

## *Listen Up!*

Listen to the following five pieces of vocal music. Each one is different.  
Answer the questions in the Explore section.



[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IWaFWn\\_CLQ](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IWaFWn_CLQ)



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OV9M6x8PIJc>



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hVpWnvSYb0o>



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HTAF0HzRAcY>



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qgDKtLPp46s>

## Explore

Types of voice	
i	Female voices
ii	Male voices
iii	Mixed voices
iv	Children's voices
v	Crowd singing

Vocal Features	
i	Only the lead singer sings the words
ii	Call and response
iii	Singing in unison
iv	A cappella
v	Voices echo and imitate each other
vi	Singing in harmony

Where this music might be heard	
i	In a chapel in the southern states of America
ii	In a recording studio
iii	At an African tribal celebration
iv	On a protest march
v	In the inn after a day's work on the farm
vi	At the court of Queen Elizabeth I

Listed in the boxes are features which might describe these pieces of music. From each box, choose **one** feature to match the music best.

You do not have to use each description – some may be incorrect.

You may use any description more than one if you choose.

## Extras

Here are some examples of occasions when there might be singing. Think of a type of song associated with each:

- Work
- Protests
- For fun
- Worship
- National days
- Street entertainment
- Concerts
- Sports events
- To send a baby to sleep
- TV and radio drama
- Story telling

### Key Words:

**A capella** : a group or solo vocal performance without instrumental accompaniment.

**Unison**: when singers sing the same melody together at the same time.

Look at the pictures below. What type of singing do they show?



Match the occasion to the correct picture.

An Opera

A Rugby Match

Singers in an African village

Live rock concert