

# Muses

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*Muses* is an audio quizbowl set written at the difficulty of a regular-minus high school set. *Muses* consists of a single round of thirty-five tossup questions and zero bonuses. All questions are 60 seconds in length and consist of five or more audio clips of varying lengths. *Muses* is the sequel to *Muse*, which was first played as a side event at Triton Spring IV at the University of California, San Diego.

## Correctness Guidelines

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**A.** An answer that provides extraneous information shall be considered correct so long as all extraneous information is also correct.

- ex. If the answer is **Daft Punk** and the audio clip being played is the song “Get Lucky”:
- “Get Lucky” on *Random Access Memories* by **Daft Punk**
  - × “Get Lucky” on *Homework* by **Daft Punk**

**B.** Unique answer lines shall not be repeated; laterally equivalent answer lines (i.e. answer lines which contain common links) may be repeated indefinitely.

- ex. The following answer lines may all appear in a single round:
- **“Bad Romance”**
  - **Lady Gaga**
  - **“Born This Way”**
  - **New York City**
  - **The Fame**
  - **extended plays** by **Lady Gaga**

**C.** All questions will ask to name either the composer (this includes jazz composers), work (this includes films), type of work, type of work and composer (e.g. **symphonies** by Justin **Bieber**), nationality of the composers (e.g. **Zimbabwe**), or type of work and number (e.g. **first symphonies**).

**D.** Questions on works or work types require the name or type of the work as a whole, rather than the name or type of a single movement or section (e.g. **Beethoven’s ninth** not **“Ode to Joy”**).

## Questions and Answers

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1. Name the composer.

ANSWER: Claude **Debussy** (or Achille-Claude **Debussy**)

2. Name the type of work and composer.

ANSWER: **symphonies** by Wolfgang Amadeus **Mozart** (or **symphonies** by Johannes Chrysostomus Wolfgangus Theophilus **Mozart**)

3. Name the work.

ANSWER: **Messiah** (or **HWV 56**)

4. Name the composer.

ANSWER: Joseph **Haydn** (or Franz Joseph **Haydn**)

5. Name the composer.

ANSWER: Franz Liszt (or Liszt Ferenc)

6. Name the type of work.

ANSWER: preludes (or praeludium)

7. Name the composer.

ANSWER: Aaron Copland

8. Name the composer.

ANSWER: Johannes Brahms

9. Name the composer.

ANSWER: Gioachino Rossini (or Gioachino Antonio Rossini)

10. Name the nationality of the composers.

ANSWER: United States of America (accept either underlined part; or U.S.A.)

11. Name the work.

ANSWER: *The* **Magic Flute** (or *Die* **Zauberflöte**; or **K. 620**)

12. Name the composer.

ANSWER: Edvard Grieg (or Edvard Hagerup Grieg)

13. Name the type of work.

ANSWER: tone poems (or symphonic poems; do not accept “symphonies”)

14. Name the composer.

ANSWER: George Frideric Handel

15. Name the work.

ANSWER: **Schindler's List**

16. Name the composer.

ANSWER: Franz Schubert (or Franz Peter Schubert)

17. Name the composer.

ANSWER: Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart (or Johannes Chrysostomus Wolfgangus Theophilus Mozart)

18. Name the composer.

ANSWER: J.S. Bach (or Johann Sebastian Bach; do not accept “J.C. Bach”; do not accept “Johann Christian Bach”)

19. Name the nationality of the composers.

ANSWER: United Kingdom (or U.K.; or Britain; or United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland; accept England; do not accept “Scotland”; do not accept “Alba”; do not accept “Wales”; do not accept “Cymru”; do not accept “Northern Ireland”; do not accept “Tuaisceart Éireann”)

20. Name the type of work and composer.

ANSWER: symphonies by Ludwig van Beethoven

21. Name the composer.

ANSWER: Camille Saint-Saëns (or Charles-Camille Saint-Saëns)

22. Name the work.

ANSWER: *The* Valkyrie (or *Die* Walküre; or WWV86B; prompt on “*The Ring of the Nibelung*”; prompt on “*Der Ring des Nibelungen*”; prompt on “*The Ring*”; prompt on “*Der Ring*”; prompt on “*The Ring cycle*”; prompt on “*Der Ring cycle*”; prompt on “*WWV86*”)

23. Name the composer.

ANSWER: Miles Davis (or Miles Dewey Davis III)

24. Name the nationality of the composers.

ANSWER: Russia (or Russian Federation; or Rossiya; or Rossiyskaya Federatsiya; accept Soviet Union; accept Sovetskij Soyuz; accept U.S.S.R.; accept S.S.S.R.; accept Union of Soviet Socialist Republics; accept Soyuz Sovetskikh Sotsialisticheskikh Respublik)

25. Name the work.

ANSWER: *The* Lion King (do not accept “*The Lion King 1½*”; do not accept “*The Lion King II: Simba’s Pride*”)

26. Name the type of work and composer.

ANSWER: piano sonatas by Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart (or piano sonatas by Johannes Chrysostomus Wolfgangus Theophilus Mozart; prompt on “sonatas by Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart”; prompt on “sonatas by Johannes Chrysostomus Wolfgangus Theophilus Mozart”)

27. Name the composer.

ANSWER: Nikolai Rimsky-Korsakov (or Nikolai Andreyevich Rimsky-Korsakov)

28. Name the nationality of the composers.

ANSWER: France (or French Republic; or République française)

29. Name the type of work and number.

ANSWER: fifth symphonies (or Symphonies No. 5)

30. Name the composer.

ANSWER: Antonín Dvořák (or Antonín Leopold Dvořák)

31. Name the work.

ANSWER: Spring (or *La* Primavera; or RV 269; or Op. 8, No. 1 by Antonio Lucio Vivaldi; prompt on “*The Four Seasons*”; prompt on “*Le quattro stagioni*”; prompt on “*The Contest Between Harmony and Invention*”; prompt on “*Il cimento dell'armonia e dell'invenzione*”; prompt on “Op. 8”; prompt on “Op. 8, No. 1”; prompt on “Op. 8 by Antonio Lucio Vivaldi”)

32. Name the composer.

ANSWER: Felix Mendelssohn (or Jakob Ludwig Felix Mendelssohn Bartholdy)

33. Name the composer.

ANSWER: Ludwig van Beethoven

34. Name the work.

ANSWER: Rhapsody in Blue

35. Name the work.

ANSWER: *The Nutcracker* (or *Shchelkunchik*; or *Casse-Noisette*; or Op. 71 by Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky; or TH 14; accept *The Nutcracker Suite*; accept Op. 71a by Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky; accept TH 35; prompt on “Op. 71”; prompt on “Op. 71a”)