

Dance							
Key Skill	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Dance	<p>Join a range of different movements together.</p> <p>Change the speed of their actions.</p> <p>Change the style of their movements.</p> <p>Create a short movement phrase which demonstrates their own ideas.</p>	<p>Copy and repeat actions.</p> <p>Put a sequence of actions together to create a motif.</p> <p>Vary the speed of their actions.</p> <p>Use simple choreographic devices such as unison, canon and mirroring.</p> <p>Begin to improvise independently to create a simple dance.</p>	<p>Copy, remember and repeat actions.</p> <p>Create a short motif inspired by a stimulus.</p> <p>Change the speed and level of their actions.</p> <p>Use simple choreographic devices such as unison, canon and mirroring.</p> <p>Use different transitions within a dance motif.</p> <p>Move in time to music.</p> <p>Improve the timing of their actions.</p>	<p>Begin to improvise with a partner to create a simple dance.</p> <p>Create motifs from different stimuli.</p> <p>Begin to compare and adapt movements and motifs to create a larger sequence.</p> <p>Use simple dance vocabulary to compare and improve work.</p> <p>Perform with some awareness of rhythm and expression.</p>	<p>Identify and repeat the movement patterns and actions of a chosen dance style.</p> <p>Compose a dance that reflects the chosen dance style.</p> <p>Confidently improvise with a partner or on their own.</p> <p>Compose longer dance sequences in a small group.</p> <p>Demonstrate precision and some control in response to stimuli.</p> <p>Begin to vary dynamics and develop actions and motifs in response to</p>	<p>Identify and repeat the movement patterns and actions of a chosen dance style.</p> <p>Compose individual, partner and group dances that reflect the chosen dance style.</p> <p>Show a change of pace and timing in their movements.</p> <p>Develop an awareness of their use of space.</p> <p>Demonstrate imagination and creativity in the movements they devise in response to stimuli.</p>	<p>Identify and repeat the movement patterns and actions of a chosen dance style.</p> <p>Compose individual, partner and group dances that reflect the chosen dance style.</p> <p>Use dramatic expression in dance movements and motifs.</p> <p>Perform with confidence, using a range of movement patterns.</p> <p>Demonstrate strong and controlled movements throughout a</p>

					<p>stimuli. Demonstrate rhythm and spatial awareness.</p> <p>Change parts of a dance as a result of self-evaluation. Use simple dance vocabulary when comparing and improving work.</p>	<p>Use transitions to link motifs smoothly together.</p> <p>Improvise with confidence, still demonstrating fluency across the sequence.</p> <p>Ensure their actions fit the rhythm of the music.</p> <p>Modify parts of a sequence as a result of self and peer evaluation.</p> <p>Use more complex dance vocabulary to compare and improve work.</p>	<p>dance sequence.</p> <p>Combine flexibility, techniques and movements to create a fluent sequence.</p> <p>Move appropriately and with the required style in relation to the stimulus, e.g. using various levels, ways of travelling and motifs.</p> <p>Show a change of pace and timing in their movements.</p> <p>Move rhythmically and accurately in dance sequences. Improvise with confidence, still demonstrating fluency across their sequence.</p>
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Compete and Perform	Control my body when performing a sequence of movements.	Perform using a range of actions and body parts with some coordination. Begin to perform learnt skills with	Perform sequences of their own composition with coordination. Perform learnt skills with	Develop the quality of the actions in their performances. Perform learnt skills and techniques with	Perform and create sequences with fluency and expression. Perform and apply skills and techniques with	Perform own longer, more complex sequences in time to music. Consistently perform and	Link actions to create a complex sequence using a full range of movement. Perform the sequence in time

		some control.	increasing control. Compete against self and others.	control and confidence. Compete against self and others in a controlled manner.	control and accuracy.	apply skills and techniques with accuracy and control.	to music. Perform and apply a variety of skills and techniques confidently, consistently and with precision.
Evaluate	Talk about what they have done. Talk about what others have done.	Watch and describe performances. Begin to say how they could improve.	Watch and describe performances, and use what they see to improve their own performance. Talk about the differences between their work and that of others.	Watch, describe and evaluate the effectiveness of a performance. Describe how their performance has improved over time.	Watch, describe and evaluate the effectiveness of performances, giving ideas for improvements. Modify their use of skills or techniques to achieve a better result.	Choose and use criteria to evaluate own and others' performances. Explain why they have used particular skills or techniques, and the effect they have had on their performance.	Thoroughly evaluate their own and others' work, suggesting thoughtful and appropriate improvements.