

ALMOND HILL JUNIOR SCHOOL MEDIUM TERM PLAN

TOPIC TITLE/SUBJECT: Dance YEAR GROUP: 3 TERM: Autumn

Vocabulary	Skills		What we already know
Improvise	Use the skill of improvisation, responding to various stimuli.		At KS1, children have previously had experience of
Perform	Use movements to tell a narrative		performing dances using simple movement patterns.
Phrase	 Create fluent movements, using precision and control. 		
Speed	Combine and link a number of movement phrases and patterns.		
Stimuli	Show an awareness of other's movements, responding accordingly		
Montage	with their own movements.		
Link	Develop dance motifs by adapting original ideas to vary the levels,		
Create	methods of travel, speed, repeating movements and		
Motif	experimenting with different dynamics.		
Levels	Work co-operatively with a partner and in a small group.		
	Understand the importance of warming up.		
	Evaluate their own performance an	d suggest ways to improve it.	
llustration	Application/ Outcomes		Concepts
	To create a short sequence of movements responding to different		• Levels
	stimuli and music.		Directions
			Speed
			Repetition
			Dynamics
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Other/Cross Curricular Links with English/Maths		Adaptation for SEND	
Maths – direction, shape		Prompt cards with ideas to support	
Music – rhythm, beat		Simplified moves to copy	
 English – terminology (language) 		 Less success criteria 	
PSHCE – turn taking, working with peers, o	onsidering others' feelings when giving		
feedback.			
Geography – various stimuli involving 'ext	eme earth' including earthquakes, tsunamis,		
volcanoes and tornadoes.			
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