

Name: _____
Class: _____

VOCABULARY

1 Choose A, B or C to complete the sentences.

- An orchestra usually plays _____ music.
A country B classical C techno
- I really love traditional music – it's _____!
A terrible B brilliant C alright
- There's usually a big _____ at major rock concerts.
A audience B people C group
- There are some really good street _____ in my city these days.
A players B bands C musicians
- My friend Aleks writes really _____ pop songs – they're so unusual.
A new B typical C original
- A small instrument you hold in your hand and play with your mouth is a/an _____.
A harmonica B cello C accordion
- I prefer watching _____ music to listening to CDs.
A direct B live C open
- Hip-hop artists always have such great dance _____ in their music videos.
A programmes B breaks C routines

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2 Complete the text using a word or expression from the box. There are three extra words.

composer concerts drums fantastic fit lazy
rock stage songwriter stronger typical usually

Hi, my name's Jim and I'm a 'Roadie' for the famous ⁰ rock band Televisionhead. A Roadie carries and sets up all of the equipment for the band when they play at ¹ _____. We make sure that the ² _____, the guitars and all the other equipment are working properly and in the right place on the ³ _____. We have to be ⁴ _____ than most people to carry all of the equipment from the lorry into the hall. I got the job because I'm friends with the main ⁵ _____ and guitarist in the band. A ⁶ _____ day at work for me lasts about 18 hours! It's definitely not a job for ⁷ _____ people! I don't mind though – I love the music they play – it's ⁸ _____ to listen to!

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GRAMMAR

3 Choose the correct form to complete the sentences.

- Franck is the nicest / nicer than boy at our school.
- Amanda is much bravest than / braver than me.
- Do you think Science is more interesting than / most interesting than Music?
- This is the worst / the baddest song on the CD.
- Jeremy is at least 20cm tallest than / taller than his brother.
- London is by far the biggest / the biggest / the most big city in the UK.
- I think that the guitar is easier / easier / more easy to play than the piano.
- Beyoncé is one of the more successful / the most successful / the successfulest singers ever.
- Hip-hop is probably the most popular / the more popular / more popular than pop amongst young people.

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4 Make sentences using the prompts. Use either a comparative or a superlative of the adjective in each prompt.

- Max / cool / dancer / in the school
Max is the coolest dancer in the school.
- The River Amazon / is / long / the Mississippi

- Petra / is / friendly / person / I know

- Jackson / is / intelligent / his sister

- Carl and Kim / are / funny / pupils / in my class

- Dolly / good / playing the guitar / Alvin

- Art / interesting / PE?

- Ellie and Alastair / brilliant / musicians / at my school

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ENGLISH FOR SPEAKING

5 Choose the correct words from the box to complete the dialogue. There are four extra words.

alright- funny great how in let's of
OK other suggest suggestion sure that
where why

Bill: Hi Tia. How are you?

Tia: Oh, I'm ⁰ alright, I suppose. I've got a cousin staying at the moment and I don't know what to do with him.

Bill: Can I make a ¹ _____?

Tia: Yes, ² _____ course.

Bill: Well, ³ _____ don't you take him to see a band?

Tia: Hmm..., which band do you ⁴ _____.

Bill: Well, The Castles are on at the Rock Shack tomorrow night.

Tia: I'm not ⁵ _____. I don't think he likes rock music. Have you got any ⁶ _____ ideas?

Bill: Err..., ⁷ _____ about taking him to the classical music concert at the Town Hall?

Tia: That's a ⁸ _____ idea – he loves orchestras and that sort of thing. Hey, ⁹ _____ all go together – you can come too.

Bill: Ha ha, I don't think so!!

Tia: What's so ¹⁰ _____?

Bill: Oh...err...nothing! It's just that I'm not sure that music's really my thing. I mean, I love rap, not a load of violins!

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ENGLISH FOR WRITING

6 Match the emojis and the phrases from texts and tweets in Column A to the meanings in Column B. There are four extra meanings.

A	B
1 CanU PLZ call _____	A There's a funny TV programme on this evening
2  _____	B Why are you feeling very happy?
3 Me2 _____	C Thank you very much for a fantastic evening.
4 OK BFN _____	D I love you too.
5  _____	E Oh dear, I don't feel very well.
6 YRU so  _____	F Have a really nice evening.
7 LOL show 2NITE _____	G Please can you ring me?
8 Mum&Dad  _____	H Why do you feel so angry? I'm shocked!
9 THX 4 GR8 NITE _____	J Goodbye, see you later.
10  _____	K I feel the same way as you.
	L My parents are really angry with me.
	M I'm not going out tonight.
	N I'm feeling really sad!

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