Christmas Pop Songs Vol. 2



Christmas pop songs are often happy and make you want to dance.



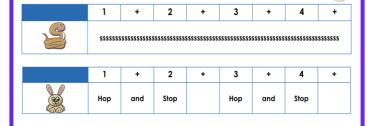
They have lyrics all about Christmas, dancing and giving presents.



They are catchy, easy to remember and sing along to. They often feature sleigh bells or choirs.

Graphic Scores

This is when music is written with pictures instead of musical notes.



The Conductor

The conductor tells musicians what to do, whether they should play loud or quiet, fast or slow.



Our Listening



Do They Know It's Christmas by Band Aid



I Wish It Could Be Christmas Everyday by Wizzard



Christmas Lights by Coldplay



Stop the Calvary by Jona Lewie



Merry Xmas Everybody by Slade





Pulse and Rhythm



This is the heartbeat of the music. It is like a ticking clock that never stops.



Rhythm is when long and short notes are joined together.

Tempo

This is the musical word for speed. Is the music...



or



Dynamics



Loud



Quiet

Musical Notes



Crotchet = 1 beat



Crotchet rest = 1 beat of silence



Minim = 2 beats



Semibreve = 4 beats



1 quaver = ½ beat 2 quavers = 1 full beat



Quaver rest = ½ beat of silence

Ostinato

An ostinato is a pattern that repeats.

