

Music Explorers



Johann Pachelbel
1653-1706

In school, we are listening to Pachelbel's *Canon in D*. Pachelbel is a German composer and his compositions have inspired lots of music today. What can you find out about Johann Pachelbel?

Activities

13th October 2023-27th October 2023

Create a fact file on Pachelbel.

10 credits.

Possible opportunities:

- Chance to present fact file to class/school
- Chance to earn a certificate
- Chance to earn 20 credits
- Chance to have your work on display

Create a mini-model orchestra including instruments that Pachelbel played OR choose one instrument that Pachelbel played and make a model of that.

If you play an instrument then please get in touch!

10 credits.

Possible opportunities:

- Chance to perform instrument to class/school
- Chance to present model to class/school
- Chance to earn 20 credits

What modern day songs have been influenced by Canon in D? Create a poster, including a timeline, of these songs as they have developed. Can you spot similarities and differences?

10 credits.

Possible opportunities:

- Chance to present poster to class/school
- Chance to earn 20 credits
- Chance to have your work on display

The whole of Canon in D is based on 8 notes repeated over and over again. See below.

Can you label these notes? Can you rearrange these notes to make your own composition? You could do this with your voice or an instrument. You might want to add lyrics. The choice is yours.

10 credits.



Possible opportunities:

- Chance to perform to class/school
- Chance to win your composition framed
- Chance to display your work.
- Chance to win 20 credits.

EYFS

Colour the poster that has been sent home. How does this music make you feel?

Possible opportunities:

- Chance to present your poster to class/school
- Chance to win a special certificate

KS1

Draw and write in the inspiration box using the information around it. Can you sing, hum or add lyrics to the melody?

10 credits.

Possible opportunities:

- Chance to present your poster to class/school
- Chance to perform your melody to class/school
- Chance to win a special certificate
- Chance to win 20 credits

Information for Parents

Children can complete as little or as many activities that they wish to take part in. They will receive 10 credits for each activity they complete and the possible opportunities that come with this are listed below. EYFS/KS1: there are specific activities that are more age-related than the other activities but if your child would like to complete the other activities then that is fine too! Likewise, KS2 are more than welcome to complete EYFS/KS1 activities. It is your choice. Have fun, be creative, and get musical!!

EYFS

NAME: _____

DATE: _____

CANON IN D MAJOR

JOHANN PACHELBEL

WHAT DO YOU FEEL? COLOR THE EMOTIONS!



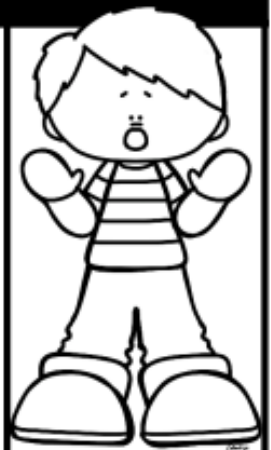
SAD

HAPPY



EXCITED

NERVOUS



SURPRISED

WHAT TYPE OF WEATHER DO YOU IMAGINE?



RAINBOW

LIGHTNING



RAIN



SNOW

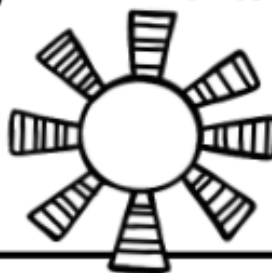
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STORM



SUN



WIND



KCS1

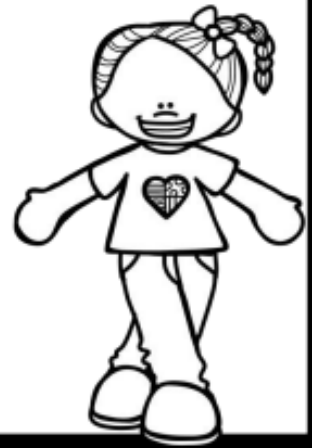
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CANON IN D MAJOR JOHANN PACHELBEL

WHILE LISTENING TO THE SELECTED MUSIC, CIRCLE WHAT YOU FEEL, IMAGINE, AND HEAR. DRAW A SCENE AND COLOR YOUR RATING!

DRAW A SCENE INSPIRED BY THE MUSIC.

WILL YOU USE BRIGHT OR DARK COLORS?



EMOTIONS COLORS INSTRUMENTS NATURE

HAPPY	RED	VIOLIN	TUBA	SUNRISE
SAD	YELLOW	GUITAR	DRUM	SNOWY DAY
NERVOUS	BLUE	HARP	CYMBAL	DARK CLOUDS
HOPEFUL	GREEN	FLUTE	ORGAN	RAINBOW
CALM	BLACK	TRUMPET	CELLO	MUD PUDDLE
JOY	WHITE	HARPSICHORD	OBOE	RAINY DAY
SURPRISE	GRAY	PIANO	BASS	CALM BREEZE

TIME & PERIOD STAR RATING ANIMALS

MORNING	LONG AGO		BEAR	DOG
NIGHT	FUTURE		TIGER	WOLF
PAST	PRESENT		RABBIT	CAT