# Term 2 Reception to year 6 Performing Arts overview

#### **Receptions: Music dance drama themes**

Songs and movement activities will be based on autumn, winter and animals.

#### In reception to year 6 music we will be:

- reinforcing musical concepts: beat, rhythm and pitch
- experimenting with tempo (fast and slow) in songs and music
- practising in-tune singing and playing musical games
- playing untuned and tuned percussion instruments eg xylophones, bucket drums, chime bars and desk bells.

#### In reception to year 6 drama we will be:

- Creating role plays to explore our voice, movement and body language and facial expression to create a character role
- mime improvisation
- readers theatre
- scriptwriting
- playing drama games to develop concentration and focus.

#### In reception to year 6 dance we will be:

- Begin to explore dance elements through music and explore choreography concepts including
- space: moving through low, medium and high levels
- locomotor movement and direction forwards, backward and sideways
- non-locomotor movement bending, stretching, twisting, turning and growing.

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