

Grange Park Primary School Year 5 Summer 2 Music

Writing lyrics for a rap based on environmental issues

	Key composer, genre and instruments
Stormzy Born 26 July 1993	Michael Ebenezer Kwadjo Omari Owuo Jr., known Professionally as Stormzy, is a British rapper, singer and songwriter. In 2014, he gained attention on the UK underground music scene through a series of freestyles over classic grime beats.
Song	Blinded by your Grace, Big for your Boots, Problems over Peace, Cry no more
Genre	Hip Hop
History of Hip hop	The most common view is that hip-hop is a cultural movement that emerged in the South Bronx in New York City during the 1970s, with MCing (or rapping) being one of the primary four elements. Hip hop's other three essential elements are graffiti art (or aerosol art), break dancing, and DJing.
Other famous Hip hop acts	MC Hammer, Missy Elliot, Outkast, Jay Z



MC Hammer Missy Elliot

Key Skills

- Use voices with increasing accuracy, fluency, control and expression
- Listen to and appreciate composers and musicians from different genres and eras.
- Improvise vocally (rap and singing)
- Compose song lyrics
- Perform a rap verse to the class
- Use technology to compose a beats for your backing track

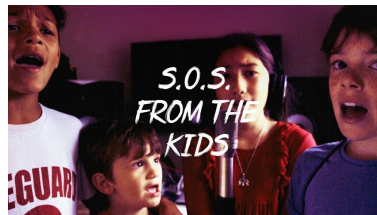
P.L.A.S.T.I.C.

It's coming for you...

Ten green bottles sitting on the shore,
Look to the sea there's a million more,
We know, something has got to be done,
Something has got to be done.
Something has got to be done.

Relevant songs and music for listening

P.L.A.S.T.I.C
SOS from the Kids
I am the Earth
U Can't touch this - MC Hammer
Blinded by Your Grace - Stormzy



Key Vocabulary

jazz	Jazz music is a broad style of music characterized by complex harmony, syncopated rhythms, and a heavy emphasis on improvisation
rap	Speaking in time to the music. A form of music. RAP stands for rhythm and poetry. The first rap artist was called Coke La Rock from 1973!
improvise	Create ideas quickly without planning
compose	Write down your music ideas
verse	A part of a song which has different words to the chorus and bridge.
chorus	A repeated section in a song
bridge	A section different to the chorus and bridge which links them.
syncopated	Rhythms which are not on a main beat, but on the weaker beats in between.



Outkast - Hey Ya