

# Musical genres

«..When words leave off, music begins...»



# Music: what is it ?

Music is a combination of pleasant sounds.

Music is a part of history

Music from old times has become the great cultural heritage to us

It's an art which reflects our life

REFLECT - отражать

APPEARED - появилось

HERITAGE - наследие

GENERATION - поколение

"Music is the universal language of mankind"-  
Henry Longfellow

Do you play any musical instrument?  
What kind of music do you prefer?  
Have you got MP3-player?

flute



drums



The violin

The guitar



The piano



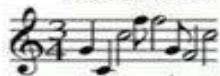
# Vocabulary

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## MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS



conductor



musical notes

maracas



zither



banjo



harp



conga



timpani



flute



trumpet



French horn



clarinet



trombone



bassoon



tuba



guitar



bass guitar



triangle



cymbal



drums



hi-hat

snare drum

bass drum

tabla



oboe



djembe



bongo



marimba



vibraphone



violin



cello



double bass



jew's harp



pipe



synthesizer



organ



piano



bell



## Ex.1 p.76 ( S. b.)

Listen and match the music extracts  
(1-4) to the types of music below.

1. jazz
2. reggae
3. classical
4. rock



## What types of music do you prefer ?

1. Country music
2. Jazz
3. Classical music
4. Pop music
5. Hard rock
6. Rock opera
7. Rap
8. Hip hop and ...

..I like classical music, I find it's relaxing..  
...I prefer the hip-hop music. It makes me  
want to dance



# Genres of English and American music



# Country music.



**Jimmie  
Rodgers.**

Country music is based on singing and dancing melodies brought to America by early settlers from Europe. On their contents songs and ballads, performed by country-singers are very close to folk-lore. The spirit of country-music is also felt in such musical instruments as guitars and mandolins.

Jimmy Rodgers (born in 1897) is famous as «The singing Brakeman». He was the first star of country music.





# Jazz



**Louis Armstrong**

Jazz is a musical style that originated at the beginning of the 20th century in black communities in the Southern United States. It was born out of a mix of African and European music traditions: Blues; Folk; March; Ragtime.

Louis Armstrong  
(August 4, 1901 - July 6, 1971)  
was an American jazz trumpeter  
and singer from New  
Orleans, Louisiana.



# Classical music

## *Benjamin Britten*



Origins of English music are in the musical culture of the Celts. At the end of the 6<sup>th</sup> century church choral music is developing which is associated with the formation of professional art. The main tools for the classical music are piano, flute, oboe, clarinet, brass instruments. One of the classical English composers is Benjamin Britten (1913 - 1976).

Benjamin Britten was a composer, a pianist and a conductor



# Pop-music

*Madonna*



Pop music is a genre of modern mass culture. Main features of pop-music are melody, rhythm and less attention to instrumental part. The texts of pop-music are usually simple and devoted to personal feelings. For the 1st time the term "pop-music" appeared in English in 1926. But the roots of this music are in folk music, romances and ballads. In the USA such stars as Prince and Madonna appear.



# Hard Rock

## *Linkin Park*

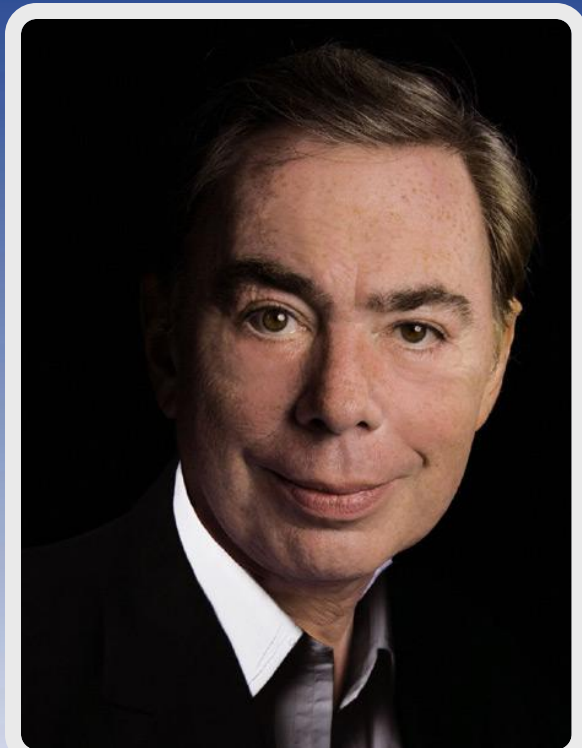


Hard Rock is a genre of rock music, characterized by the central role of the lead guitarist and compositions. Hard Rock was born in 1960, and its heyday was in the 1970s with the participation of groups like Deep Purple, Black Sabbath and Rainbow. From hard rock in the middle of the 70 began "metal" music. The term "hard rock" is "Classic" hard rock took shape in the late 1960's - early 1970's in the UK. Classic hard rock differs from the heavy metal through more melodic sound. Linkin Park - an American alternative rock band founded in 1996 under the name Xero. In 1999 under the name Linkin Park the group was twice awarded with "Grammy."



# Rock Opera

## *Andrew Lloyd Webber*



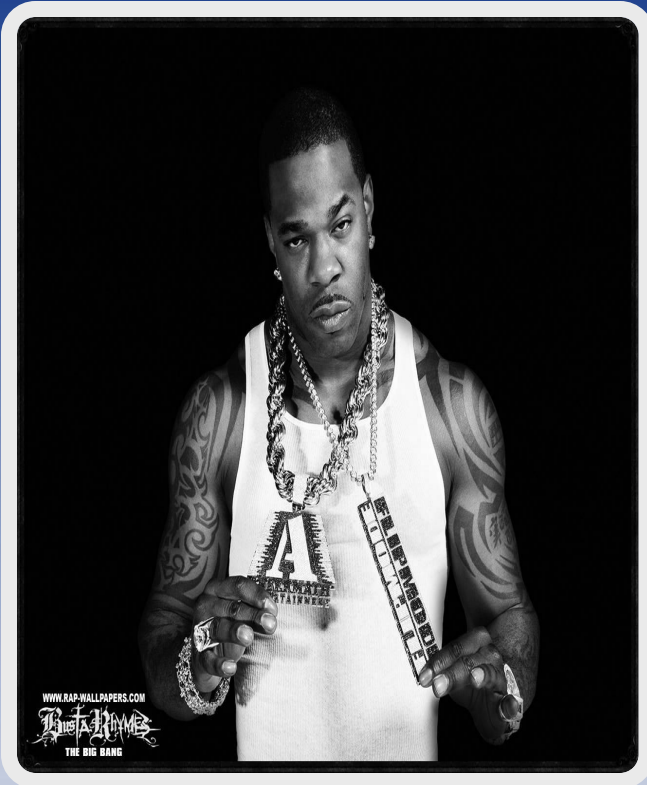
Opera is a genre of music and drama, in which the content embodied the medium of musical drama, mainly through vocal music. Rock Opera is a symbiosis of Rock and Opera music.

Andrew Lloyd Webber is an English composer, the elder son of the organist William Lloyd Webber and brother of the cellist Julian Lloyd Webber. He created 18 musicals( among them are "The Cats, "Jesus Christ Superstar"( together with Rice), "Evita", "Wizard of Oz, " "Phantom of the Opera."



# Rap

## Busta Rhymes



Rap appeared in the 1970s among African - Americans in Bronx district. The father of rap was DJ Kool Herc. Rap was originally read not for commercial purposes but for fun .

A talented rapper of Jamaican Descent, Busta Rhymes (Trevor Smith) was born in Brooklyn, in May 20, 1972 . He began reading rap at the age of 12. Older rappers saw his great abilities and helped him.



# Hip-hop

***Kool Herc***



Hip-hop is a music genre or musical form, which is a combination of rhythmic music, and recitative. Sometimes with the presence of melodic verse Hip-hop music is a combination of two musical elements of the subculture of hip-hop.

Subculture of hip-hop was born in 1974 in the African-American and Latino neighborhoods Bronx. Hip-hop developed in the streets of New York.



# Vocabulary, new words

**Listen** – (often with to) to give attention so as to hear ( what something is saying)

**Hear** – to be able to receive sounds by ear



**Tune** – musical notes put together in a particular order

**Melody** – the principal part in piece of music

**Humming** - to make a musical sound with closed lips

**Singing** – the art or activity of making musical sounds with one's voice

**Line** - row of written or printed words

**Verse** – a number of lines of poetry , grouped together a forming a separate unit within the song

**Practice** – to do exercises to improve one's performance in a particular skill

**Training** – preparation for a sport

**Turn down** – to reduce ( the level of noise) produced by something

**Turn off** – to cause ( something) to stop working by switching it off



## Ex.2p.76 S.b

Complete with the words in brackets.

1. **Listen** to that noise. Can you **hear** anything? (**listen\hear**)

2. I really like the theme **tune** to that soap opera. It's got a really nice melody. (**tune\melody**)

3. "Why do you keep **humming** that song? "Well, I'm **singing**. It at the concert next week." (**singing\humming**)

4. Do you remember the words of the first line of the second **verse** of that song? (**line\verse**)

5. I can't go to weight **training** with you today because I've got music **practice** . (**practice\training**)

6. **Turn down** the music or I will come and **turn off** it .(**turn down\turn off**)

# Answer the questions



1. What is your favourite sort of music ?
2. Do the people you live with and your close friends share the same tastes in music with you ?
3. When and where do you listen to music ?
4. If you can choose one musical instrument to be able to play brilliantly, what instrument would it be?
5. Do you like having background music while you are working ?
6. How often do you go to the concerts?

Can you guess the answer to this riddle?

The riddle is a puzzle use in the form of a question, which describes an object, a person in a mysterious way.



What can run but never walks ?  
Has a mouth but never talks ?  
Has a bed but never sleeps ?  
Has a head but never weeps- (cries) ?



# Ex.5 p.77 (S.b.)

Read again and complete the sentences

1.Next week Dan is going to

See the Foo Fighters

2.Dan invites

Andy to go with him

3.Andy likes

Music you can dance to

4.Andy is going to

Kanye West concert

5.Andy asks Dan

To go with him

## Ex.8 p.77 (S.b.)

You will hear five speakers. Read the statements A-E  
Listen and match each speaker to the correct  
statement.

Speaker	1	2	3	4	5
Statement	c	b	d	e	a



Think about 10 phrases you have learnt in this lesson. Make sentences using them.

1. I'm not keen on
2. I listen to
3. I'm crazy about
4. I'm really into
5. It's really my kind of thing.
6. To be honest, I hate
7. I prefer
8. I don't like
9. I hate
10. I like



Which emotions do you feel ?  
I feel.....

## Positive emotions

Satisfaction  
Happiness  
Joy  
Success  
Proud  
Surprise

## Negative emotions

Sad  
Boredom  
Irritation  
Sadness  
Fear

Why ?

Because I :

I was bored  
I was active  
Worked hard  
Receive good mark



Music is the ocean  
That pulls me to the shore.  
Music is the rhythm  
That moves me to the core.  
Music is the therapy  
I need when I feel blue.  
Music lifts my spirits  
To make sure I pull through  
The times when I'm most cheerful,  
It's clear music was there.  
Music is the needed friend  
When no one seems to care.





Thank you for your  
attention!

