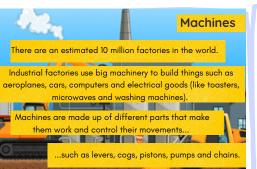
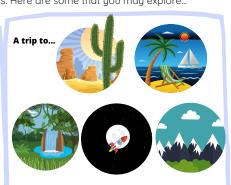


# Knowledge Organiser **Dance Year 3**

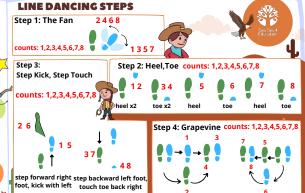
# **About this Unit**

This unit is inspired by lots of different themes. Here are some that you may explore...









# **Key Vocabulary**

action: the movement a performer uses e.g. travel, jump, kick

canon: when performers complete the same action one after the other

create: to make

dynamics: how an action is performed e.g. quickly, slowly, gently

explore: to try out and discover ideas

expression: actions or gestures used to

share thoughts or feelings extend: to make longer

feedback: information given to make improvements

**formation:** where performers are in the space in relation to others

interact: to communicate with others

pathway: designs traced in space (on the floor or in the air)

perform: to present to an audience pose: a position, usually still

timing: moving to the beat of the music unison: two or more people performing the

same movement at the same time

Ladder Knowledge



## Actions:

If you share ideas with other people in your group and work collaboratively, you can try ideas before deciding on the best actions for your dance.

# Dynamics:

All actions can be performed differently to help to show effect.

### Space:

Use space to help your dance to flow.

## Relationships:

'Formation' means the same in dance as in other activities such as football, rugby and gymnastics.

Movement Skills

- actions
- dynamics
- space
- · relationships

share ideas, respect, collaboration, inclusion, leadership, work safely

confidence, acceptance, sensitivity, perseverance

This unit will also help you to develop other important skills.

select and apply actions, creativity, observe and provide

**Strategies** 

Use canon and unison to create different effects in your dance. Listen carefully to the music you are dancing to. Dancing with an awareness of the music will make your dance look more complete.

Healthy **Participation** 



You should be bare foot for dance.

Ensure you always work in your own safe space when working independently.

Find more games that develop these skills in the Home Learning Active Families tab on www.getset4education.co.uk

If you enjoy this unit why not see if there is a dance club in your local area.



How will this unit help your body?

> balance, coordination, flexibility.





## How to play:

- Imagine that your body is a paint brush.
- · Move as though your body it is writing your
- Once you have created a movement for each letter, join them all together so that it becomes
- · Add music to your dance and try to move in time to it.

Show your dance to a family member or friend.



Head to our youtube channel to watch the skills videos for this unit.

