



Power drums – feel the rhythm

An English workshop with power drum-coach Hermann Hombauer

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Hermann's Biography

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Hermann used to be a successful banker who worked so hard that he suffered from burnout one day. He found a new hobby which he made his profession – drumming. Now he is living his dream as a coach, trainer and musician who is able to share his experience and skills with adults and students both at home and abroad.

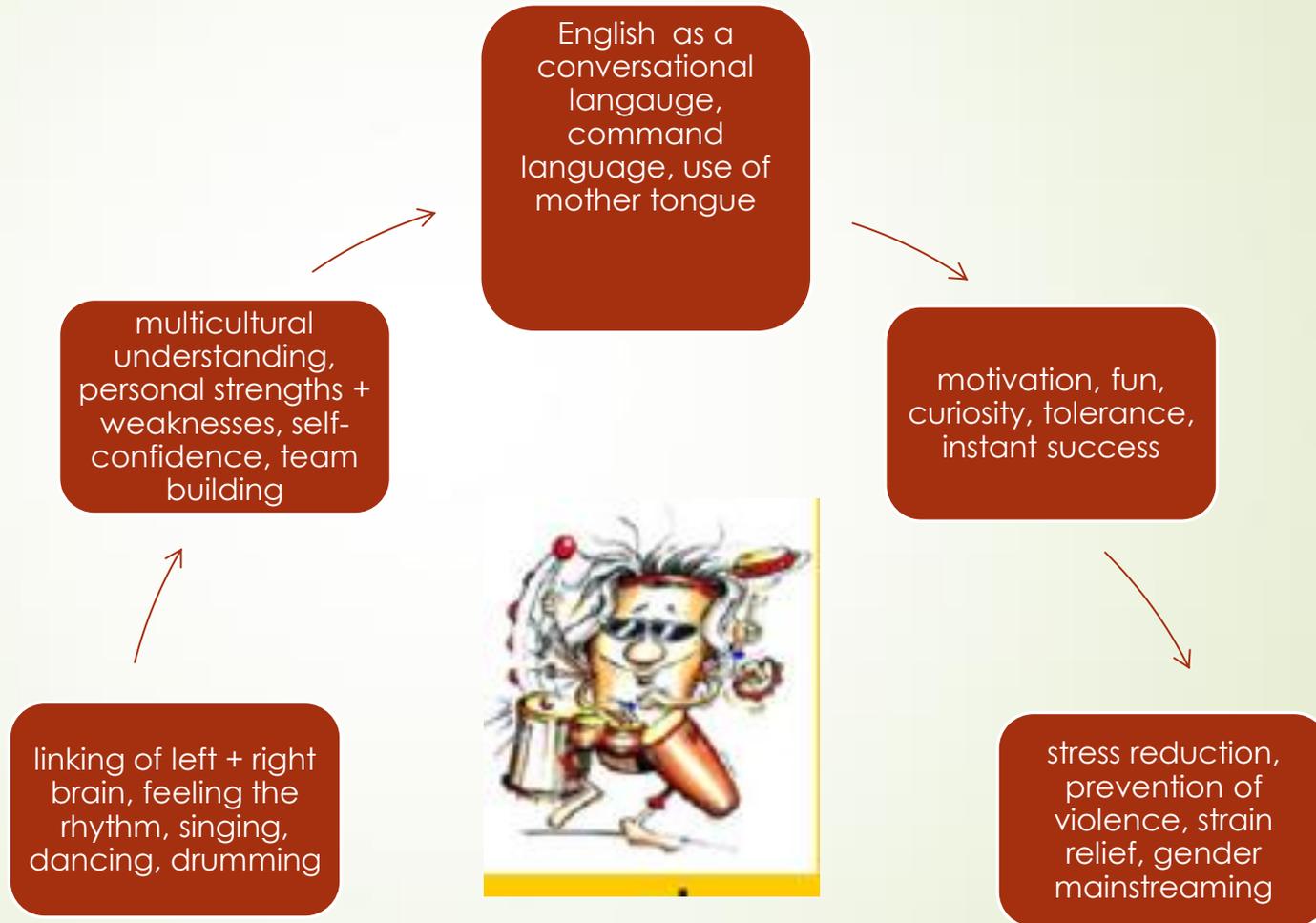
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Why should I try playing the drums???

Interdisciplinary learning





Useful vocabulary: music

- ▶ to start playing an instrument
- ▶ to play on the drums, to drum, to be successful as a drummer
- ▶ chill out instead of burn-out
- ▶ to feel the rhythm, the beat
- ▶ to become a professional singer
- ▶ to write music
- ▶ Can you read music?
- ▶ to be in time/out of time, to beat time, to give the beat, to fall into step
- ▶ to be very popular and famous

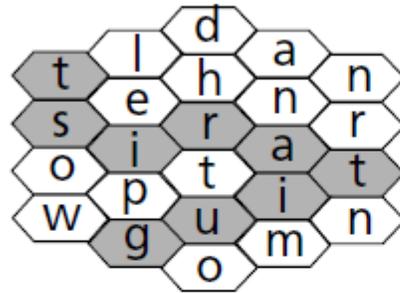


Know your music

- ▶ Find the answers to these musical definitions hidden in the hexagons
 - ▶ Test your knowledge in the music quiz
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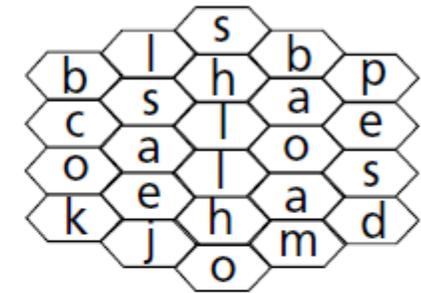
In a pop group this person is the lead, bass or rhythm

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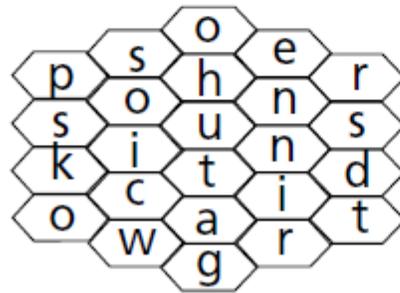
A slow, romantic sentimental song is a

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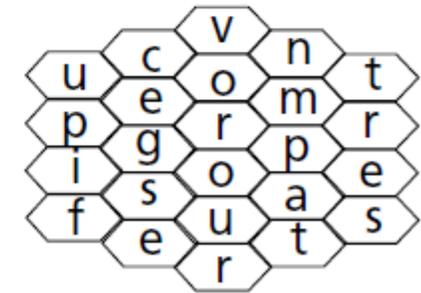
The music written to accompany a film is a

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A person who writes classical music is a

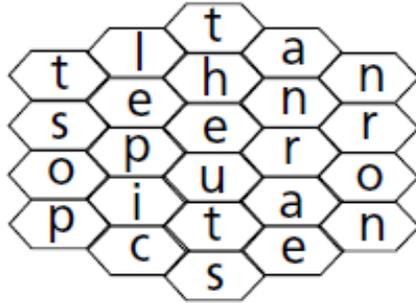
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A musical drama with an orchestra and singers is an

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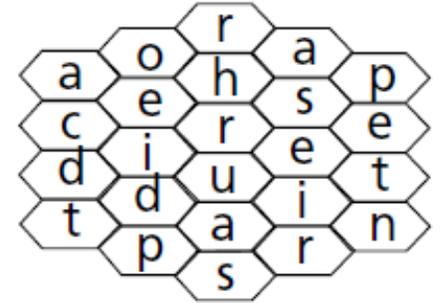
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When two singers sing together it's a

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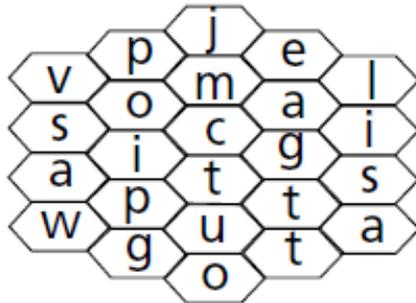
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The person in a band who sings is a

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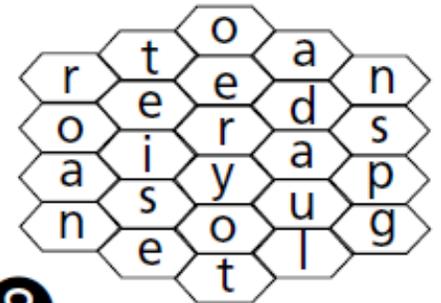
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A political or social spoken word song with drum machines is

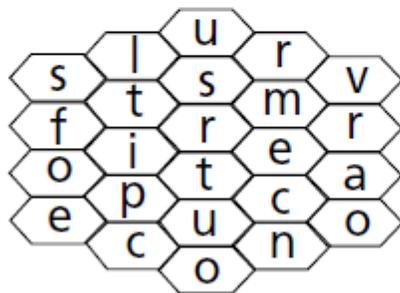
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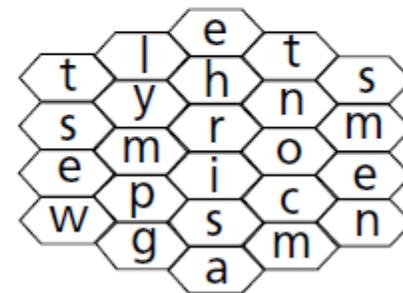
9. A live musical performance is a

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10. The words to a song are called

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MUSIC QUIZ

1. Which famous British pop group was made up of John Lennon, Paul McCartney, George Harrison and Ringo Starr?
2. Who composed *The Four Seasons*: Vivaldi or Beethoven?
3. Did Louis Armstrong play the trumpet or the piano?
4. Liam Gallagher is the lead singer for which band? REM or Oasis?
5. Celine Dion sang on the soundtrack for which Oscar-winning film?
6. He's a singer and an actor famous for *Men in Black*. Is his name Michael Jackson or Will Smith?
7. What nationality is the opera singer Luciano Pavarotti?
8. Is the national anthem for Great Britain *God Save Everybody* or *God Save the Queen*?
9. Was Bob Marley a folk singer or a reggae singer?
10. At Christmas people sing special songs called Christmas carols. True or false?



The power of music...

AND YOU?

1. My favourite type of music is
2. I like this type of music because
3. My least favourite type of music is
because
4. I listen to music
every day/from time to time/rarely/never.
5. My favourite song is

6. The last CD I got was
7. The last concert I went to was
..... / I haven't been to a concert,
but I would like to see
8. If I could meet a famous musician, I would like to
meet



ORF Video link

<http://www.power-drums.com/index.php?sec=teamb>



Solutions

- ▶ 1 guitarist
- ▶ 2 soundtrack
- ▶ 3 opera
- ▶ 4 vocalist
- ▶ 5 ballad
- ▶ 6 composer
- ▶ 7 duet
- ▶ 8 rap
- ▶ 9 concert
- ▶ 10 lyrics