Year Four: John Williams

Knowledge Organiser

The Big Idea

John Williams is an American composer who has created some of the most iconic film scores of all time.

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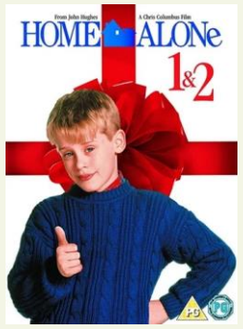
- John Williams was born on 8th February 1932.
- He has won five Academy Awards for his film scores.
- Williams has had 54 Academy Award nominations, making him the second-most nominated person, after Walt Disney.

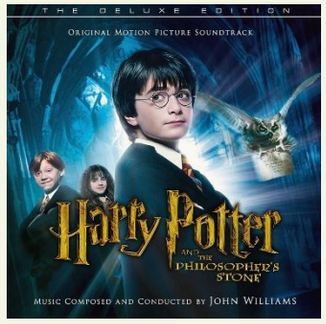
Vocabulary

crescendo decrescendo
time signature legato
staccato major minor

John William's work

John Williams composed music for these well known films:





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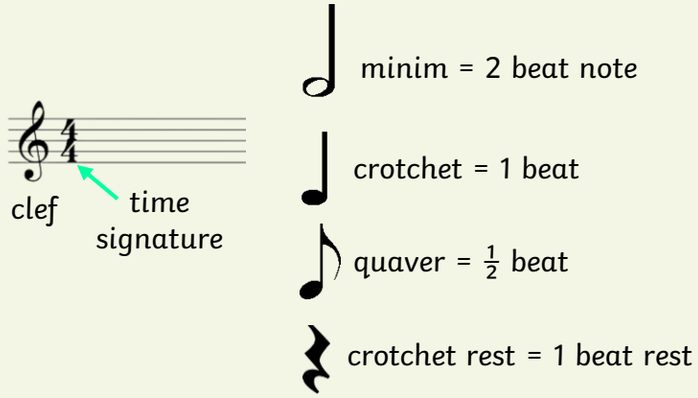
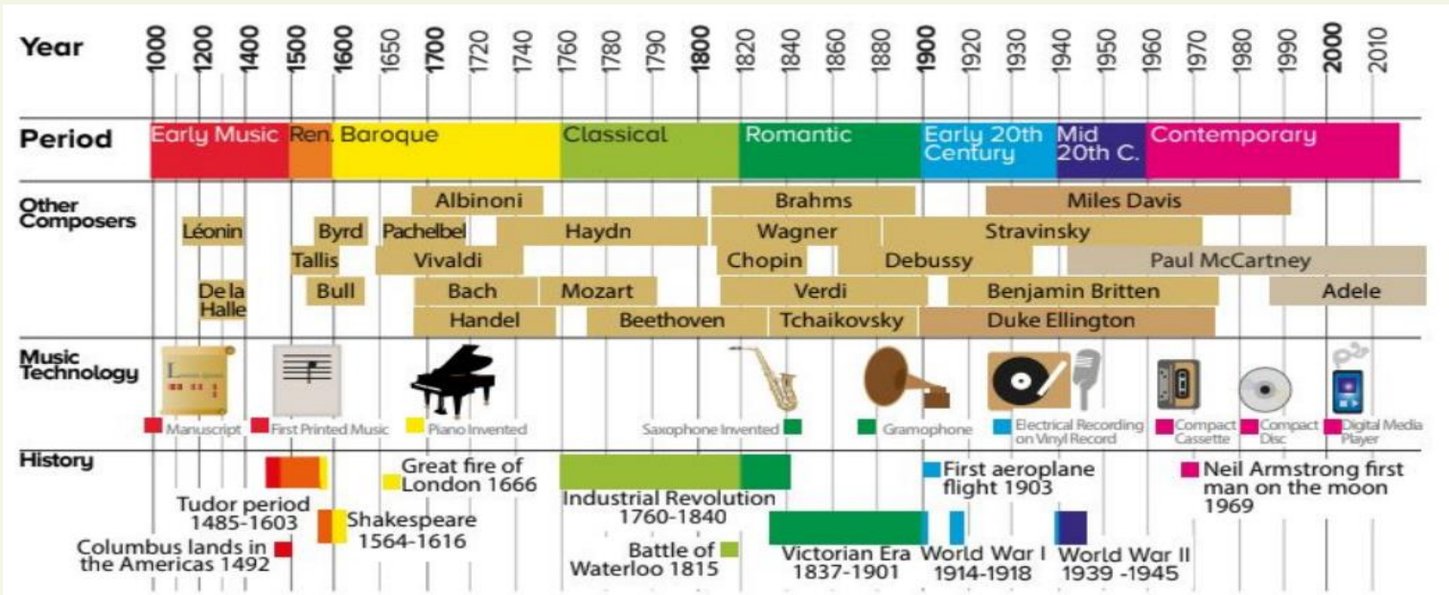
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