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## KS2 Quiz

Unit title: Baroque

**1 When did the Baroque period take place?**

- A** 1600-1750.
- B** 1750-1820.
- C** 1400-1600.
- D** 1900-1950.

**2 Who is known as one of the greatest composers of the Baroque period?**

- A** Ludwig van Beethoven.
- B** Johann Sebastian Bach.
- C** Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart.
- D** Claude Debussy.

**3 What is ground bass?**

- A** A type of fish.
- B** A repeated bass line.
- C** A drumming technique.
- D** A high pitched melody.

**4 In music, what does it mean when music is played in canon?**

- A** Similar parts are introduced one by one to overlap.
- B** There are lots of loud sounds.
- C** It is played on a large instrument that looks like a tuba.
- D** There is a rapid succession of descending notes.

**5 Which of these forms of music was not popular in the Baroque period?**

- A** Fugue.
- B** Jazz.
- C** Ground bass.
- D** Oratorio.

**6 What is recitative?**

- A** A type of dance.
- B** A section of opera or oratorio which imitates speech.
- C** Playing in unison.
- D** A type of string instrument.

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**7 What is polyphonic?**

- A** A type of instrument.
- B** Many loud sounds at the same time.
- C** A musical texture in which different parts weave in and out of each other.
- D** A repeating rhythmic pattern.

**8 What is an oratorio?**

- A** A dance.
- B** A piece for solo instruments.
- C** A dramatic vocal work on a religious theme.
- D** A type of brass instrument.

**9 Which instrument is commonly used to play a ground bass?**

- A** A trumpet.
- B** A flute.
- C** A cello.
- D** A violin.

**10 What are the features of a fugue?**