



In this unit, children will develop their understanding of musical language and how timbre, dynamics and tempo affect the mood of a song.

### Key Vocabulary

beat  
compose  
composition  
dynamics  
graphic score  
legend  
melody  
myth  
notation  
pitch  
rhythm  
stave notation  
structure  
tempo  
texture  
timbre

### Key Points of Learning

- Create rhythms and arrange them in a particular order or structure.
- Identify the structure of a piece of music and write it down.
- Describe whether a musical texture is thick or thin.
- Explore ways of writing down different textural layers.
- Follow a given structure for a composition.
- Write a structure score accurately.
- Compose music with several layers.
- Perform their composition accurately, following the structure score.

### Useful Websites

[Sing Up At Home](#)

**Sing Up at Home**  
Sing along – at home, at school, wherever you are

All around us, the world is changing and we're all adapting to new challenges. With so many children and young people now staying at home, we want to ensure that they are still able to experience the benefits of singing.

Music and singing are incredibly powerful, and can help support us in so many ways - emotionally, physically and intellectually. The benefits are endless, and supporting singing is central to our philosophy at Sing Up.

Explore all our free resources below or in this handy **A-Z list** to keep kids learning and singing outside of school. Feel free to add these pages to your school's website or VLE and encourage families to visit too.

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Song of the week