

Subject Spotlight Lesson Plan

Title of Session	Subject Spotlight: Music - Movie Music Magic!
Description:	This workshop is designed to explore and highlight the importance of music in films. It will focus on two scenes from Harry Potter and Star Wars to show music can subtly alter the perception of a character, mood and emotions in film. Through three exciting tasks students will explore their own ideas of what is happening in two short clips both musically and dramatically and, by the end of the workshop, will be able to musically identify some key elements to film scoring and apply this knowledge to other musical examples.

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Target Audience:

Regional Progression Framework - Learning Outcomes:

~45 mins

- LO1 Awareness of HE and the different opportunities available. Be able to challenge any myths relating to HE.
- LO2 Identify the link between GCSE attainment and progression opportunities and how these can support life or career goals
- LO5 Learner knows how to research different routes into HE and how to make an application

Gatsby Benchmarks:

Duration of session:

7. Encounters with Further and Higher Education - All students should understand the full range of learning opportunities that are available to them. This includes both academic and vocational routes and learning in schools, colleges, universities and in the workplace.

Timings:	Activity/Task/Information:	Instructions for teacher:	Resources needed:
00:00:00- 00:04:32	IntroductionWhat is this workshop about?		
00:04:33- 00:06:29	Describe music's role in a movie in 3 words	Let video play for as students complete the task. Pause video at 00:06:29 for 1 min and allow students to have a discussion with the person next to them about their answers.	Movie Music worksheet or plain paper
00:06:30- 00:13:37	Guess the FilmMusic sells!	Time to write down their answer is inbuilt to the workshop.	Movie Music worksheet or plain paper
00:13:38- 00:24:45	Describe 2 feelings/moods that the music suggests in the clip shown in video (Star Wars)	Pause video at 00:15:53 and allow students to note down answers for 1 min. Then discuss with others for 1 min.	
00:24:46- 00:31:55	 Describe 2 features of the music shown in the clip (Harry Potter) 	Pause video at 00:27:12 and give students 1 minute to answer the questions in the video and 1 minute to discuss with their peers.	
00:31:55-	 Summary of workshop 		

Overview of all resources:		
Movie Magic Worksheet (Or plain paper if unable to print it)		
Pen or coloured pens		
Resources to share with students	Film Score Analysis YouTube Channel:	
	 https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=L 8-dWSLDWI 	
	Sidways (YouTube Channel for Film Music)	
	 https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCk_jzTmW2Fmfnm70c2kZHpQ 	
	Studying Music at Uni	
	 https://www.ucas.com/explore/subjects/music 	
	What can I do with a Music degree?	
	 https://www.prospects.ac.uk/careers-advice/what-can-i-do-with- 	
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