeks)		
Assessment Task/s			Assessment Task/s		
MUS 08.03.01 Composing: Creation of a Techno Song <i>Technique: Practical</i> <i>Mode: ProTools Recording</i> <i>Conditions: 9 weeks</i>	MUS 08.03.02 Performing: Individual Practice Task (Level 3) <i>Technique: Practical</i> <i>Mode: Performance</i> <i>Conditions: individual, ongoing in class</i>	MUS 08.03.03 Responding: Theory Exam <i>Technique: Examination</i> <i>Mode: Written Response</i> <i>Conditions: 60 minutes</i>	MUS 08.04.01 Composing: Creation of a Protest Song <i>Technique: Practical</i> <i>Mode: ProTools Recording or Performance of Own Composition</i> <i>Conditions: 9 weeks</i>	MUS 08.04.02 Responding: Composition Booklet <i>Technique: Extended Response</i> <i>Mode: Written</i> <i>Conditions: 10 weeks</i>	
<i>Issued: Week 20</i> <i>Due: Week 29</i>	<i>Issued: Week 20</i> <i>Due: Week 27</i>	<i>Issued: Week 21</i> <i>Due: Week 28</i>	<i>Issued: Week 30</i> <i>Due: Week 38</i>	<i>Issued: Week 30</i> <i>Due: Week 39</i>	