



KEY VOCABULARY

**beat/pulse**

the **steady heartbeat** of the music

**composer**

a **person who writes music**

**march**

a piece of music used for **soldiers to march to**

**rhythm**

a **repeated pattern** of sound

**ostinato**

a **short phrase** which is **repeated throughout** a piece of music

**rhythmic ostinato**

a **short rhythm** which is **repeated throughout** a piece of music

**texture**

when music has **parts layered on top of each other**

**unison**

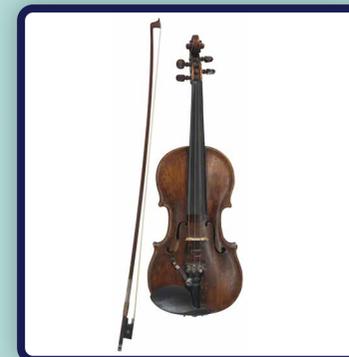
where **two or more instruments** play the **same notes**

**dynamics**

how **loud** or **quiet** a piece of music is

**crescendo**

when music gets **gradually louder and louder**



A violin and the bow used to play it (stringed instrument)



An orchestra – a large group of people playing different instruments together



**Gustav Holst**

A British composer, who wrote *The Planets*



**Ben E. King**

An American singer, who wrote and performed *Stand By Me*

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