Music activities 20.4.20 Highworth

Hope you enjoyed the Easter break, here are some more music activities to try.

The song for KS1 this week is ‘Wake Up’ – you know this really well, have fun singing it:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5idAk316hpY&feature=emb_logo>

The song for KS2 this week is ‘As One’:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vE9T9knqG2A&feature=emb_logo>

Year 1

Listen to this video about inside sound and write down what you hear:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/school-radio/eyfs-listening-skills-inside-sounds/zr2m8xs>

Year 2

Listen to this video and write down what sounds you hear:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/school-radio/eyfs-listening-skills-animals-and-habitats/z7bgnrd>

Year 3

We are going to focus on the woodwind family. Listen to this piece, and write what you like about the flute playing.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=k2dfUisJQuk>

Year 4

Listen to ‘George Gershwin: Rhapsody in Blue’ – there are two videos, one with information and one with the music. Write down some facts that they tell you in the video, and what you like about the music. The piece is full of the sounds and energy of 1920s New York.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/ten-pieces/intro-films-and-orchestral-films/zv2gqp3>

Year 5

Listen to ‘Florence Price: Symphony No.1 in E minor’ – there are two videos, one with information and one with the music. Write down some facts that they tell you in the video, and what you like about the music. Naomi Wilkinson explores the West African rhythms of the piece, as Price combines these rhythms with the sound of spirituals and traditional classical music.

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Year 6

This week we are focusing on 20th century music – minimalism. Listen to ‘Steve Reich: Music for 18 musicians’ and write down facts from the information video, and what you thought about the style of the music. Naomi Wilkinson explores the short motifs and repeating patterns that makes Reich’s music so exciting.

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