

Max the Monkey's Musical Maestro Quiz

Learning objective: To identify and understand the roles of famous composers and musical elements.

Read each question carefully. Max needs your help to finish his musical puzzle! Use the word bank if you get stuck.

Answer Key: 1. A, 2. B, 3. True, 4. Conductor, 5. C, 6. False, 7. B, 8. True, 9. Composer, 10. A

Word bank: Composer · Orchestra · Piano · Instruments · Conductor

1. 1. What do we call a person who writes music? A) Composer* B) Baker C) Builder D) Pilot (1 mark)

2. 2. Which instrument has black and white keys? A) Violin B) Piano* C) Flute D) Drum (1 mark)

3. 3. True or False: An orchestra is a large group of musicians playing instruments together. (1 mark)

4. 4. Who stands at the front of an orchestra and keeps the beat? (1 mark)

5. 5. Which of these is a way to describe how fast or slow music is? A) Colour B) Weight C) Tempo* D) Price (1 mark)

6. 6. True or False: All composers play the drums. (1 mark)

7. 7. How many pounds (£) would it cost to buy a simple music book if it is £5? A) £2 B) £5* C) £10 D) £1 (1 mark)

8. 8. True or False: A piece of music written for a specific instrument is called a solo. (1 mark)

9. 9. Fill in the blank: A _____ writes the music for films and shows. (1 mark)

10. 10. What tells the musicians how loud to play? A) Dynamics* B) Time C) Height D) Speed (1 mark)

Draw: Draw Max the monkey playing your favourite musical instrument. Make sure his instrument is colourful!



Extension challenge: Imagine you are a famous composer. What would you call your first song? Write the title below.