What are the key features of 'knowledgerich' assessment for Music?

Subject	Features
Music	 At key stage 1 and 2, the sticky knowledge takes full account of the national curriculum's main characteristics of: Singing Playing an instrument Listening and Appreciating Creating own music History of music
	There are relatively few assessment statements as these knowledge statements should be what pupils retain for ever. In other words, this knowledge is within their long-term memory and will be retained.
	When considering pupils' improvement in subject specific vocabulary, provide pupils with a vocabulary mat which contains all words used for music for their age group.



16	-26	22	-36	30	-50	40	-60
	I know how to move my body to sounds and music I enjoy.		I know how to express myself through physical action and sound.		I know how to sing familiar songs		I know how to begin to build a repertoire of songs and dances.
					I know how to begin to move rhythmically.		I know how to explore the different sounds of instruments.
	I know how to imitate		I know how to join in				
	and improvise actions . e.g. clapping or waving.		singing my favourite songs.		I know how to imitate movement in response to music.		I know how to represent my own feelings through music.
	I know how to use instruments to perform and choose sounds to represent different things.		I know how to create sounds by banging, shaking, tapping or blowing.		I know how to tap out simple repeated rhythms.		I know how to talk about the ideas and processes that have led me to make music.
					I know to explore and learn how sounds can change.		
	I know how to begin to move to music, listen to or join in with rhymes or		I know how to show interest in the way musical instruments		I know how to create movement in response to music.		
	songs.		sound.		I know how to sing to myself and makeup simple songs.		
					l know how to make up rhythms.		



Ye	Year 1		Year 2		
	I know how to make different sounds with my voice and with instruments		I know how to sing or clap with increasing and decreasing tempo		
	I know how to follow instructions about when to play and when to sing		I know how to perform simple patterns and accompaniments keeping a steady pulse		
	I know how to use instruments to perform and choose sounds to represent different things		I know how to play simple rhythmic patterns on an instrument		
	I can say whether I like or dislike a piece of music		I know how to make connections between notations and musical sounds		
	I know how to clap and repeat short rhythmic and melodic patterns		I know how to order sounds and how to create a beginning, middle and an end		
	I know how to make a sequence of sounds and respond to different moods in music		I know how to create music in response to different starting points		



Ye	ear 3	Year 4		
	I know how to play clear notes on instruments and use different elements in my composition		I know how to sing songs from memory with accurate pitch	
	I know how to combine different sounds to create a specific mood or feeling		I know how to use notation to record compositions in a small group or individually	
	I know how to create repeated patterns with different instruments		I know how to explain why silence is often needed in music and explain what effect it has	
	I know how to improve my work; explaining how it has been improved		I know how to use notation to record and interpret sequences of pitches	
	I know how to use musical words to describe a piece of music and compositions and say what I like and do not like about it		I know how to identify and describe the different purposes of music	
	I can recognise the work of at least one famous composer		I can begin to identify the style of work of Beethoven, Mozart and Elgar	



Year 5		Year 6		
I know how to maintain own are performing their part	n part whilst others	 I know how to sing in harmony confidently and accurately and can perform parts from memory 		
I know how to compose muspecific criteria	usic which meets	I can take the lead in a performance		
I know how to choose the r tempo for a piece of music		I know how to use a variety of different musical devices in composition (including melody, rhythms and chords).		
I know how to use a music of aspects of the composition	,	I know how to analyse features within different pieces of music		
 I know how to describe, com music using musical vocabule why I think music is successful 	ary and can explain	I know how to evaluate how the venue, occasion and purpose affects the way a piece of music is created		
I can contrast the work of a with another and explain m		I can compare and contrast the impact that different composers from different times have had on people of that time		

	Music: Key Stage 1					
Singing		Playing an instrument	Listening and appreciate	Create own music		
Pupils should be taught to use their voices expressively and creatively by singing songs and speaking chants and rhymes		Pupils should be taught to play tuned and untuned instruments musically	Pupils should be taught to listen with concentration and understanding to a range of high-quality live and recorded music	Pupils should be taught to experiment with, create, select and combine sounds using the inter-related dimensions of music		
Year 1	 make different sounds with voice and with instruments follow instructions about when to play and sing 	 use instruments to perform and choose sounds to represent different things 	 say whether they like or dislike a piece of music 	 clap and repeat short rhythmic and melodic patterns make a sequence of sounds and respond to different moods in music 		
Year 2	 sing or clap increasing and decreasing tempo perform simple patterns and accompaniments keeping a steady pulse 	• play simple rhythmic patterns on an instrument	 make connections between notations and musical sounds 	 order sounds to create a beginning, middle and an end create music in response to different starting points 		

	Μ	usic: Key Stage 2			
	Performing	Compose	Listen		
	play and perform in solo and ensemble contexts, using their voices and playing musical instruments with increasing accuracy, fluency, control and expression	improvise and compose music for a range of purposes using the inter-related dimensions of music	listen with attention to detail and recall sounds with increasing aural memory		
Year 3	 play clear notes on instruments and use different elements in composition 	 combine different sounds to create a specific mood or feeling 			
Year 4	 sing songs from memory with accurate pitch 	 use notation to record compositions in a small group or individually 	 explain why silence is often needed in music and explain what effect it has 		
Year 5	maintain own part whilst others are performing their part	 compose music which meets specific criteria choose the most appropriate tempo for a piece of music 			
Year 6	 sing in harmony confidently and accurately perform parts from memory take the lead in a performance 	 use a variety of different musical devices in composition (including melody, rhythms and chords). 			

	Μ	usic: Key Stage 2			
	Use and understand	Appreciate	History of music		
	use and understand staff and other musical notations	appreciate and understand a wide range of high-quality live and recorded music drawn from different traditions and from great composers and musicians	develop an understanding of the history c music		
Year 3	 create repeated patterns with different instruments improve my work; explaining how it has been improved 	 use musical words to describe a piece of music and compositions use musical words to describe what they like and do not like about a piece of music 	 recognise the work of at least one famous composer 		
Year 4	 use notation to record and interpret sequences of pitches 	 identify and describe the different purposes of music 	 begin to identify the style of work of Beethoven, Mozart and Elgar 		
Year 5	 use music diary to record aspects of the composition process 	 describe, compare and evaluate music using musical vocabulary explain why they think music is successful or unsuccessful 	 contrast the work of a famous composer with another and explain preferences 		
Year 6	 analyse features within different pieces of music 	 evaluate how the venue, occasion and purpose affects the way a piece of music is created 	 compare and contrast the impact that different composers from different times have had on people of that time 		