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SYMPHONY

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CONCERTS FOR STUDENTS



SOUNDS OF ENCHANTMENT
LEGENDS, FAIRYTALES,
& FOLKTALES IN MUSIC

STUDENT SECTION

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COMPOSER FACT SHEET



GIOACCHINO ROSSINI

Born: February 29, 1792 in Pesaro, Italy

Died: November 13, 1868 in Paris, France

Nationality: Italian

Style/Period: Romantic

Famous Works: William Tell, The Barber of Seville

Fun Facts: Was born on Leap Day. The Overture to William Tell was used as theme song for the TV show *The Lone Ranger*.



FELIX MENDELSSOHN

Born: February 3, 1809 in Hamburg, Germany

Died: November 4, 1847 in Leipzig, Germany

Nationality: German

Style/Period: Romantic

Famous Works: A Midsummer Night's Dream, Songs Without Words

Fun Facts: A child prodigy. Was the first conductor to use a baton. His "Wedding March" is still frequently used in weddings today.



SERGEI PROKOFIEV

Born: April 27, 1891 in Sontsovka, Ukraine

Died: March 5, 1953 in Moscow, Russia

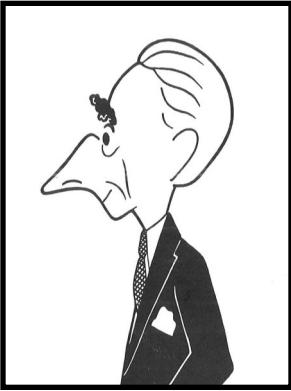
Nationality: Russian

Style/Period: Modern

Famous Works: Cinderella, Peter and the Wolf, Romeo and Juliet

Fun Fact:

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MAURICE RAVEL

Born: March 7, 1875, in Ciboure, France

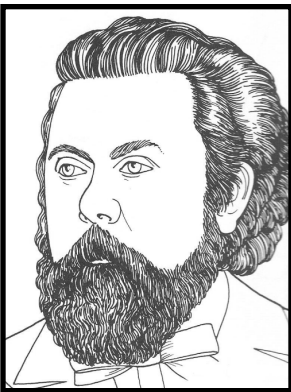
Died: December 28, 1937, in France

Country: France

Period of Music: Romantic (Impressionist style)

Famous for: piano music, chamber music, and orchestral works

Fun Fact: The *Mother Goose Suite* was originally written for two pianos and was not very difficult to play. This was because it was intended to be performed by children, and it was at its premiere.



MODEST MUSSORGSKY

Born: March 9, 1839, in Russia

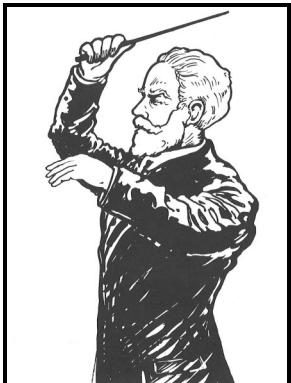
Died: March 16, 1881, in Russia

Country: Russia

Period of Music: Romantic

Famous for: writing Russian nationalist music

Fun Fact: *Night on Bald Mountain* is featured in Disney's *Fantasia*



PYOTR ILYICH TCHAIKOVSKY

Born: May 7, 1840, Votkinsk, Russia

Died: November 6, 1893, St. Petersburg, Russia

Country: Russia

Period of Music: Romantic

Famous for: orchestra, concertos, chamber music, keyboard music, operas

Fun Fact: His "1812 Overture" originally required actual canon fire



JOHN WILLIAMS

Born: February 8, 1932, Long Island, New York

Nationality: American

Style/Period: Modern

Famous Works: Scores for the following movies: *Jaws*, *Close Encounters of the Third Kind*, *ET - the Extraterrestrial*, *Jurassic Park*, *Star Wars*, *Indiana Jones*

Fun Fact: He also composed the themes for the NBC News, the 1987 International Special Olympics, and the 1984, 1988, and 1996 Summer Olympic Games.

HISTORICAL MEASURES WORD SEARCH

B	W	U	J	B	Y	A	N	D	K	N	M	E	S	Q
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M	I	V	L	A	N	I	X	O	S	C	S	A	N	F
I	P	T	I	L	R	E	S	O	I	R	S	T	E	O
K	N	D	O	F	I	S	S	N	M	I	O	Y	G	L
K	N	I	G	M	L	A	D	I	Q	D	R	R	E	K
I	K	E	S	E	T	E	K	L	E	F	G	I	L	T
E	I	M	D	S	R	I	W	T	O	Y	S	A	B	A
S	Y	N	M	E	O	L	E	I	E	I	K	F	A	L
G	E	I	L	G	P	R	W	L	L	L	Y	J	S	E
M	M	L	T	I	M	P	A	N	I	L	L	E	S	W
U	A	V	E	I	F	O	K	O	R	P	I	M	R	C
T	C	H	A	I	K	O	V	S	Y	K	T	A	M	X
T	C	H	E	R	N	O	B	O	G	C	Z	C	M	J
A	D	E	N	O	B	M	O	R	T	K	T	G	L	S

BASS

CHERNOBOG

CINDERELLA

FAIRYTALE

FOLKTALE

INDIANA

JONES

LEGENDS

LEITMOTIF

MENDELSSOHN

MUSSORGSKY

PROKOFIEV

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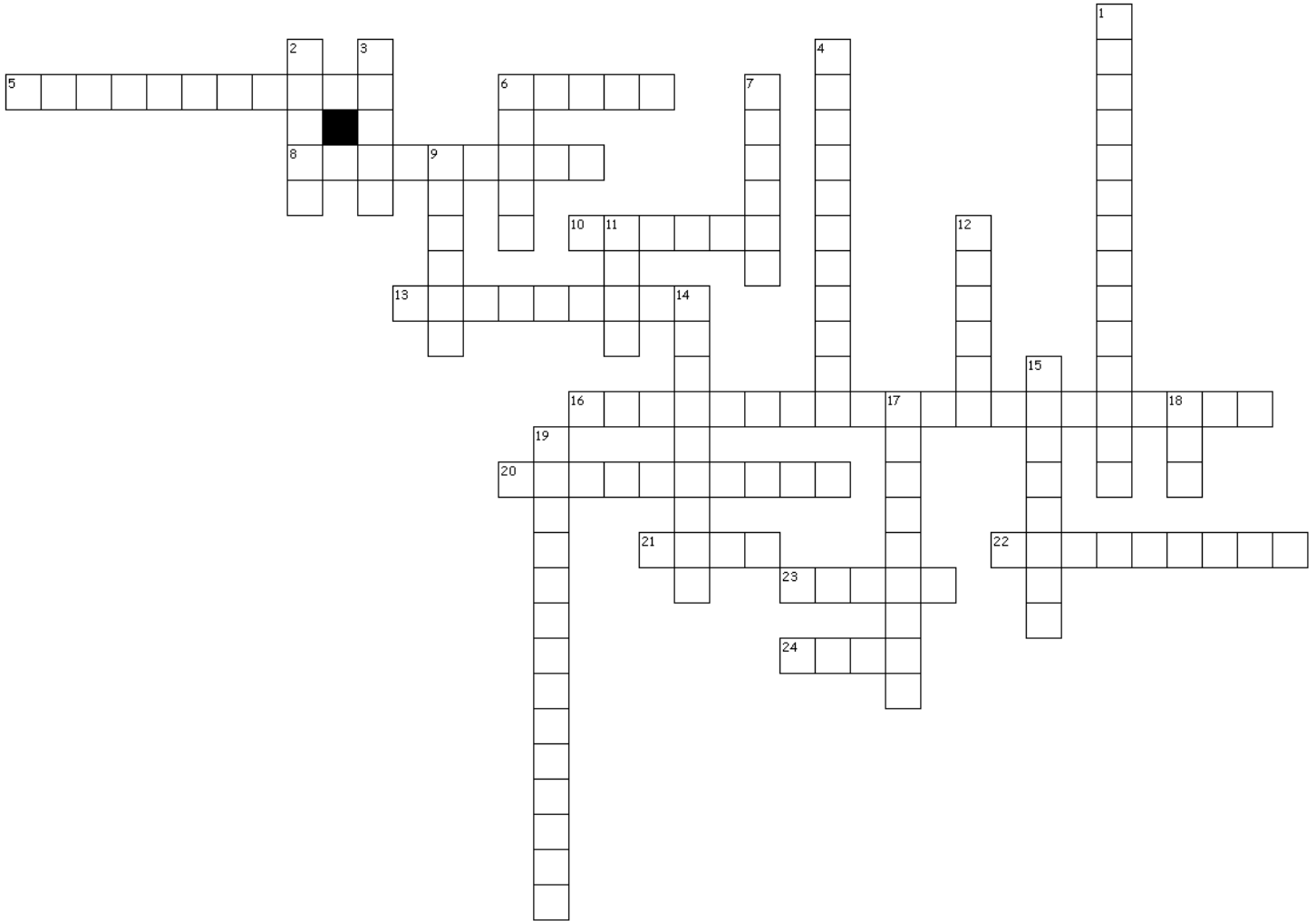
TIMPANI

TROMBONE

WILLIAMS

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Sounds of Enchantment Crossword!



ACROSS

- 5. Mily Balakirev, Cesar Cui, Modest Mussorgsky, Nikolai Rimsky-Korsakov, Alexander Borodin
- 6. a trombone is a member of the ___ family
- 8. a recurring melody associated with a specific character, event, or idea
- 10. Prokofiev died on the same day as Josef ___
- 13. wooden or metal tubes with holes in the tubing, to be covered or uncovered by the fingers and change the pitch
- 16. See 11 down
- 20. Prokofiev wrote music to this Fairytale
- 21. Rossini wrote an Opera about the folk hero William ___
- 22. a story that involves a sequence of episodes that take place in a world that is unreal
- 23. the type of dance Cinderella does at the ball
- 24. Cinderella's ___-mother mistreated her

DOWN

- 1. Ravel originally wrote Ma Mere l'Oye not for Ballet, but for ___
- 2. Alto String Instrument
- 3. A Midsummer Night's Dream was composed by ___ Mendelssohn
- 4. One of the first conductor's to use 6 down
- 6. Conductor's Tool
- 7. a cello is a ___ instrument
- 9. the contrasting theme in Raiders March represents her
- 11. poem told through music
- 12. narrative of human actions that take place within human history
- 14. Prince ___ falls in love with Odette
- 15. Stories of a particular population
- 17. the original pattern or model for similar ideas
- 18. Indiana Jones is looking for the Lost ___
- 19. Who's Arr. Of A Night on Bald Mountain is most often performed

MYTHS, LEGENDS, FAIRY TALES AND FOLK TALES IN MUSIC QUIZ

I. TRUE or FALSE

1. Rossini was born on Leap Day. (TRUE / FALSE)
2. Mendelssohn was the first conductor to use a Baton. (TRUE / FALSE)
3. Tchaikovsky received financial support from a wealthy patron. (TRUE / FALSE)
4. Prokofiev wrote Peter and the Wolf for his son, who wanted to hear the story, but not read it. (TRUE / FALSE)
5. Mussorgsky, though Russian, was not part of the Russian Five. (TRUE / FALSE)
6. Ravel's Mother Goose Suite was originally written as a Ballet. (TRUE / FALSE)
7. A Fairy Tale is a narrative of human actions. (TRUE / FALSE)
8. Folk tales are stories within a particular population comprising the traditions of that group. (TRUE / FALSE)
9. The order of a quest in a Fairy Tale is: the adventure, the call to adventure, and the return. (TRUE / FALSE)
10. Myths generally use gods and heroes in them. (TRUE / FALSE)

II. MULTIPLE CHOICE

1. Which of the following composers did not compose music in the Romantic Period?
A. Gioacchino Rossini C. Pyotor Ilyich Tchaikovsky
B. Felix Mendelssohn D. Sergei Prokofiev
2. Modest Mussorgsky was born and died in _____ .
A. Germany C. New York
B. France D. Russia
3. The Piano is part of what Instrumental Family?
A. Percussion C. Brass
B. Strings D. none of the above
4. Which of these composers was part of the Russian Five?
A. Modest Mussorgsky C. Both A and B
B. Pyotr Tchaikovsky D. None of the above
5. Which of the following instruments did Rossini not play?
A. Viola C. Horn
B. Cello D. Vocals
6. Which composer wrote the music to *The Nutcracker*?
A. Modest Mussorgsky C. Johann Strauss II
B. John Williams D. Pyotor Ilyich Tchaikovsky

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7. Which is the correct pattern of a quest?
A. Call to Adventure, the Return, the Adventure C. Call to Adventure, the Adventure, the Return
B. the Adventure, the return, the call to Adventure D. the Return, call to Adventure, the Adventure
8. The works of which of following composers is not considered romantic?
A. Gioacchino Rossini C. Maurice Ravel
B. Sergei Prokofiev D. Pyotor Ilyich Tchaikovsky
9. Tchaikovsky wrote an opera based on the novel _____.
A. Les Misérables C. War and Peace
B. The Hunger Games D. Eugene Onegin
10. Which of the following is a musical style of the 20th century?
A. classical C. neoclassical
B. baroque D. all of the above
11. Richard Wagner is a composer most associated with the Leitmotif. What other composer listed below also employs Leitmotifs?
A. Felix Mendelssohn C. Sergei Prokofiev
B. Maurice Ravel D. John Williams
12. Which Film Director is John Williams most associated?
A. Tim Burton C. Martin Scorsese
B. Steven Spielberg D. James Cameron
13. Which composer famously re-worked Mussorgsky's *Night on Bald Mountain*?
A. Rimsky-Korsakov C. Tchaikovsky
B. Balakirev D. Ravel

III. MATCHING

Match each composer with their composition:

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| 1. Prokofiev | A. Scene from Swan Lake |
| 2. Tchaikovsky | B. The Fairy Garden from Mother Goose Suite |
| 3. Williams | C. Waltz Coda and Midnight from Cinderella, Op. 87 |
| 3. Mussorgsky | D. Scherzo from a Midsummer Night's Dream |
| 4. Rossini | E. Overture from William Tell |
| 5. Mendelssohn | F. Raiders March from Raiders of the Lost Ark |
| 6. Ravel | G. A Night on Bald Mountain |

My Symphony Journal

My Favorite Thing About the Concert Was: _____

My Favorite Piece That I Heard Was: _____

I Like This Piece Because: _____

COMPOSER/PIECE	LOVED IT!	LIKED IT	NOT MY CUP OF TEA
ROSSINI <i>Overture from William Tell</i>			
MENDELSSOHN <i>Scherzo from A Midsummer Night's Dream</i>			
PROKOFIEV <i>Waltz Coda and Midnight from Cinderella, Op. 87</i>			
RAVEL <i>The Fairy Garden from Mother Goose Suite</i>			
MUSSORGSKY <i>Night on Bald Mountain</i>			
TCHAIKOVSKY <i>Scene from Swan Lake</i>			
WILLIAMS <i>Raiders March from Raiders of the Lost Ark</i>			

Explain *why* a particular piece wasn't "your cup of tea": _____
