ENGLAND GCSE MUSIC EDEXCEL · UNIT 3 · 10 QUESTIONS

Music for Stage and Screen — Practice Test

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1 **Headphones rest on a desk beside a laptop. Which song from Wicked is an Edexcel set work?**

- A For Good
- B Defying Gravity
- C Popular
- D The Wizard and I

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2 **A conductor baton rests on a shelf beside a score. What is a pit orchestra?**

- A An orchestra with no players, which can happen in some cases
- B The orchestra in the theatre pit that accompanies a musical
- C An orchestra in the audience
- D An orchestra on the stage

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3 **What is a cue in film music?**

A A kind of costume

B A long song with words, which can happen in some cases

C A type of camera

D A short piece of music for a moment in a film

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4 **What form is the Star Wars Main Title in?**

A Rondo form

B Ternary form

C Binary form, in some situations

D Sonata form

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5 **Which other film score did John Williams compose?**

- A Jaws
- B The Lord of the Rings
- C Pirates of the Caribbean
- D Titanic

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6 **What is a fanfare?**

- A A short loud brass flourish
- B A quiet string melody, in some situations
- C A sung chorus
- D A drum solo

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7 **From which film is the Star Wars set work?**

- A Star Wars Episode IV A New Hope
- B Star Wars Episode VI Return of the Jedi
- C Star Wars Episode I The Phantom Menace
- D Star Wars Episode V The Empire Strikes Back

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8 **Which tempo feature is heard in Defying Gravity?**

- A No tempo at all
- B A fixed drum loop
- C Rubato
- D A metronome beat

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9 **Which family plays the lyrical theme in the middle section of the Main Title?**

- A Woodwind
- B Percussion
- C Brass
- D Strings

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10 **Where does Defying Gravity come in the musical Wicked?**

- A In the middle of Act 2
- B At the start of Act 1
- C At the end of Act 1
- D At the end of Act 2

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ANSWER KEY

1. B
2. B
3. D
4. B
5. A
6. A
7. A
8. C
9. D
10. C

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