Mozart Knowledge Organiser – Year 1

Sticky Knowledge

- ✓ Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart was born on 27th January, 1756 in Salzburg, Austria.
- ✓ He died in Vienna on 5th December 1791.
- ✓ Someone who writes music is called a composer. Mozart was a famous composer.
- ✓ He was a musician who could play multiple instruments.
- ✓ Mozart started playing music in public when he was 6 years old.

Important facts to know about Mozart:

✓ He could play the harpsichord, violin, organ and piano.







organ



harpsichord violin

✓ One of his famous opera pieces was called *The Magic Flute.*





✓ Mozart wrote a piece of music for his friend who played the clarinet – *Clarinet Concerto*

Big Idea

Mozart was a famous composer. His music was of the Classical style and we often think of Mozart's music as relaxing and peaceful.



The History of Music

Vocabulary

Composer: Someone who writes music.

Musician: Someone who plays a musical instrument.

Instrument: Something that makes musical sounds.

Orchestra: A group of musicians playing together.

Pulse: The beat of the music.

Rhythm: The patterns in the piece of music.

Pitch: How high or low a musical note sounds.

