

**1 Read the definitions and complete the music phrases.**

1 The sound that is played in shops and restaurants to create an atmosphere.

b a c k g r o u n d m u s i c

2 A list of the most popular music of the week. the c           

3 This is what happens when an album is completed and one song is made public. r             
           a t           

4 This is when a group travels around different countries performing their music. t             
the w           

5 This is when a singer or group stands on a stage and plays their music. g            a p

                                                                              
6 This is the first collection of songs that an artist or group makes public. d            a           

                       
7 This is when one member of a group decides to leave and perform on their own. g             
s           

8 This is the place where a group performs. c            v           

**2 Complete the sentences with the phrases in the box.**

background music    ~~concert venue~~  
debut album    devoted fans    go solo  
lead singer    massive hits    musical talent

1 The O2 arena in London is a popular .....*concert venue*..... for big pop stars like Lady Gaga.

2 Did you know that her ..... has been at the top of the charts for two months now?

3 I don't think much of the ..... in this restaurant. It's too loud.

4 I really think that she has a lot of ..... and will be a successful pop star.

5 He made the decision to ..... after just two years with the band.

6 That is Harry Styles, the ..... in the band One Direction.

7 All big celebrities have a group of ..... who follow their every move.

8 Luis Fonsi has had several ..... in the last decade including Despacito.

**3 Complete the sentences with the correct form of phrases from Exercises 1 and 2.**

1 Camila Cabello's .....*debut album*....., *Camila*, was one of the most successful albums of 2018.

2 Calvin Harris and Dua Lipa ..... called One Kiss which became the biggest selling song of 2018 in the UK.

3 Blackpink are ..... next year with over 18 concerts in different countries.

4 Lady Gaga and Bradley Cooper ..... a beautiful ..... of the song *Shallow* at the 2019 Oscars Ceremony.

5 I really dislike the ..... they play in the shopping mall. It's so boring.

6 Madison Square Garden is a popular ..... as well as a place to watch basketball games. Lots of famous bands play there.

**4 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in the box.**

bring find go listen ~~purchase~~  
say switch off

- 1 I'm trying .....*to purchase*..... an old album but I can't find it anywhere.  
2 Don't forget ..... the tickets with you to the concert or they won't let us in.  
3 We saw Pete at the entrance, but we didn't stop ..... hello because he was too busy.  
4 I remember ..... an old Beatles album in this shop when I was 12 years old. I bought it for my dad.  
5 He will never stop ..... to jazz music, he loves it so much.  
6 I'll never forget ..... to my first concert to see Rihanna at Wembley. It was incredible.  
7 Remember ..... everything as we won't be back until tomorrow night.

**5 Choose the correct options.**

A: Hi there! Did you remember **1**..... the tickets?

B: That's what I'm trying **2**..... now. I've been on the phone for half an hour but I'm in a queue.

A: What about buying them online?

B: Because it's such a small **3**..... you can only buy the tickets over the phone.

A: Oh! OK. I guess with her album being such a **4**..... everyone wants to see her **5**..... I'm just glad our parents gave us **6**..... to go.

B: I know! Oh! Stop **7**..... me, I've finally got through to someone.

A: So?

B: All done. We have tickets to the gig! I hope you're ready to **8**..... all the singing and dancing!

1 **A to get** B getting C get

2 **A to do** B doing C do

3 **A debut album** B go solo C concert venue

4 **A massive hit** B lead singer C musical talent

5 **A give a performance** B tour the world C release a track

6 **A registration** B permission C discussion

7 **A distracting** B to distract C distract

8 **A go on** B go for C join in