



Newbattle High School

Music Department

S1 Assessment

Name:

Class:

Teacher:

1. Listen to the following excerpt and tick one box to describe the family of instruments playing the melody:

Strings ☐

Woodwind ☐

Brass ☐

Percussion ☐

2. (a) Listen to this excerpt: which family of instruments does the soloist belong to:

- (b) What playing technique is used?

3. Listen to this excerpt: which family of instruments does the soloist belong to:

Strings ☐

Brass ☐

Percussion ☐

Woodwind ☐

4. (a) Write down the name of the family of instruments playing

(b) What playing technique is being used?

5. This question is about tonality. Circle the correct description of this music:

Major ☐

Minor ☐

6. This question is about tonality. Tick the correct description of this music:

Major ☐

Minor ☐

7. This question is about how music sounds. Tick the correct description of this music:

Legato ☐

Staccato ☐

8. This question is about how music sounds. Tick the correct description of this music:

Legato ☐

Staccato ☐

9. Listen to the following excerpt and tick one box to describe what you hear

Bagpipes ☐

Accordion ☐

Fiddle ☐

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Bagpipes ☐

Accordion ☐

Fiddle ☐

11. Listen to the following excerpt and tick one box to describe what you hear

Scottish Music ☐

Reggae ☐

Latin American ☐

12. Listen to the following excerpt and tick one word from each column to describe what you hear:

Latin American ☐		Forte ☐
Opera ☐	Major ☐	Piano ☐
Scottish ☐	Minor ☐	Backing Vocals ☐

13. This question is about beats in the bar. Tick the correct answer below:

3 beats ☐ 4 beats ☐

14. This question is about beats in the bar. Tick the correct answer below:

3 beats ☐ 4 beats ☐

15. This question is about beats in the bar. Tick the correct answer below:

3 beats ☐ 4 beats ☐

16. Listen to the following excerpt and tick one box to describe what you hear

Orchestral ☐

Reggae ☐

Jazz ☐

17. Listen to the following excerpt and tick one box to describe what you hear

Blues ☐

Latin American ☐

Jazz ☐

18. Listen to the following excerpt and tick one box to describe what you hear

Step ☐

Leap ☐