

## **GCSE Music**

Please see the revision list below to help prepare for the Music ICAs.

In addition to this, pupils are still encouraged to submit any outstanding compositions or performances.

### **GCSE Music Revision List**

There will be two ICAs for Music. There will be six questions from section A and the longer essay style question from Section B.

The set works you need to revise are as follows:

- JS Bach: Brandenburg Concerto No. 5 in D major, movement III
- Queen: 'Killer Queen'
- Schwartz: 'Defying Gravity' from Wicked
- Williams: 'Main Title/Blockade Runner' from Star Wars Episode IV A New Hope
- Afro Celt Sound System: 'Release'
- Esperanza Spalding: 'Samba Em Preludio'

The section A questions will also include a musical dictation question.

### **How to revise for Music**

There are a number of resources to help you revise.

- GCSE Bitesize has videos and explanations of the set works.
- You have handouts and worksheets completed in class kept in your folders.
- MS Teams has electronic copies of the handouts.
- Practice questions (and answers) are available on MS Teams.
- Your anthology which has been annotated in class.
- Teoria.com to practice musical dictation (as well as the practice questions on MS Teams)

Suggested 30-minute method for revising set works:

1. 5 minutes - Listen to the set work and read notes/watch revision PPT video on MS Teams/YouTube
2. 15 minutes - Do something! This could be a mind map, flash cards, DR T Smith, bullet points, etc. Whatever works for you
3. 10 minutes - Practice question. Use the practice questions on MS Teams to test your knowledge