

# The Minor Scale Mystery Review

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## Understanding Major and Minor Scales

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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Answer the following questions based on what you learned about minor scales and their emotional qualities.

1. What makes a minor scale sound different from a major scale?

- A. It has a happier sound
- B. It has a sadder sound
- C. It is played faster

2. How does music help us express our feelings to God? Give an example.

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3. The natural minor scale uses \_\_\_\_ syllables.

4. Match the scale type to its emotional quality.

Major Scale

Happy

Minor Scale

Serious

5. What is a characteristic feeling of minor scale music?

- A. Joyful
- B. Thoughtful
- C. Excited

6. What did Psalm 42:5 teach us about feelings and hope?

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7. Minor scales can express \_\_\_\_ emotions.

8. Which of the following is a solfege syllable used in the A minor scale?

- A. Do
- B. Re
- C. La

9. Can you think of a time when music helped you feel better? Describe it.

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10. Minor scales often feel more \_\_\_\_ or thoughtful.

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### Answer Key

1. It has a sadder sound 2. Music can help us share our emotions and connect with God. For example, when I'm sad, I listen to minor music to feel understood. 3. solfege 4. Major Scale - Happy, Minor Scale - Serious 5. Thoughtful 6. It teaches us that even when we feel despair, we should hope in God and praise Him. 7. complex 8. La 9. When I listen to sad music, it helps me cry and feel better after. It makes me feel less alone. 10. serious