



# Chiswick School Sixth Form

## MUSIC



Transition Work

Year group: Year 12

Subject: Music

Qualification:  
GCE

Examining Board:  
Edexcel

### Edexcel A Level Music (2016) (9MU0)

#### Introduction to the course:

60% coursework comprising of:

- An 8 minute Recital (minimum grade 5 standard)
- Total of 2 compositions, one from a brief and one assessing compositional technique

40% exam:

This unit focuses on listening to familiar and unfamiliar music and understanding how it works. Set works from an anthology provide the focus for much of the unit, through listening but also through studying scores. Areas of study include Vocal Music, Instrumental Music, Music for film, Popular Music, Jazz Fusions and New Directions.

Link to specification:

<http://qualifications.pearson.com>

#### Summer Preparations Tasks:

1. Prepare a Solo piece for performance
2. Create a composition and record bringing with them in September. (It can be one of their GCSE compositions if they wish)
3. Create a Leaflet describing the genres of music From Baroque, Classical, Romantic and 20th Century inclusive. The leaflet is for GCSE students so needs to be in a language that they will understand.

DUE	CONTACT DETAILS SHOULD HELP BE NEEDED	EXPECTED TIME NEEDED TO COMPLETE THE TASK
September	<a href="mailto:clp@chiswickschool.org">clp@chiswickschool.org</a>	5 hours