

Syllabus List

Report selections

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Instrument Sound	Acoustic Grand Piano	Drum Sound	Acoustic Snare
Metronome start of bar sound	Hi Wood Block	Metronome beat sound	Low Wood Block
Random Instrument Sounds	NO		
US Rhythm Terminology	NO	UK Rhythm Terminology	YES

Advanced Note Reading

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Identify or click in pitches on the treble, bass, alto or tenor clef, including accidentals, up to 4 ledger lines above or below the staff.

Beaming

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Beam the notes in the displayed extract. Extracts will be 4 bars long in 2/4, 3/4, 4/4, 6/8, and 9/8, and include the following values : crotchets, quavers, semiquavers, dotted quavers, and dotted crotchets.

Cadences

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An extract is played containing 1 cadence. Identify perfect, plagal, imperfect, and interrupted cadences in major and minor keys.

Chords

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Major - all inversions, Minor - all inversions, Dominant 7th - all inversions, Diminished, Diminished 7th, Augmented, Major 7, Minor 7.

Concepts

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Define musical concepts relating to form, harmony, melody, rhythm, instruments, style, articulation, composition and dynamics.

Diatonic Chords

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Identify or click in tonic, supertonic, subdominant, dominant, submediant and leading note chords in all inversions, in major and minor keys with up to 4 #'s and b's, on the treble or bass clef.

Instrument Knowledge

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Questions relating to sound production, instrument family, clef, shape, pitch, playing position, material, strings and tuning for the following instruments : acoustic guitar, alto saxophone, baritone saxophone, bass drum, bassoon, castanets, cello, clarinet, cor anglais, cowbell, cymbals, double bass, electric bass, electric guitar, flute, French horn, glockenspiel, gong, harp, oboe, piano, piccolo, side drum, soprano saxophone, tambourine, tenor saxophone, timpani, triangle, trombone, trumpet, tuba, vibraphone, viola, violin, and xylophone.

Instrument Recognition

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Aurally identify the following instruments : acoustic guitar, agogo, alto saxophone, baritone saxophone, bass drum, bassoon, castanets, cello, clarinet, congas, cor anglais, cowbell, cymbals, double bass, drum kit, electric bass, electric guitar, euphonium, flute, French horn, glockenspiel, gong, harp, harpsichord, marimba, oboe, organ, piano, piccolo, recorder, side drum, soprano saxophone, tambourine, tenor saxophone, timpani, triangle, trombone, trumpet, tuba, vibraphone, viola, violin, and xylophone.

Intervals

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Identify or click in Perfect - 4ths, 5ths, octaves, Major - 2nds, 3rds, 6ths, 7ths, Minor - 2nds, 3rds, 6ths, 7ths, augmented 4ths and diminished 5ths.

Key Signatures

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Identify or click in the key signature on the treble or bass clef, or identify the relative major/minor of a given key, for major or minor keys with up to 4 #s and bs.

Meter Recognition

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Identify the meter, or click in the barlines. Includes extracts of 4 bars in 2/4, 3/4, 4/4, 6/8, 9/8, and 12/8 including semiquavers, quavers, dotted quavers, crotchets, dotted crotchets, minims.

Modulation

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Major Tonic - Dominant, Major Tonic - Subdominant, Major - Relative Minor, Minor - Relative Major, Minor tonic - Minor dominant, Minor tonic - Minor subdominant. Identify the modulation type or identify the new key center. Starting key - up to 4 sharps or flats.

Ornaments

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Select how the given ornament would be performed. Included ornaments are : trill, turn, inverted turn, upper and lower mordent, acciaccatura, appoggiatura. Extracts will include compound meters and different tempos.

Scale Degrees

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Identify the scale degrees in the displayed extract. Extracts will be 4 bars long in major and minor keys with up to 4 #s and bs, and will include all scale degrees.

Scales

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Identify or click in aeolian, blues, chromatic, dorian, harmonic minor, locrian, lydian, melodic minor, minor pentatonic, major, mixolydian, pentatonic, phrygian, and wholetone, scales.

Symbols

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Identify the following symbols : accent, alto clef, bass clef, coda, crescendo, da capo, dal segno, decrescendo, fermata, forte, forte-piano, fortissimo, glissando, grace note, inverted mordent, tenuto, mezzo forte, mezzo piano, mordent, pianissimo, piano, sforzando, tenor clef, treble clef, trill, triplet, turn, staccato.

Terms

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Define the following terms : accelerando, adagio, allargando, allegro, andante, arco, col legno, con sordino, crescendo, diminuendo, forte, fortissimo, largo, legato, mezzo forte, mezzo piano, moderato, piano, pianissimo, pizzicato, presto, ritardando, rallentando, rubato, sforzando, staccato, subito, tremolo, tutti, vivace.