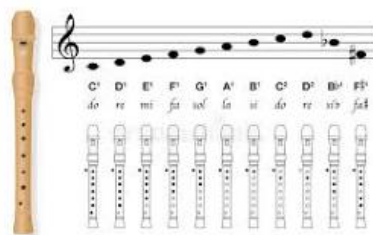


## Progression and Expectations for Whole Class Recorder



<b>Why learn to play the Recorder?</b>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Develop the skill of:</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Reading Music – note rhythms of Crotchets, Quavers, Minims and Semi-breve and Rests.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Playing in an ensemble</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Understanding Pitch and Dynamics</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Understanding Tempo</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Understanding Time Signatures</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Performance skills</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Expressive components of music</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Listening skills</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Creating compositions using tuned instrument</p>
<b>Year 1 &amp; 2</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Learn to play one 1 note, either B, A or G.</li> <li>• Learn to play one note with the correct timing in a group.</li> <li>• Learn to play along to a song in a group using one note.</li> <li>• Perform in class.</li> </ul>
<b>Year 3</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Learn to play 3 notes, B, A and G.</li> <li>• Learn to play to written music and learn the correct rhythms.</li> <li>• Learn Crotchets, Quavers and Crotchet Rests.</li> <li>• Develop Music Performance Skills.</li> <li>• Understand breath control.</li> <li>• Perform in Showcase or Assembly</li> </ul>
<b>Year 4</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Learn to play 4 notes, B, A, G, E.</li> <li>• Learn to play to written music and learn the correct rhythms. Learn Crotchets, Quavers, Crotchet Rests, minims, and Semi-breve.</li> <li>• Understand breath control.</li> <li>• Develop Music Performance Skills</li> <li>• Learn to play with the correct Tempo with more accuracy.</li> <li>• Perform in Showcase or Assembly</li> </ul>
<b>Year 5</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Learn to play 5 notes, B, A, G, E, C and F</li> <li>• Learn to play written music with all rhythms and rests.</li> <li>• Develop Music Performance Skills with greater accuracy and expressiveness.</li> <li>• Perform in Showcase, Assembly or Concert</li> <li>• Develop listening skills and able to correct mistakes independently.</li> <li>• Use correct posture and fingers confidently.</li> <li>• Greater understanding on dynamics, pitch, pulse, and rhythm.</li> <li>• Able to play in a two-part harmony or round.</li> </ul>
<b>Year 6</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Learn to play 6 notes, B, A, G, E, C, F, D</li> <li>• Learn to play written music and learn the all the correct rhythms.</li> <li>• Refine Music Performance Skills. Perform in Showcase or Concert as an ensemble.</li> <li>• Understand the expressive characteristics of music, such as PP, FF, F, MP etc (Dynamics).</li> <li>• Greater understanding of pitch and tempo.</li> </ul>