



GALASHIELS ACADEMY MUSIC DEPARTMENT HOMEWORK POLICY

Types of homework used by the department;

Type of homework	S1/2	S3/4	S5/6
Practising performance skills	x	x	x
Listen to a variety of Music	x	x	x
Working on your Composing folio		x	x
Working at Literacy and Listening		x	x

S1/2 Homework	Frequency
Practising performance skills Listen to a variety of Music	Every day is best Several times a day

S3/4 Homework	Frequency
Practising your two performance skills Working on your Composing folio Working at Literacy and Listening Listen to a variety of Music	Every day is best At least once a week At least once a week Several times a day

S5/6 Homework	Frequency
Practising your two performance skills Working on your Composing folio Working at Literacy and Listening Listen to a variety of Music	Every day is best At least once a week At least once a week Several times a day

Other info
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Use online sources to learn about music eg. BBC, LT Scotland, Google searches• Use the school learning resources folder• Widen the variety of music you listen to and play• Try listening to classical, folk, jazz and world music - you might be surprised at how often you come across something new and something you like

Rewards
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Work steadily and follow your teacher's advice you will achieve better grades• This means more enjoyment and satisfaction and less rushing about at the last minute and less stress