

## 8<sup>th</sup> Grade New American Music Vocabulary

### Lesson One: Modern Popular Music

- 1) Tin Pan Alley –
- 2) Music Publishers –
- 3) Sheet Music –
- 4) Popular Music –
- 5) Lyrics –
- 6) Melody –
- 7) Refrain –
- 8) Popular Song –
- 9) Broadway Musicals –
- 10) Compose –
- 11) Composition –
- 12) Microphone –
- 13) Radio Broadcasting –
- 14) Phonograph Record –
- 15) Juke Box –
- 16) Record Company –
- 17) Record Charts –
- 18) Parody –

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### Lesson Two: Contemporary Orchestral Music

- 1) Orchestral Music –
- 2) Dissonance –
- 3) Polyrhythm –
- 4) Chromatic Scale –
- 5) Major Scale –
- 6) Minor Scale –
- 7) Scale –
- 8) Symphonic Poem –
- 9) Composer –
- 10) Compose –
- 11) Light Classical –
- 12) Film Score –
- 13) Conceptual –
- 14) Synthesizer –
- 15) Acoustic –
- 16) Synthesized Sound –
- 17) Digital Sampler –
- 18) Electrophone –
- 19) Symphony –

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### Lesson Three: Contemporary Opera

- 1) Opera –
- 2) Recitative –
- 3) Aria –
- 4) Chorus –
- 5) Conceptual –

### Lesson Four: Jazz

- 1) Melody –
- 2) Rhythm –
- 3) New Orleans Jazz –
- 4) Dixieland Jazz –
- 5) Virtuoso –
- 6) Scat Singing –
- 7) Improvise –
- 8) Swing Music –
- 9) Big Band –
- 10) Bebop –
- 11) Vocables –
- 12) Lyrics –
- 13) Cool Jazz –
- 14) Free Jazz –
- 15) Atonal –
- 16) Arrhythmic –
- 17) Fusion –

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### Lesson Five: Country Music

- 1) Country music –
- 2) Pioneer Songs –
- 3) Compose –
- 4) Cowboy Songs –
- 5) Roots Music –
- 6) Polka –
- 7) Old-time Music –
- 8) Harmony Singing –
- 9) Country-western Music –
- 10) Repertoire –
- 11) Acoustic –
- 12) Virtuoso –
- 13) Bluegrass Music –
- 14) Western Swing –
- 15) Contemporary –
- 16) Honky-tonk Music –
- 17) Country Rock –

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### Lesson Six: Latin American Music

- 1) Folk Songs –
- 2) Tejano-conjunto Music –
- 3) Bajo Sexto –
- 4) Mariachi Music –
- 5) Syncopated –
- 6) Arrangement –
- 7) Salsa Music –
- 8) Latin Popular Music –

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### Lesson Seven: Rock Music

- 1) Rock 'n' Roll –
- 2) Record Charts –
- 3) Rhythm –
- 4) Melodic –
- 5) Harmony Singing –
- 6) Vocables –
- 7) Lyrics –
- 8) Motown Music –
- 9) Acoustic Guitar –
- 10) Electric guitar –
- 11) Folk Rock –
- 12) Country Rock –
- 13) Hard Rock –
- 14) Disco –
- 15) Jazz-rock –
- 16) Punk Rock –
- 17) Rap Music –
- 18) Grunge Music –

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### Lesson Eight: Rap Music

- 1) Rap Music –
- 2) Deejay (DJ) –
- 3) Turntable –
- 4) Scratching –
- 5) Rap –
- 6) Emcee (MC) –
- 7) Improvise –
- 8) Compose –
- 9) Turntablism –
- 10) Sample –
- 11) Digital Sampler –
- 12) Electrophone –