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## Great American Musicians!

**Instructions:** In this activity, get to know a great American musician by doing the following.

1. Choose a great American musician from this lesson, or from this same genre, to research. Use the library, Internet, or encyclopedia to gather information.

Musician's name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Listen to a music sample of your musician if possible (radio, CD, Internet).
3. Get to know your musician and answer the following questions:

What is this person's birthday and place of birth?

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What are some interesting facts about this person's childhood?

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\_\_\_\_\_

What is this person's musical training or experience?

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What are some interesting facts about this musician's music career?

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4. Use the back of this page to write a paragraph about your musician. Add anything you've discovered in addition to what you've already written here.