General Certificate of Secondary Education
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## Music

Part 2
Listening and Appraising
[G9704]

FRIDAY 9 JUNE, AFTERNOON

## MARK <br> SCHEME

1 The Chieftains: "Carrickfergus", 0.00-2.43
AVAILABLE MARKS
(a) (i) Harp - or Irish harp
(ii) Slow air
(b) (i) Uilleann (pipes)/(tin) whistle/fiddle
(ii) D major
(c) $\quad \mathrm{AABA}$

- Melody played in unison
- Arpeggiando figuration on harp
- Ornamentation
- Uilleann pipes play a melody
- B: Fiddle plays melody an octave lower
- Harp continues arpeggio accompaniment
- A: Solo fiddle
- Arpeggio accompaniment on harp at the end
- Ends on a perfect cadence
(d) The Chieftains

2 Miller's Hill Accordion Band: "Steadfast and True", 0.00-1.43
(a) (i) • Arpeggio

- C major
- $4 / 4$
- Forte (loud) dynamic at the beginning
- Descending scale
- First two notes slurred
- Second two notes staccato
- Accordions
- Snare drum
(Any four)
(ii) March
(iii) $4 / 4$ or common time
(b) • New melody
- Similar musical rhythm patterns to the first
- Divided among the instruments
- Accordions echoing the others
- Bass drum on each beat of the bar
- $\quad$ Side drum on the offbeat
- Side drum rolls on the offbeat
(Any four)
(c) Steadfast and True, Miller's Hill Accordion Band (full title)


## Introduction

- Song starts with an introduction
- $4 / 4$
- Major
- Tambourine
- Bass drum
- Roll on snare drum
- String ostinato
- Syncopated strings
- Cymbal crash
- Brass section
- Fanfare figure
- Punctuating chords
- Pedal on lower strings
- Texture builds


## Verse 1

- Soprano/female voice
- Broken chords in the harp/harp accompanies
- Added percussion (bass drum, triangle, tambourine)
- After line 4 crescendo sustained chord played by brass
- At line 5 a second (female) voice joins and sings in harmony
- They sing parallel thirds
- Line 7 is sung in unison
- After line 8 there is a descending scale played by lower strings
- Cymbal roll after line 8


## Chorus

- Male and female voices sing
- They sing in harmony
- Homophonic
- Syncopation in lower strings
- Brass play sustained chords


## Interlude

- Falling string figure
- Syncopated (dissonant) string chords


## Verse 2

- Sustained chords played on horns
- Same accompaniment as verse 1
- Lines 17 to 20 sung in harmony


## Chorus 2

- Addition of fanfare figures
- Same accompaniment as chorus 2
(Any twelve relevant comments)
Quality of written communication
Option 1

AVAILABLE MARKS
(a) (i) Coda [1]
(ii) Flutes, clarinets, bassoons, horns
(b) (i) Court, octaves/augmentation/E major, cellos, double basses
(ii) - Four sustained chords

- Final chord is sustained
- Same as opening of the piece
- Four wind chords are heard again
- Diminuendo (or p to pp)
- Flutes, clarinets, bassoons on final chord
- Timpani roll on final chord
- Gradual slowing down
- Wind instruments only (Any four)
[4]

5 Extract A: Zimmer: "Davy Jones Theme" from Pirates of the Caribbean: Dead Man's Chest, 0.00-01.11
(a) (i) Pirates of the Caribbean: Dead Man's Chest [2]
(ii) Music box Theme/Davy Jones Theme
(iii) Strings

## Extract B: Grieg: "Morning Mood" from Peer Gynt Suite, 0.00-0.51

(b) (i) Grieg
(ii) Flute and oboe [2]
(iii) Ibsen

## Extract C: Grieg: "In the Hall of the Mountain King" from Peer Gynt Suite, 0.00-01.10

(c) (i) In the Hall of the Mountain King
(ii) Cellos, double basses [2]
(iii) Pizzicato [1]

## Introduction

- Full orchestra and rhythm section
- $4 / 4$
- Minor key
- Falling third motif (played by orchestra)
- Forte
- Timpani plays
- Tambourine plays
- Trumpets play another motif (plunger mute)
- Electric guitar
- Opening motif repeated by lower brass and upper strings
- Trumpets answer the lower brass and strings (antiphonal)
- Repeated at a piano dynamic


## Verse 1

- Mezzo soprano/alto female voice sings
- Electric guitar strums chords
- Added percussion (bass drum and tambourine)
- Bass guitar
- Descending string motif
- String motif is chromatic
- $\quad$ Sustained strings on line 1
- Lower strings play broken chords pizzicato
- Accompaniment stops at line 3
- Violin plays a variation of the opening motif
- Bass guitar plays part of a descending scale
- Line 4 prominent trombone
- At the end of line 4 trumpet plays the opening motif
- Violins play descending chromatic motif
- Accompaniment stops on line 6
- Chromatic motif played by lower brass (James Bond Theme) on line 6
- Offbeat chords on trombone
- Trombone glissando
- Line 7 sustained strings
- Muted trumpet interjections/jazz style/improvisatory
- Syncopated rhythm in bass guitar and bass drum
- Tambourine plays on the offbeat
- Harp glissando at the end of line 9
- Accompaniment stops on line 10
- Trumpet motif from introduction reappears
- Descending chromatic motif on lower strings
- Line 11 lower brass plays a syncopated rhythm
- Lower strings play broken chords pizzicato
- Bass drum and tambourine are used
- Chromatic motif is played on the word "cold" (James Bond Theme)
- Offbeat chords played by lower brass
- Strings play sustained notes
(Any twelve relevant comments)
Quality of written communication
(a) (i) Soprano
(ii) Continuo, sparse, sustained
(b) (i) Rising, arpeggio figures, semiquavers, violins (upper strings) (Any three)
(ii) Andante
(c) (i) Dry recitative (Recitativo secco)
(ii) Perfect or V-I
(d) Part 1, oratorio, Handel

AVAILABLE MARKS

8 Schwartz: "One short day" from Wicked, 0.00-1.35
(a) (i) Lines 1 and 3 (must have both)
(ii) Harp
(b) (i) • Crescendo

- Music speeds up (accelerando)
- More instruments added
- Sustained note in upper strings
- Drum kit/hi hat
- Synthesised keyboard
- "One short Day" motif
- Drum fill
- Brass section
- Bass guitar
- Strings double voice
(Any three)
(ii) The girls alternate the text answering one another/call and response/ antiphonal/dialogue
(c) (i) In thirds
(ii) • It changes key
- Bass pedal
- Homophony
- Voices harmonise a fifth apart on "joy"
- Change of time signature
- Rising chord sequence
(d) (i) In harmony, chorus(choir)/ensemble [2]
(ii) Musical, (Stephen) Schwartz

AVAILABLE MARKS

- Slow tempo/adagio
- Cor anglais/oboe
- Sustained strings
- Orchestra accompanies
- Major key
- $2 / 2$ time (accept $4 / 4$ )
- Tenor/baritone voice/male voice
- Horn at the end of line 1
- Melisma on the words "man" and "is"
- End of line 2 there is a rising figure played by cello
- Countermelody played by violins on line 3
- Clarinet heard during line 4
- Line 5 interjections from violins, oboes, flutes, glockenspiel
- Harp glissando
- Rising flute scale after the word "constant"
- Line 7 sustained string accompaniment
- Line 7 broken chords on harp
- $\quad$ Short instrumental link to line 8
- Brass section added at line 8
- Crescendo at line 8
- Instrumental break between lines 8 and 9
- Timpani
- Slight break/pause after "leave her"
- Mixed wordless chorus (sing in harmony)
- Electric guitar plays part of the melody at the end of line 8
- Line 9 there are trumpet interjections (fanfare-like)
- Prominent horn at line 9
- After line 10 brass plays a short interlude
- Line 11 wordless chorus sing in harmony with solo voice
- Timpani roll
- Cymbal crash
- Rallentando (slows down)
- "Heart" is held
- Perfect cadence
- Live audience showing it's a live performance
(Any twelve relevant comments)
Quality of written communication


