

Compare and Contrast  
Two Pieces of Music

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Fill in the chart below to compare and contrast two pieces of music.

Discuss your answers with a partner. Then write two paragraphs about the music.

	Title _____  Composed by _____  In (year) _____	Title _____  Composed by _____  In (year) _____
Tempo (speed of the music)		
Dynamics (loudness / softness of music)		
Texture (how many instruments do you hear?)		
Timbre / Tone Color (which instruments are playing or singing)		
Emotions you hear in this music: (does the music sound happy, sad, excited, frightening etc --- to you – all answers are correct)		
When you listen to this music, what do you imagine?		

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Using your chart, write a paragraph that describes how the two pieces of music are similar or the same:

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Using your chart, write a paragraph that describes how the two pieces of music are different or describe unique features of each piece of music:

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