



JOHN EDMONDSON HIGH SCHOOL

Assessment Notification

Faculty: Creative and Performing Arts Course: Music Year: 8

Assessment Task: #1 Composition (Maximum 10%)
Performance (Maximum 30%)

Assessment Weighting: 40% Due: Term 1 **Week 7/8** 2024
(Date to be advised by class teacher)

Task Type: Hand in Task In Class Task Practical Task

Outcomes assessed (NESA)
4.2, 4.4, 4.5, 4.6, 4.7
Task Description/Overview
1. Compose your own riff and notate composition on guitar TAB (tablature) 2. Perform your composition
Detailed Assessment Task Description
All students: 1) Individually compose your own riff using a guitar. Choose the level that you would like to attempt (Level 1, 2 or 3), write and submit your composition. 2) Perform your composition. OPTION 1 Basic RIFF Maximum Performance mark 6/10. Maximum Composition Mark 6/10. The riff should be written on lower E string and have a minimum of 8 notes using the following frets: 1 ----- 2 ----- 3----- 4----- 5----- 6---0---3---5-----

OPTION 2 Intermediate RIFF

Maximum Performance mark 8/10.

Maximum Composition Mark 8/10.

The riff should be written on lower E string and have a minimum of 8 notes using the following frets:

1 -----
2 -----
3 -----
4 -----
5 -----
6---0---3---5---7-----

OPTION 3 Advanced RIFF

Maximum Performance mark 10/10.

Maximum Composition Mark 10/10.

The riff should be written on lower E string, A string and have a minimum of 8 notes using the following frets:

1 -----
2 -----
3 -----
4 -----
5---0---2---3-----
6---0---3---5-----

Students are required to **submit a notated composition on guitar TAB.**

Each student will perform the composition as notated to the class teacher.

You need to **choose to compose and perform either Level 1, 2 or 3.**

The maximum number of marks will be in line with your choice of difficulty.

Option 1 – Sound.

Maximum Performance mark 6/10.

Maximum Composition Mark 6/10.

Option 2 – High.

Maximum Performance mark 8/10.

Maximum Composition Mark 8/10

Option 3 – Outstanding.

Maximum Performance mark 10/10.

Maximum Composition Mark 10/10

Option 1 – max mark 6		Marking
Assessment Criteria: Composition		
Grade	Description	Mark
Sound (S)	- Uses <u>all</u> notes for composition (0 and 3 on E string) - Uses a minimum of 8 notes - Written in TAB notation and in correct string	5-6
Basic (B)	- Only uses one or two notes for composition from the following: (0, 3 or 5 on E string) - Uses a minimum of 8 notes - Written in TAB notation; may be on incorrect string	3-4
Limited (L)	- Little or no evidence of composition criteria	1-2

Option 1 – max mark 6		Marking
Assessment Criteria: Performance		
Grade	Description	Mark
Sound (S)	- Plays all notes as written with two mistakes - Performs with a sense of timing - Executes string sounds with some clarity	5-6
Basic (B)	- Plays all notes as written with three or more mistakes - Performs with a basic sense of timing - Executes string sounds with basic clarity	3-4
Limited (L)	- Plays with limited sense of pitch, timing and clarity	1-2

Option 2 – max mark 8		Marking
Assessment Criteria: Composition		
Grade	Description	Mark
High (H)	- Uses <u>all</u> notes for composition (0, 3, 5 and 7 on E string) - Uses a minimum of 8 notes - Written neatly in TAB notation and in correct string (low E)	7-8
Sound (S)	- Uses <u>all</u> notes for composition (0 and 3 on E string) - Uses a minimum of 8 notes - Written in TAB notation and in correct string	5-6
Basic (B)	- Only uses one or two notes for composition from the following: (0, 3 or 5 on E string) - Uses a minimum of 8 notes - Written in TAB notation; may be on incorrect string	3-4
Limited (L)	- Little or no evidence of composition criteria	1-2

Option 2 – max mark 8		Marking
Assessment Criteria: Performance		
Grade	Description	Mark
High (H)	-Plays all notes as written -Performs with a high sense of timing -Executes string sounds with clarity	7-8
Sound (S)	-Plays all notes as written with two mistakes -Performs with a sense of timing -Executes string sounds with some clarity	5-6
Basic (B)	-Plays all notes as written with three or more mistakes -Performs with a basic sense of timing -Executes string sounds with basic clarity	3-4
Limited (L)	-Plays with limited sense of pitch, timing and clarity	1-2

Option 3 – max mark 10		Marking
Assessment Criteria: Composition		
Grade	Description	Mark
Outstanding (O)	-Uses all notes for composition (0, 3, 5, on E string, 0, 2, 3 on A string) - Minimum of eight notes used -Written neatly in TAB notation and in correct strings (low E and A strings)	9-10
High (H)	- Uses all notes for composition (0, 3, 5 and 7 on E string) - Uses a minimum of 8 notes - Written neatly in TAB notation and in correct string (low E)	7-8
Sound (S)	- Uses all notes for composition (0, 3 and 5 on E string) - Uses a minimum of 8 notes - Written neatly in TAB notation and in correct string (low E)	5-6
Basic (B)	- Uses all notes for composition (0, 3 and 5 on E string) - Uses a minimum of 8 notes - Written in TAB notation; may be on incorrect string	3-4
Limited (L)	- Little or no evidence of composition criteria	1-2

Option 3 – max mark 10		Marking
Assessment Criteria: Performance		
Grade	Description	Mark
Outstanding (O)	-Plays all notes as written -Performs with an excellent sense of timing -Executes string sounds with extreme clarity	9-10
High (H)	-Plays all notes as written -Performs with a high sense of timing -Executes string sounds with clarity	7-8
Sound (S)	-Plays all notes as written with two mistakes -Performs with a sense of timing -Executes string sounds with some clarity	5-6
Basic (B)	-Plays all notes as written with three or more mistakes -Performs with a basic sense of timing -Executes string sounds with basic clarity	3-4
Limited (L)	-Plays with limited sense of pitch, timing and clarity	1-2

Satisfactory completion of courses

A course has been satisfactorily completed, when the student has:

- Followed the course developed/endorsed by the NSW Educational Standards Authority (NESA)
- Applied himself/herself with diligence and sustained effort to the set tasks and experiences provided in the course.
- Achieved some or all of the course outcomes