What is Music?

Once you have completed this topic you should use the traffic light system to self-assess your understanding of the content at three points in your revision. Colour the boxes:

Green- I feel confident with this and will need a quick review before I am assessed Amber- I feel less confident and need to spend more time with revision in this area Red- I have no confidence with this and need dedicated revision time in this specific area

MUST KNOW	Review dates
I know the rhythm values used in music- Crotchet, quaver, minim, semibreve,	
semiquaver	
I know about dotted rhythms and how the values work	
I can perform different rhythm values through clapping	
I know what DR T SMITH means	
I understand that the musical elements (DR T SMITH) are used to describe pieces of	
music	
I can describe music using some of the elements (D, R, M, I)	
I understand how to compare and contrast pieces of music	
I know what a time signature is	
I know how to tap the pulse of a piece of music	
I can identify notes of the treble clef (notes on the lines and in the space)	
I understand the notes of the keyboard and where treble clef notes should be played	
I can draw a treble clef	
I know what an orchestra is	
I know the four families in the orchestra	
I know where each family in the orchestra sits	
I know the instruments that are in each family of the orchestra	
I can aurally identify which instrument from the orchestra is playing	
I know the composer of 'In the Hall of the Mountain King'	