

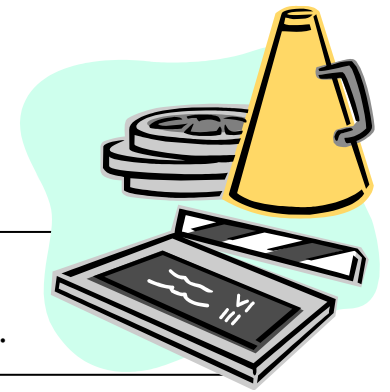
Extended Homework 2:
Set week beginning:

23rd February 2015

Final product due in
week beginning:

23rd March 2015

Year 8 Music - Independent Learning Project 2



Job to do:

Research a film composer and create a product to present your research.

KEY SKILLS:

- ✓ Research
- ✓ Creativity
- ✓ Analysing information
- ✓ Decision making and questioning.
- ✓ Reflection
- ✓ Evaluating choices

1. Pick a film composer.

- It could be someone we have studied in class.
- It might be that you like the music in a particular film you enjoy and find out who composed the music.

2. Carry out some **research** into your film composer.

Ensure you include the following:

SUCCESS CRITERIA:

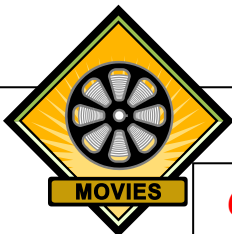
- Early life and career
- Influences
- Films they have composed for.
- Awards
- **YOU MAY INCLUDE MORE OF COURSE!**

5. FINAL CHECKS: Before submitting your extended homework task, have a member of the class look over your product. Do they have any suggestions for improvement?

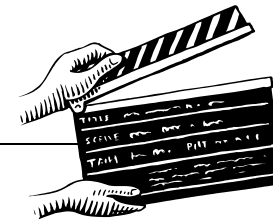
4. **EVALUATE** your research and final product:


- Ask yourself these questions:
 - Does it fulfil the Success Criteria?
 - Is it interesting?
 - Is it well-presented and neat?

3. PRESENT your research by **creating a product**. You decide on the format! Think about different ways to present your work and different media. E.g. PowerPoint or Moviemaker. Make it interesting, inventive and fun!



6. Hand in your research and product. Include all parts of the task (research, product and evaluation).



Week	Student checkpoint:	
1	You must have carried out some initial research on film composers? Who are they? What films did they compose of? From this pick one composer to do in detail.	
2	You must now do detailed research into your chosen composer and films. Look at the success criteria for what is needed.	
3	You should be creating your presentation product at this point. Remember to include your research.	
4	You should be finishing your product and evaluating it.	
5	Get a friend to check it. Did they find it an interesting project? Can they suggest any improvements?	



BANDS	WHAT DO I NEED TO DO	What Band do you think you have achieved?
2	You provided a list of composers and films.	
3	You included some minor details about your chosen composers and films.	
4	You included a variety of information from different sources about specific composer.	
5	You have included details information about your specific composer and their works.	
6	You have added your own thoughts on the music and films by your composer.	
7	You have commented on specific details about how the music affects the action and feel of the film.	
8	You have commented on specific details about how the music affects the action and feel of the film with clear examples. Your project isn't just paper based.	
Exceptional	You have compiled a very interesting and detailed report with clear examples and what to listen for in those chosen examples. Your project isn't just paper based.	

