

AP Music Theory Summer Assignment

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Prior to the first day of classes, choose any song that you love and are willing to share with the class. From this song, try and identify as many music theory items as you can.

Some items may include:

- Dynamics (Forte, Piano, etc.)
- Instruments (Guitar, Drums, violin, synthesizers, etc.)
- Genre (Hip-hop, Rap, Reggae, etc.)
- Texture (Thin texture, polyphonic, monophonic, etc)
- Tempo (Adagio, allegro, vivace, etc.)
- Chords
- Key
- Solfege
- Anything else you may notice

Try your best to identify as much as you can with your pre-existing knowledge of music! If you don't know the word for something, try looking it up online, or do your best to describe.

Please be prepared to share your findings during the first week of classes.

Have a good summer!

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