

Learning Overview - Key Skills



Lesson 1 Drumatic

Learn how to create drum patterns.

Compose an eight bar phrase using two original drum patterns.



Lesson 2 Looptastic

Learn how to use the built in loops, add effects and programme automated volume changes.

Compose a short, original piece of music using your own drum patterns and the built in loops.



Lesson 3 It's As Easy As ABC

Learn about three forms of music: ternary, binary and rondo.

Compose a piece of music using a set structure.



Lesson 4 It's As Easy As ABC

Recap on the three forms of music: ternary, binary and rondo.

Continue to compose a piece of music using a set structure.

Learning Pathway - Unit 1 Project



Using A Photo Stimulus



Lesson 5 - Part 1 Scavenger Hunt

Learn how to work in groups efficiently, and import a sound effect into BandLab from the BBCsfx website.
Compose the opening to a piece of music based on a chosen photo stimulus, using the imported sound effects.



Lesson 6 - Part 2 Bringing It Together

Recap how to use the built in loops, add effects and programme automated volume changes.
Continue the composition of the piece of music based on a chosen photo stimulus started in Lesson 5.



Lesson 7 - Part 3 Finishing Off

Learn how to make the final changes to a composition.
Continue the creation of an original piece of music and finish it off by adding in original drum patterns and the built in loops.



Skill Progress Summary

- Create original drum patterns.
- Use the built in loops.
- Understand three forms of music: ternary, binary and rondo.

- Export sound effects from BBCSfx to use in a composition.
- Import the sounds into BandLab.
- Stagger the entrance of the tracks.

- Create automated volume changes.
- Structure a composition.
- Splice loops.
- Add and edit effects.