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Zelda: Ocarina of Time

About: How many short songs are played on the Ocarina over the course of the game? _____

Role: Which brass instrument is used to play the *Hyrule Field* main theme?

Role: How does the Ocarina help drive the plot of the game?

Listening Task: Listen to the **4 excerpts** on the '*Listen to a piece*' page. Write the name of the realm you think best first the piece below:

Piece 1 _____

Piece 2 _____

Piece 3 _____

Piece 4 _____

Q1: Using musical language explain how the composer creates different moods and atmospheres in the music:

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Q2: Keywords match-up: Draw a line from the keyword to the definition below:

Fanfare

The number of layers in the music

Texture

A section of the piece of music

Movement

A regal sounding melody to emphasise a character

Q3: What is a Monophonic melody?

Composing Task: Use the space below to help structure and plan your composition:

Chosen piece:	
Setting the scene	
Instrument ideas	
Characters	

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Super Mario Bros

About: In what year was *Super Mario Bros* first released?

About: What is the name of Japanese composer who wrote the music for *Mario*?

Role: What makes the *Mario* music so memorable and fun?

Role: How many sound channels did the Super Nintendo have?

Q1: Write the definitions for these musical words below:

Chords

Sampling

Composing Task: Use this space to write ideas for your composition.



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Uncharted

About: Who wrote the music for the *Uncharted* games?

Role: Describe the musical term *Leitmotif*:

Role: How is the '*Lie-motif*' used in the game?

Role: Why did the composer change the *Lie-motif* from Minor tonality to Major?

Keywords match-up: Draw a line from the keyword to the definition below:

Ostinato

Major and Minor: the character of the emotion based on notes from a key

Semi-tone

A short and repetitive melody used in film and game music

Tonality

An interval of a single note



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Uncharted

Listening Task: Listen to the two excerpts on the *Drake's Theme* section and answer the questions below:

Q1: Why did the composer use a strong drum pattern in piece 1?

Q2: Name the instrument that plays the main theme in piece 1 and explain why:

Q3: In what way does piece 2 reflect the changes to *Drake's* life over time?

Q4: Why do you think the composer chose to add a flute part to piece 2?

Use this space to write some ideas down for your character Leitmotif:

Character: _____

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Q1: Who wrote the music for Mario 64?

Q2: Why do you think the tonality changes in *Drake's Theme* from *Uncharted*?

Q3: What is an Ostinato? _____

Q4: What type of instruments are Fanfares usually played on? _____

Q5: How does music help drive the plot of *Zelda: Ocarina of Time*? _____

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Q1: Which 2 instruments combine to

create a Celesta?

Q2: Define Minimalism: _____

Q3: How would you describe a rising 5th?

Q4: What musical term is a short melodic phrase that represents a character?

Q5: Name 3 of John Williams' films:

Q6: What does a Foley Artist do?

Q2: Using musical terms, how does Hedwig's Theme sound like a bird flying?

Q1: What object did the Foley Artist use to make the sound of a bird flapping its wings?

Sound Effects: How would you describe the production technique *Reverb*?

Sound Effects: What does a Foley Artist do?



Sound Effects: Circle the pictures below that were used to create the T-Rex roar from *Jurassic Park*:

Instrumentation: Why do you think the composer chose to use a *Celesta* to play the main melody?

About: Who wrote Hedwig's Theme for the *Harry Potter* film franchise?



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Minimalism: Define the term *Aleatoric*:

Composing: How does *Ludovico Einaudi* sometimes start his composition process?

Q1: Name three Minimalist composers:

Q2: Define the term *Ostinato*:

Q3: Describe the difference between Major and Minor Tonalties:

Minimalism originate?

Minimalism: Where and when did

hear playing in *Fly*?

Atmosphere: What 2 instruments can you

scène mean?

Atmosphere: What does the term *mise en*

the music for *Untouchable*?

About: Which minimalist composer created



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Q1: What instruments did the composer use to create an historical feel?

Leitmotif: Having seen the video clip, how would you describe *Theme and Variation*?

Leitmotif: Why did the composer use a different instrument to represent *Aragorn*?

Leitmotif: Why do you think the composer chose to use the particular instruments to represent the *Hobbits*?

Instruments: Choose one of the above and explain your reasoning:



Dwarves Elves Men Wizards Hobbits

Instruments: Match up the 5 character types with the instrument you think best describes their personalities (draw a line).

About: Who wrote the music for *The Lord of the Rings* trilogy?

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