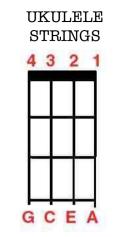
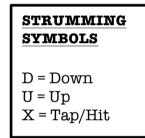
Year 7 Music - Knowledge Organiser - ROCK THE UKULELE

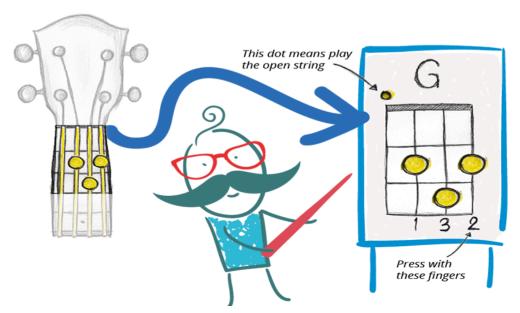
KEYWORDS	
Ukulele	A small four stringed guitar of
	Hawaiian origin.
Hawaii	Originally brought over from Portugal
	in 1879, the ukulele became popular in
	Hawaii. It's name in Hawaiian means
	'Jumping Flea'
Soprano	Name given to the 'standard' size
	ukulele. This is the size we play in
	lessons.
Chord	A group of (typically three or more)
	notes sounded together
Chord Progression	A sequence of chords played one after
	another.
Strum	A playing technique where the strings
	are played by sweeping a thumb or
	plectrum up or down across them.
Finger Picking	When individual strings on the
	instrument are plucked
Arrangement	To create your own 'version' of a song
Oral Tradition	Passing down songs and music from
	generation to generation without
	writing anything down.

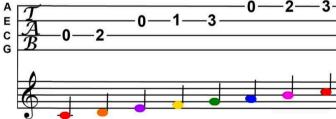


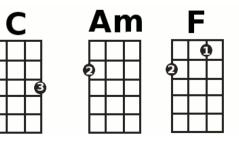
TIP: String 1 (A) is the one furthest away from you



Uke Bits headstock tuning pegs kevs nut neck--fret board 0 position dots TOT -fret bars Ø shoulder face sound hole waist strings bridge body Used with the permission of Brisbane Ukulele Musicians Society Inc. 2015 (www.brisbaneukulele.com and www.spruke.net.au)







Further listening:

- Israel Kamakawiwo'ole - "Somewhere Over the Rainbow"
- Queen Liliuokalani -• "Aloha Oe"
- Country Comfort -"Waimanalo Blues"

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These are the chords we will be using the most in lessons.

