## <u>Y9 HT4 Pop Song</u> Big Idea: How do I combine a melody and chords?

In this unit we will look at the basic parts of a pop song, melody, chords and lyrics. We have covered these aspects before but will now give you a half term to develop these techniques and create your own song.

Music used -Dui Lipa - Don't start now

What do I need to understand for this topic?			
Notes of a keyboard, chords, how to use bandlabs.	Sequence A particular order in which things	Riff A short repeated phrase	Phrase A musical thought that ends with musical punctuation
How will I know how to complete a successful composition?			
You will have a simple song with a verse and chorus. These will have successful chord sequences and melodies	follow each other		
How will I practice?			



## How will I be assessed?

Performing chords on keyboard (or guitar if you are a guitarist)

Jamming/ improvisiong

Inputting into bandlabs

Your teacher will be giving you advice throughout but in lessons 5 and 6 they will listen to your song.