

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