

FILM MUSIC- KNOWLEDGE ORGANISER

LEITMOTIF	A piece of music that represents a character or emotion
DIEGETIC	Music that is part of the scene and the characters can hear it
NON DIEGETIC	Music that is NOT part of the scene and the characters CANNOT hear it, only the audience can
CUE SHEET	A detailed list of musical cues matching the visual action of a film. This used by composers
CLICK TRACK	A click metronome heard by musicians through headphones as they record
MICKEY MOUSING	When the music fits precisely with a specific part of the action in a film
CUES	The parts of the film that require music. This is agreed between the director and composer

ACTION/THRILLER CREATING SUSPENSE	Synthesizers and strings. Raise the tempo (speed), raise the heartbeat Crescendos (getting louder) and sudden silence
WESTERN MUSIC	Typical instruments used Guitar, Harmonica, Banjo, Violin, Trumpet, Drum, Penny Whistle
HORROR MUSIC	Concord: Pleasing sounding combination of notes Discord: Clashing notes, sounds unpleasant Creepy sounding instruments

