

Sample Grade 5 Theory Paper

Put a tick (\checkmark) in the box next to the correct answer.

Example

Name this note:





This shows that you think **C** is the correct answer.

1.1 Name the circled note:





1.2 Which rest(s) should be put below the asterisk (*) to complete this bar?



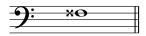


1.3 Which is the correct time signature?





1.4 Which note is the enharmonic equivalent of this note?



E# 🗌	Gb 🗌	G 🗀

1.5 Which note is the tonic of the major key shown by this key signature?



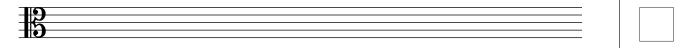
В	G# 🗌	E \square	

Put	a tick (\checkmark) in the box next to the correct answer.		Boxes for examiner
1.6	Which note is the dominant of the minor key sh	own by this key signature?	use only
		ЕЬ 🗆 АЬ 🗆 С 🗆	
1.7	The correct label for the following scale is:		
		Bb major scale ascending Bb natural minor scale ascending Bb melodic minor scale ascending Bb	
1.8	Which Roman numeral fits below this supertoni	c triad?	
	8	ii 🗌 II 🔲 IV 🗌	
1.9	Which instrument often uses this clef?		
		cello 🗆 bassoon 🗀 viola 🗀	
1.10	Name this cadence:		
		Perfect cadence in E major Plagal cadence in A major Imperfect cadence in A major	
Se	ction 2 (15 marks)		
2.1	Write a one-octave F# melodic minor scale in cro Use a key signature.	otchets ascending then descending.	
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2.2 Write the key signature of the key shown. Then write its one-octave arpeggio in the rhythm given below.

Boxes for examiner's use only





C# minor going down then up

Section 3 (10 marks)

3.1 Continue the rhythm to fit the following phrase.

Sleep, little child, go to sleep, Mother is here by your bed. Sleep, little child, go to sleep, Rest on the pillow your head.

Anon



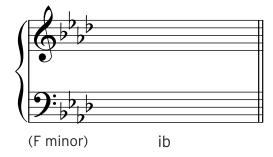
Sleep, lit - tle child

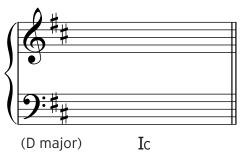
4.1 Transpose this melody up a major 2nd so that a clarinet in Bb will be able to play it at the same pitch as the following notes.



Section 5 (15 marks)

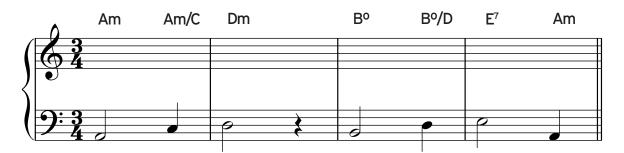
5.1 Using crotchets, write out 4-part chords for SATB using the chords shown by the Roman numerals. Double the root in each case, even if the chord is in first or second inversion.





Section 6 (15 marks)

6.1 Use notes from the chords shown by the chord symbols to write a tune above the bass line. Decorate your tune once you have the main harmony notes in place.



Section 7 (20 marks)

Look at the following song and answer the questions on page 8.





4.
The millstones grinding all the time,
The millstones,
The millstones grinding all the time,
The millstones;
They travel till they are quite worn,
They grind their way through sacks of corn,
The millstones.

3.
The millwheel turning round and round,
The millwheel,
The millwheel turning round and round,
The millwheel;
It tells me it is wrong to stay,
It turns by night, it turns by day,
The millwheel.

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n which key is this song? n what form is this song composed? For which voice (soprano, alto, tenor or bass) is this song written?	
or which voice (soprano, alto, tenor or bass) is this song written?	
Look at the way the piano part is written (treble part). Why does it suits the words of song?	this
Why does the dynamic marking of the piano part changes from \emph{mf} to \emph{p} in bar 5 piano part)?	
What kind of cadence does the composer use in bar 4?	
This song does not modulate but name the bars in which you can find a hint of the elative minor key.	
ircle an interval of a diminished 5th in bar 9 (voice part).	
Look at the bass line in bars 13-16. How does it differ from the rest of the bass line?	
Bracket (□) the sequences (voice part) and say whether they are real or tonal.	