## MUSIC 54 National 4/5 2020-21 Course Overview

	Understanding Music	Composing Skills	Performing 1 <sup>st</sup> and 2 <sup>nd</sup> instruments
August	<ul> <li>Scottish music + assessment</li> </ul>	Scottish composing task:	Further development of skills on both instruments/voice. Unit evidence gathering is
September		<ul><li>Score/Sibelius</li><li>Reflection</li></ul>	<ul><li>ongoing.</li><li>Indication of performance level by Feb, 2021.</li></ul>
October	<ul> <li>Vocal/Baroque/Classical/ Romantic/20<sup>th</sup> Century music styles</li> <li>(Unit evidence: listening</li> </ul>	Musical Literacy - notation exercises (one period per week)	
November	logs, research, homework, tests).	Final composing task	
December	,	chosen - to be completed by March.	National 5 (following subject to changes under Covid)
January	National 5 Prelim: 11.01.21		<ul> <li>Possible prelim: full programme w/b. 18.01.21 -</li> <li>7-minute programme with a minimum of 2 minutes</li> </ul>
February			on one instrument. Minimum of 2 contrasted pieces on each instrument.
March	<ul> <li>Revision using past papers, mind maps, further</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>Final Examination: March 2021 (date and final decisions to be confirmed).</li> </ul>
April	literacy qus, etc.		National 4 Added value and unit evidence to be completed and recorded by end of March. 7-minute programme as above.
May	N5 Question Paper May 2021		
	PLEASE NOTE THAT FAILURE TO MEET DEADLINES OR PASS UNITS WILL MEAN	THAT YOU WILL NOT ACHIEVE A COURSE AWARD.	Music for both instruments must be level checked by class teacher.