

# Mood Music Composition Review

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## Understanding Minor Keys and Mood

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

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Answer the following questions based on the lesson about musical mood and key selection.

1. What emotions did you try to communicate in your melodies? Give specific examples from your compositions.

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2. What do major keys usually sound like?

- A. Sad and serious
- B. Happy and bright
- C. Calm and peaceful

3. Composers use key selection to express emotions in their music.

True  False

4. How did changing the key from major to minor affect the mood of your melody? Explain your thoughts.

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5. Minor keys typically sound more \_\_\_\_ or sad.

6. Which of the following best describes the purpose of Psalm 33:3?

- A. To sing joyfully
- B. To play music skillfully
- C. Both A and B

7. Music can help express feelings that are hard to put into words.

True  False

8. Can you think of a song that makes you feel a strong emotion? Describe the song and the emotion it evokes.

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9. Composers select keys to communicate \_\_\_\_ in their music.

10. What is the primary focus of this music lesson?

- A. Learning to read music
- B. Understanding musical moods through keys
- C. Playing different instruments

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Answer Key

1. I tried to communicate happiness in my major melody and sadness in my minor melody. 2. Happy and bright 3. True 4. Changing to minor made the melody sound more serious and sad, while major felt joyful. 5. serious 6. Both A and B 7. True 8. One song that makes me feel emotional is 'Someone Like You' by Adele. It makes me feel sad because of the lyrics about lost love. 9. emotion 10. Understanding musical moods through keys