

# **Music Summer Challenge**

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Before you begin Year 7, complete as many of the following musical challenges as you would like to over the summer holidays.

### **⋒ LISTEN**

### ✓ 1. Discover 5 Genres

Listen to five different styles of music (e.g. classical, jazz, pop, rock, folk, reggae). Write the name of one piece or song from each style and what you thought of it.

### 2. Global Beats

Find one piece of music from another country and describe the instruments you hear.

### PERFORM

# 3. Play or Sing a Song

Perform a song on an instrument or with your voice. You can perform solo, with family, or with friends.

### ✓ 4. Create Your Own Instrument

Make a simple instrument at home (e.g., shaker, drum, or rubber band guitar). Name it and demonstrate how it works to a friend or someone in your family.

### **GREATE**

### **5.** Write Your Own Music

Compose a short piece of music using any method – you can draw it as a graphic score, use a music app, or write lyrics to a new song.

## 6. Music Diary

Keep a short diary, writing down what music you hear (in shops, on TV, on the radio, etc.) and how it made you feel.