



**MUSIC
HIGHER LEVEL AND STANDARD LEVEL
LISTENING PAPER**

Friday 15 May 2009 (morning)

2 hours 30 minutes

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Do not open this examination paper until instructed to do so.
- Answer all the questions.
- When answering Section A, clean scores of the set work must be used.
- The score required for question 5, Section B is in the scores booklet provided.
- Questions 1 to 5 correspond to tracks 1 to 5 on the compact disc provided.
- You may repeat the playing of extracts as many times as you wish.

SECTION A

This section is worth [40 marks].

PRESCRIBED WORK

Questions 1 (a) and 1 (b) refer to the work **Dido and Aeneas** by **H Purcell**. Answer **both** parts, questions 1(a) and 1(b). In your answers be as specific as possible not only describing the musical elements but also giving their **location** in the score (including bar(s)/measure(s), rehearsal number(s), and instrument(s) involved). Accurate location will be part of the assessment. **Indicate clearly the edition of the score that you are using.**

1. Dido and Aeneas by H Purcell**(a) [Overture]**

Analyse in detail the musical features found in **this overture** which place this work in the baroque period. Support your arguments with clear reference to the score. These arguments may include (but are not limited to) comments on structure, harmony, melody, rhythm and orchestration.

[20 marks]

- (b)** Purcell uses recitatives throughout this opera, which are composed in a wide range of musical styles. Choose **two** (or more) contrasting recitatives, describing the differences of style. What are their functions, both musically and dramatically? Support your answer with clear reference to the score. In your answer to question 1 (b) do not refer to the passage from question 1 (a).

[20 marks]

SECTION B

Each question is worth [20 marks].

OTHER WORKS

2. ***Symphonies of Wind Instruments* by I Stravinsky**
(no score provided)

Analyse what you hear in this extract in terms of relevant:

- **Musical features:** such as (but not limited to) harmony, melody, rhythm, instrumentation
- **Structural features:** such as (but not limited to) form, phrases, motifs, texture
- **Contextual features:** such as (but not limited to) style, time, culture, geography, history.

For high marks **all** three of the above features must be addressed in detail using accurate musical terminology.

3. **Unidentified Piece**
(no score provided)

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- **Structural features:** such as (but not limited to) form, phrases, motifs, texture
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4. **Unidentified Piece**
(no score provided)

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- **Structural features:** such as (but not limited to) form, phrases, motifs, texture
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5. *Allegro maestoso* – 1st movement from *Sinfonia Concertante in E-flat major K. 364* by **W A Mozart**
(score provided)

With clear reference to the score provided, analyse what you hear in this extract in terms of relevant:

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