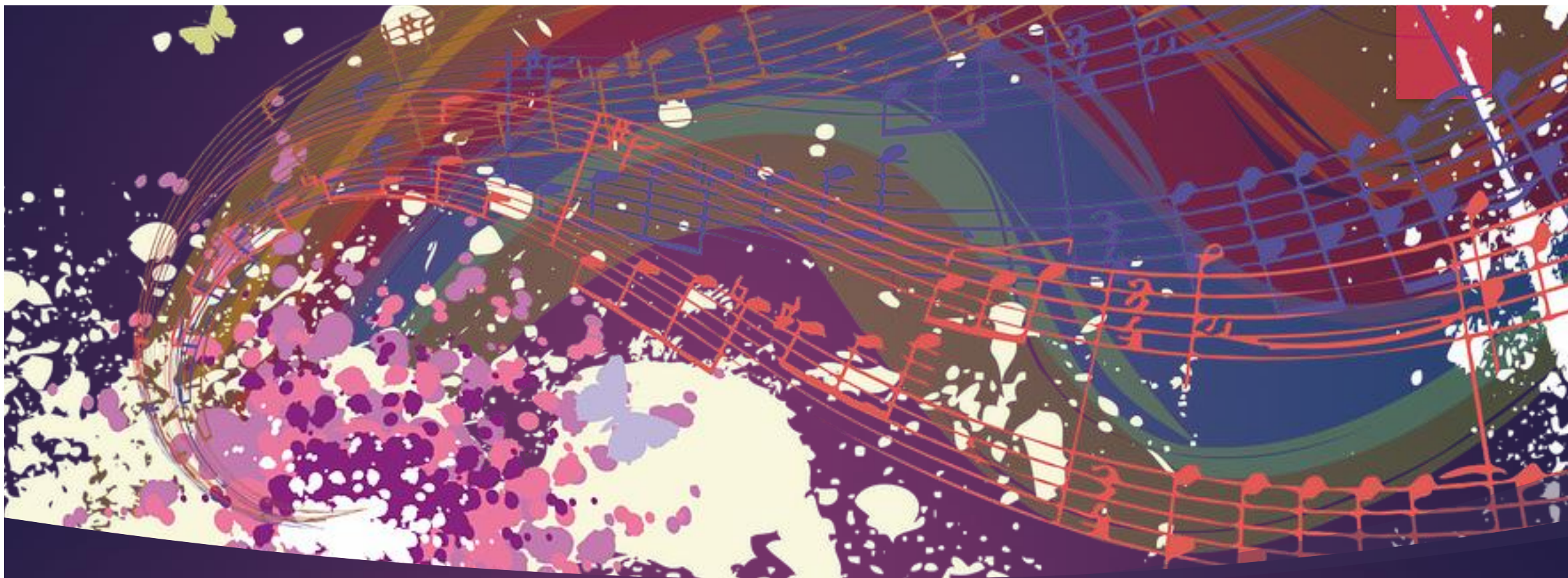




Music in S3

Course Content

01

PERFORMING

02

UNDERSTANDING
MUSIC

03

CREATING

PERFORMING:

Performing music on 2 different instruments.
Most pupils will play the instruments they have learned in class during S1/2.

They will play a varied selection of music taken from many different genres.

Pupils will work towards performing at level 4 CfE and beyond where possible.

Looking ahead to Music requirements in S4:
National 4 is equivalent to Grade 2 ABRSM;
National 5 to Grade 3 ABRSM.

UNDERSTANDING MUSIC:

Listening to music and identifying concepts within the music.

Pupils will learn about the development of music throughout the years and explore many different styles of music, e.g. Rock, Pop, Scottish, Latin American, Classical.

Most of the written work required for this involves multiple choice answers.

CREATING

Composing music using basic musical concepts.

Pupils will write their own music using music software called *Sibelius* as well as create their own multitrack piece using *Garage Band*.

Course Progression:

Music in S4:
National 4 or 5

Music in S5/6:
Higher or
Advanced Higher;
Performance Units
at all levels

SKILLS FOR LIFE, LEARNING & WORK

Through studying Music pupils will develop and improve certain skills which can be used in all aspects of life.

Some of these include:

- ▶ Adaptability
- ▶ Communication
- ▶ Creative Thinking
- ▶ Resilience
- ▶ Teamwork
- ▶ Problem Solving

MUSIC: Related Careers



- ▶ DJ
- ▶ Musical Instrument technician
- ▶ Performer/Musician
- ▶ Music Promotions Manager
- ▶ Composer or Songwriter
- ▶ Roadie
- ▶ Stage Manager
- ▶ Music Therapist