

Corby Business Academy

A level music



Summer task

Wider Listening

Listen to one set work from each of the areas of study. Pick out 2 features per set work for MRS HIT (Melody, Rhythm, Structure, Harmony, Instrumentation, Texture). Then pick a piece from the list of wider listening and do the same for this. Use the diary to make notes. All of the clips are available on youtube / Spotify.

Vocal Music		
Set work	Suggested wider listening	Other suggested wider listening
<p>J.S. Bach - Cantata, Ein feste Burg, BWV 80: Movements 1, 2, 8</p> <p>Vaughan Williams - On Wenlock Edge: Nos. 1, 3 and 5 (On Wenlock Edge, Is my team ploughing? and Bredon Hill)</p>	<p>Handel - Messiah: Surely he hath borne, And with his stripes, Hallelujah, Worthy is the Lamb and Amen</p> <p>Ethel Smyth - Mass in D: Gloria</p> <p>Verdi - Rigoletto: Act III, Nos. 11 and 12</p> <p>Schubert - Selection of Lieder: Erlkönig, An die Musik, Die Forelle, and Der Leiermann (Winterreise, No. 24)</p> <p>Fanny Mendelssohn - Ihr Töne schwingt euch fröhlich (Lied zum Geburtstag des Vaters)</p> <p>Wagner - Die Walküre: Siegmund and Sieglinde (Wie dir die Stirn to Wälsungen-</p>	<p>Oratorio</p> <p>Bach St John Passion St Matthew Passion Christmas Oratorio</p> <p>Handel Israel in Egypt Soloman</p> <p>Haydn The Creation</p> <p>Felix Mendelssohn Elijah</p> <p>Elgar Dream of Gerontius</p> <p>Cantata</p> <p>Bach Wie schön leuchtet der Morgenstern BWV 1</p>

	<p>Blut! and orchestral postlude)</p> <p>Verdi - Rigoletto: Act III, Nos. 11 and 12</p>	<p>Christ unser Herr zum Jordan kam BWV 7 Was Gott tut, das ist wohlgetan BWV 98</p> <p>Telemann Die Donner-Ode ("The Ode of Thunder") TWV 6:3a-b Du bleibest dennoch unser Gott (Erstausgabe 1730)</p> <p>Opera</p> <p>Purcell Dido and Aeneas The Fairy Queen</p> <p>Mozart Cosi Fan Tutti The Marriage of Figaro Don Giovanni</p> <p>Rossini The Barber of Seville</p> <p>Verdi La Traviata Nabucco Falstaff Aida Otello</p> <p>Puccini La bohème Madama Butterfly Tosca Turandot</p> <p>Wagner The Ring Cycle</p> <p>Lieder/English Song</p> <p>Schumann</p>
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Dichterliebe
Frauenliebe und -leben
Leiderkreis op.24 and op.39

Schubert

Die schöne Müllerin,

Finzi

Before and After Summer

Let Us Garlands Bring

Earth and Air and Rain

Vaughan Williams

Songs of Travel,

Gurney

5 Elizabethan Songs

Desire in Spring

In Flanders

Loveliest of Trees

Butterworth

Six Songs from a Shropshire Lad

Instrumental Music

Set work	Edexcel: suggested wider listening	Other suggested wider listening
<p>Clara Wieck-Schumann - Piano Trio in G minor, Op. 17: movement 1</p> <p>Berlioz - Symphonie Fantastique: Movement</p>	<p>Cécile Chaminade - Concertino for flute and orchestra: Op. 107</p> <p>Beethoven - String Quartet in C, Op. 59 No. 3: movements 3 and 4</p> <p>Chopin - Ballade No.4 in F minor, Op. 52</p> <p>Haydn - Symphony No. 6 in D: movements 1 and 4</p> <p>Amy Beach - Gaelic Symphony, Op.32: movement 1</p>	<p>Concerti</p> <p>Corelli 12 Concerti Grossi Op.6</p> <p>Bach Brandenburg Concerti BWV 1046–1051 Double Violin Concerto in D minor BWV 1043</p> <p>Vivaldi The Four Seasons Op.8</p> <p>Mozart Oboe Concerto in C K314 Clarinet Concerto in A Major K622</p> <p>Beethoven Any of his Piano Concerti</p> <p>Grieg Piano Concerto in A minor Op.16</p> <p>Chopin 2 Piano Concerti</p> <p>Mendelssohn Violin Concerto in E minor Op.64</p> <p>Rachmaninov Piano Concerto No.1, Op.1 Piano Concerto No.2, Op.18</p> <p>Solo Piano</p> <p>Mozart Piano Sonatas</p> <p>Beethoven</p>

Piano Sonatas

Chopin

Nocturnes

Waltzes

Preludes

Fantasie Impromptu op.66

Rachmaninov

Piano Preludes

Chamber Music with Piano

Mozart

Piano Trio in E major K542

Beethoven

Piano Trio in D major Op.70 No.1

R. Schumann

Piano Trio in D minor No. 1 Op.63

Brahms

Clarinet trio in A minor Op.114

Tchaikovsky

Piano trio in A minor Op.50

Poulenc

Sextet for Piano and Winds Op.100

Symphonies

Any by the following: Mozart, Haydn, Beethoven, Tchaikovsky, Brahms, Dvorjak, Mahler

Music for Film

Set work	Edexcel: suggested wider listening	Other suggested wider listening
<p>Danny Elfman - Batman Returns: Main theme (Birth of a Penguin Part II), Birth of a Penguin Part I, Rise and fall from grace, and Batman vs the Circus</p> <p>Bernard Herrmann - Psycho: Prelude, The City, Marion, The Murder (Shower Scene), The Toys, The Cellar, Discovery, Finale</p>	<p>Max Steiner - King Kong</p> <p>Ennio Morricone - Once upon a time in the West</p> <p>John Williams - Schindler's List</p> <p>Debbie Wiseman - Wilde</p> <p>Hans Zimmer and Lisa Gerrard - Gladiator</p> <p>Toru Takemitsu - Black Rain</p>	<p>John Williams Jaws Harry Potter Star Wars Indiana Jones E.T Jurassic Park Catch Me if You Can</p> <p>Howard Shore Lord of the Rings</p> <p>Stanley Myers The Deer Hunter</p> <p>John Barry Out of Africa</p> <p>Bernard Herrman The Birds (this is another Hitchcock/Herrmann collaboration)</p> <p>Rachel Portman Mona Lisa Smile</p> <p>Danny Elfman Good Will Hunting</p>

Popular Music and Jazz

Set work	Edexcel: suggested wider listening	Other suggested wider listening
<p>Courtney Pine - Back in the Day: Inner state (of mind), Lady Day and (John Coltrane), and Love and affection</p> <p>Kate Bush - Hounds of Love: Cloudbusting, And dream of sheep, and Under ice</p> <p>Beatles - Revolver Eleanor Rigby, Here, there and everywhere, I want to tell you, and Tomorrow never knows</p>	<p>Charles Mingus - Blues and Roots</p> <p>Carole King - Tapestry</p> <p>Jay Z - Blueprint 3</p> <p>Björk - Vulnicura</p> <p>Michael Jackson - Thriller</p> <p>Bix Beiderbecke - Jazz Me Blues</p>	<p><u>Jazz</u> Any tracks by the following: Charlie Parker Miles Davis Kyle Eastwood Duke Ellington Oscar Peterson Count Basie Sidney Bechet John Coltrane Herbie Hancock Dizzy Gillespie Thelonius Monk Ronnie Scott Gordon Beck Kenny Wheeler Monty Alexander Chet Baker John Taylor (pianist) Dave Brubeck Milt Jackson</p> <p>Mr Cullum says I have to put Maynard Ferguson, Bob Curnow, Louis Armstrong, Gordon Goodwin, James Morrison</p> <p><u>“Popular”</u> Any albums by the following:</p>

		<p>The Rolling Stones The Beach Boys Elvis Presley Bob Dylan The Who Pink Floyd Jimi Hendrix Aretha Franklin The Kinks Led Zepplin The Supremes Ray Charles Stevie Wonder The Monkees Jackson Five Johnny Cash Otis Reading David Bowie Elton John Bee Gees Fleetwod Mac Queen Diana Ross Aerosmith Billy Joel Earth, Wind and Fire ABBA Joni Mitchell Eric Clapton Blondie Prince Wham!</p>
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Fusions

Set work	Edexcel: suggested wider listening	Other suggested wider listening
<p>Debussy - Estampes Nos. 1 and 2 (Pagodes and La soirée dans Grenade)</p> <p>Anoushka Shankar - Breathing Under Water: Burn, Breathing Under Water and Easy</p>	<p>Afro Celt Sound System - Volume 2: Release: Eireann and Riding the waves</p> <p>Villa Lobos - Bachianas Brasileiras No. 2 and No. 5</p> <p>R. Rahman - Jai ho (You are my destiny)</p> <p>Gloria Estefan - Mi Tierra</p> <p>Robert Glasper Experiment - Black Radio: Afro Blue</p> <p>Sara Tavares - Xinti</p>	

New Directions

Set work	Edexcel: suggested wider listening	Other suggested wider listening
<p>Kaija Saariaho - Petals for Violoncello and Live Electronics</p> <p>Stravinsky - The Rite of Spring: Introduction, The Augurs of Spring, and Ritual of Abduction</p>	<p>Karlheinz Stockhausen - Gesang der Junglinge</p> <p>Pierre Boulez - Structures: 1a</p> <p>Peter Maxwell Davies - Eight Songs for a Mad King: Nos. 6–8</p> <p>Unsuk Chin - Alice in Wonderland: The Mad Tea Party</p> <p>Olivier Messiaen - Des Canyons aux étoiles: Nos. 8 and 10</p> <p>Tansy Davies - Re-greening for a large orchestra</p>	<p>Schoenberg Pierrot Lunaire</p> <p>Berio Visage Sequenza's Folk Songs</p> <p>Berberian Stripsody</p> <p>Ligeti Any of the String Quartets Lux Aeterna</p> <p>Takemitsu Between Tides for Cello, Violin and Piano Nostalgia</p> <p>Stockhausen Oktophonie Momente Ypsilon</p> <p>Webern Symphonie Op.21 Five Movements for String Quartet Op.5</p> <p>Messiaen Quartet for the End of Time Vingt Regards Sur L'enfant Jésus</p> <p>Cage 4'33 Dream</p>

In A Landscape

Rautavaara

Piano Concerto No.1

Saariaho

Laterna Magica

Lichtbogen

Prelude for Piano

Orion for Large Orchestra

Stravinsky

Firebird

Pulcinella

Petrushka

Birtwistle

An Imaginary Landscape

Cortege for 14 Musicians

Penderecki

Threnody for the Victims of Hiroshima

Steve Reich

Different Trains

Xenakis

Saxophone Quartet

Metastasis

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Reading list

Try and read one book from each of the following suggestions. Some are easier to read than others. All are available from public libraries.

Baroque Period	<p>https://www.britannica.com/art/Baroque-music http://www.newworldencyclopedia.org/entry/Baroque_Music http://www.baroquemusic.org/ Renaissance and baroque music - F.Blume The Baroque Concerto - A. Hutchings The History of Baroque Music - G.Buelow Music of the Baroque - D.Schulenberg</p>
Classical Music	<p>Classical music - Eyewitness Companions- K Dorling Classical music - Teach Yourself Series - S Collins Classical music : Orchestral The Listener's guides to Music - A.Rich Classical Music for Dummies - D. Pogue The Rough Guide to Classical Music - J.Staines Get Started in Classical Music - S.Collins Classical music : The Rough Guide Classical music on CD - J. Staines The Ultimate Encyclopedia of Classical Music - R.Ainsley The Complete Guide to Classical Music - J.Burrows</p>
Romantic Music	<p>Music in the Romantic era - A.Einstein Vindications : essays on romantic music - D.Cooke Romantic music : A concise history from Schubert to Sibelius. - A.Whittall The Romantic Generation - Charles Rosin Classical and Romantic Music - F.Blume</p>

Film Music	A History of Film Music - M.Cooke Settling the Score - K.Kalinik Film Music: A very short introduction - K.Kalinik
Popular Music and Jazz	Genre in Popular Music - F.Holt Popular Music and Society - B.Longhurst Popular Music Culture - R.Shuker Understanding Popular Music - R.Shuker Studying Popular Music Culture - T.Wall Faking It: The Quest for Authenticity in Popular Music - Y.Taylor Jazz World of Art - M.Cooke
New Directions	The Rest is Noise - A.Ross Music in the 20th century from Debussy through Stravinsky - W.Weaver Twentieth Century Music - Burbank Modern Composers - W.Thompson Jazz: A History - T. Frank