

Music Genres Individual Assignment

Curriculum Expectations:

- ~analyse some of the social, political and economic factors that affect the creation of music
- ~compare and contrast music from the past and present

Assignment Description:

In this assignment you need to demonstrate an understanding of your music genre.

What makes this genre unique? What makes it different from other genres?

You need to focus on the origins of the genre but also on how it has evolved to current times.

Consider the same areas as in the group assignment.

Who are the pioneers of the genre? (Why are they considered pioneers? What did they do? How did it influence the development of the genre?)

Where did the genre originate and develop? (What was it about these places that led to the origin of or development of the genre? What was happening there? How did it influence the music?)

What are the roots of the genre? (What genres did it develop from? How is it different from those genres?)

Use of instruments? (What instruments are used and how are they used that give the genre a unique sound?)

What are some of the key classic songs of the genre? (Why are they considered classics? What makes them unique and groundbreaking?)

Use the chart to make notes on your genre.

Share your understanding in one of the following ways: (written essay style, google slides, display board, video, game).

The posters and the links on the original group assignment will be invaluable in getting you started.

This assignment is to be completed on your own time.

Make arrangements with Mrs. Coe IN ADVANCE if you wish to stay in at a recess to work on it.

You will be marked on your chart as well as your final product.

DUE DATE: JANUARY 23 Ms. Franceschinis's class

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